



**Background Webinar:
Enhancing CBP Monitoring to Improve Data Driven Decision Making**

Tuesday, December 13, 2022
10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

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AGENDA

10:00 AM Introduction – We will introduce our team, and review today's goals:

- *Background on the Enhancing Monitoring Networks report requested by the Principals' Staff Committee (PSC), and a review of the recommendations of the report*
- *Understanding six core monitoring networks plus toxic contaminants monitoring, their value, and products of the networks*
- *Current funding status of the networks, and what funding support is needed*
- *Begin identifying recommendations partners would like to invest in based on their priorities and work*
- *Feedback on how to make the January meeting effective*

10:15 AM Value of existing monitoring networks and recommendations for enhancement – Peter Tango (USGS) and Breck Sullivan (USGS)

Background on the six core monitoring networks plus toxic contaminants, the process of addressing the request from the PSC, and key findings of the review. Overview of recommendations for the six core networks plus toxic contaminants from the monitoring report, and the partnership approach to funding the network.

10:45 AM Q & A

10:55 AM Status of Funding – Lee McDonnell (EPA)

Where funding support has been provided for existing networks and networks enhancements, and where more support is needed. Examples will be provided of how EPA CBP Office has committed funds and worked with various partners on specific recommendations.

11:20 AM Q & A

- 11:30 AM **Planning for an effective kickoff meeting in January – *interactive activity***
- *Which CBP networks and associated recommendations is your organization most interested in supporting and investing? (You may choose more than one)*
 - *Which Goals that don't currently have monitoring are your interested in supporting?*
 - *What additional information do you need to consider these investments?*
 - *What information do you need to be prepared for the January Meeting, when we will discuss leveraging the existing programs to help sustain the networks into the future?*
- 11:55 AM Closing Remarks and Next Steps
- 12:00 PM Adjourn