

Climate Resiliency Workgroup (CRWG)

Thursday, December 19th, 2024 1:30 – 3:30 PM

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AGENDA

1:30 – 1:35 PM Welcome – Mark Bennett, Chair (USGS) and Julie Reichert-Nguyen, Coordinator (NOAA)

Announcements:

- CRWG-supported proposals submitted:
 - Marsh Adaptation proposal to the University of Michigan SEAS Master Student Program, in collaboration with the CBP Wetlands Workgroup (Point of Contact: Julie Reichert-Nguyen)
 - O Julie and Mark provided a letter of support from CRWG leadership for Old Dominion University and Tetra Tech's proposal submitted to the STAC Science Synthesis funding opportunity. Their proposal addresses one of the CRWG's top science needs in working towards quantifying the resilience effectiveness of nature-based solutions.
- Elizabeth Andrews from the University of Virginia shared the newly released <u>website</u> for Proactive Planning for Resilience—Protocols for Community-Led Climate Adaptation in Virginia. CRWG supported this effort by providing feedback during our meetings.
- Michael Maddox from the University of Maryland Climate Resilience Network shared that there are spots still available for the 2025 Scientists Serving Communities Workshop, January 8-9 at the Samuel Riggs IV Alumni Center on the University of Maryland, College Park campus. Event page and RSVP link. RSVP cut off is December 31, 2024.

1:35 – 2:05 PM Beyond 2025 Priority Action Assignment

Presenter(s): Julie Reichert-Nguyen and Mark Bennett

<u>Description</u>: Julie and Mark will provide an overview and describe identified urgent actions to avoid missed opportunities that are connected with recommendations from the Beyond 2025 Phase 1 report related to the Climate Resiliency goal. These are tentatively due January 3, 2025 to the CBP, with additional opportunities in the future to submit other actions that are less time-sensitive. Mark and Julie will be looking for feedback from the workgroup before submitting these. Given the current deadline from the CBP, we will need any feedback by December 23, 2024.

Materials:

Identified Beyond 2025 Priorities

- Integrating climate resilience across outcomes
- Advancing collaborative marsh adaptation
- Measuring resilience progress

2:05 – 2:25 PM Outcome Assessment Assignment from Management Board

Presenter(s): Breck Sullivan (U.S. Geological Survey, USGS/STAR Coordinator)

<u>Description</u>: Breck Sullivan will provide an overview on the outcome assessment assignment for the Goal Implementation Teams (GITs), including next steps for the climate resiliency outcomes under STAR/CRWG (Climate Monitoring and Assessment and Climate Adaptation). Timeline and description of the assignment can be found <u>here</u>. The Climate Monitoring and Assessment and Climate Adaptation outcome assessments will be presented during the February 13, 2025 Management Board meeting. Materials will be due on January 30, 2025.

2:25 – 3:25 PM Discussion – Mobilizing the CRWG for Initial Feedback on Outcome Assessments – Beyond 2025 Phase 2 Continuing Implementation Facilitator: Julie Reichert-Nguyen

<u>Description</u>: Based on the Reaching 2025 report, outcome attainment documents, and Strategy Review System, what is CRWG's initial input for the Climate Monitoring and Assessment and Climate Adaptation outcomes related to the Management Board's request to, "provide advice to the Management Board on whether to consolidate, reduce, update, remove, replace or add new outcomes."

3:25 PM Any Additional Partner Announcements

3:30 PM Adjourn - HAPPY HOLIDAYS

Next Meeting: January 16, 2024 from 1:30-3:30 PM—meeting will focus on finalizing outcome assessment recommendations.