

Scientific, Technical Assessment & Reporting Team Meeting **TOPIC: GIT Needs and STAR 2017**

Dec 1, 2016 10:00AM - 12:00PM Chesapeake Bay Program Office: Fishshack

Conference Line: 866-299-3188 code: 267-985-6222 Adobe Connect: https://epawebconferencing.acms.com/star Event webpage: http://www.chesapeakebay.net/calendar/event/24491/

AGENDA

10:00 AM Welcome, Introduction, and Announcements/Updates from Workgroups-

Bill Dennison, Scott Phillips and Mark Bennett – STAR Co-Chairs, Peter Tango, STAR Coordinator

Upcoming Conferences, Meetings, Workshops, & Webinars-

- Maryland Water Monitoring Council Conference Dec. 2, North Linthicum, Md.
- <u>Citizen Science Association</u> (CitSci2017) May 2017, Minnesota.
- 10:15 Communications- All

STAR will notify the communications team of upcoming publications and projects.

10:30 Review of the Diversity Indicator- Darius Stanton, Diversity Workgroup Staffer

> Leadership from the Diversity Workgroup will present a proposed indicator for the Diversity outcome of the Agreement, based on the baseline profile assessment conducted this summer.

- **STAC Workshop Theme Brainstorming** All GIT Chairs and Staffers 11:00

This continues the request for theme ideas regarding what GITs want to see covered in STAC workshops.

11:15 **Review of GIT Activities and Priorities 2017-** All GIT Chairs and Staffers

> This item will focus on activities needed to support the Goal Implementation Teams in 2017. In preparation for the meeting, we would like each of the GITs to review what is expected from STAR in the coming year. We are asking each GIT to review their 2-year work plans for each outcome and identify STAR activities, and present the items at the December 1 STAR meeting. We would also want to have a sense of the GIT's highest priorities. STAR will take the information and discuss with our work groups' chairs, to have these activities in their respective work plans for 2017

12:00 **STAR Workgroup Business Meeting**

2:00 PM Adjourn Next Star Meeting: Jan 26, 2017