



Stewardship Workgroup Meeting

Thursday, May 16, 2024 – 10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Virtual via Microsoft Teams

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Meeting ID: 224 329 134 186

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Meeting Purpose / Outcomes:

- **Build a community of practice** among stewardship practitioners throughout the Chesapeake Bay Watershed.
- **Offer participants opportunities to share** what they are working on, to gain support and potential partners; to gather input and solve challenges; and/or learn about similar efforts among peers.
- **Update the Workgroup** on news, actions and opportunities from the Bay Program that are relevant to stewardship.
- **Engage the membership in implementation of the [2022-2023 Logic & Action Plan](#)** and use the quarterly Workgroup meetings to center our coordination and organization, share information about progress, serve as a check-in and means to keep current on plans and accomplishments, and involve members in actions.

AGENDA

10:00 Welcome/ Intros – Ashley Traut, Greater Baltimore Wilderness Coalition, Stewardship Workgroup Chair

10:10 Updates on current Workgroup activity –

Stewardship Indicator – Amy Handen, EPA and Steve Raabe, OpinionWorks

- What we've learned from the recent stewardship survey data.
- New developments to continue evolving the indicator and how it informs stewardship work across the watershed.

Chesapeake Steward Map demonstration and update – Local Concepts project team

- The tool is starting to roll out. We will continue to invite more people to join it and encourage everyone to get more familiar with the map so it will be used well.
- Discussion and Q&A will accompany the demo.
- All participants! Prior to the meeting, please use this link to [update your info in the map](#).

10:45 2024-2025 Action Plan – Participants/Workgroup members will be engaged in providing feedback on the draft Management Approaches (main categories of work) and the actions nested under them.

11:35 September Meeting Brainstorming – Britt Slattery, National Park Service, Stewardship Coordinator

We propose an in-person meeting including an experiential activity to energize participants around stewardship and its connection to other related outcome topics such as recreation, education, diversity and land conservation (to become a full Stewardship Goal Team event). **What ideas do you have for an engaging and informative event (what and where)?**

11:50 Wrap Up/ Announcements

12:00 Adjourn