

Goal Team 6 Project Descriptions

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| Project ID | 10 |
| Goal Team | GIT 6 |
| Project Title | Facilitation and Technical Content Development Support for GIT Development of Management Strategies |
| Goal/Outcome | All Outcomes |
| Cost Estimate Range and recommended funding vehicle | \$50,000 (approximately 500 hours of contracted support) |
| Project Duration | September 2014 – June 2015 |
| Priority Area Addressed | Development of Management Strategies |
| Activity Description | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Meeting coordination and facilitation - Outreach to stakeholders for input and/or participation in management strategy development - Review and editing of strategy documents including work plans - Estimate required resources for potential activities - Forecasting outputs and environmental response from specific activities or across a range of activities - Development of options for metrics - Estimating cost benefit for activities/outputs - Assessing programs and actions undertaken by other watershed restoration programs - Analysis of alternative GIT governance structures for implementing strategies that ensures engagement of key stakeholders at the GIT level |
| Outputs | |
| Justification for FY 14 funding | Creating management strategies with work plans is a sizeable undertaking that will need to take place under an accelerated timeline. The proposed project will establish capacity for support that will directly benefit the GITs. |

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| Project ID | 8 |
| Goal Team | GIT 6 |
| Project Title | Assessment of Local Leadership Development Programs |
| Goal/Outcome | Stewardship Goal, Local Leadership Outcome |
| Cost Estimate Range and recommended funding vehicle | \$20,000 Grant or contract |
| Project Duration | September 2014-October 2014 |
| Priority Area Addressed | Management Strategy Implementation |
| Activity Description | <p>Identify and assess existing local leadership development programs within the Chesapeake Bay watershed that have a focus on enhancing local water resource restoration and protection efforts. Provide a description and analysis of such programs to be used to inform strategies to increase the knowledge and capacity of local officials to lead local conservation actions.</p> <p>The assessment would focus on aspects of existing and recently past programs with an emphasis on their overall learning models, strengths, weaknesses, extent of reach to target audience, ability to leverage learning to teach others (e.g., train the trainer), and provide sustainable funding. Primary focus would be current and recently past programs in the Chesapeake watershed; however, it is possible that valuable insight may come from leadership development programs in other regions of the country and world. Assessment activities should include but not be limited to review of online information, interviews, literature reviews, and summaries of published reports. This project would provide insight into the adequacy of current programs and would make recommendations for increasing the implementation capacity of local leadership in the Chesapeake Bay watershed, identify gaps in the current efforts</p> |
| Outputs | A report assessing existing and recently past local leadership development programs and recommending actions to be included in CBP Local Leadership Outcome management strategy. |
| Justification for FY 14 funding | The project specifically addresses the local leadership outcome and provides a means of increasing knowledge of local leadership development programs in order to develop a cost-effective management strategy. |