



Scientific Technical Assessment and Reporting (STAR) Team Meeting

Thursday, April 24th, 2025

10:00 AM – 11:00 AM

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AGENDA

10:00 AM – 10:05 AM Welcome, Introductions & Announcements – Ken Hyer
(US Geological Survey, USGS) STAR chair, **Breck Sullivan** (USGS) STAR Coordinator, **Peter Tango** (USGS) CBP Monitoring Coordinator

Upcoming Conferences, Meetings, Workshops and Webinars

- [Choose Clean Water Conference](#) – May 19-21, 2025, Harrisonburg, Virginia.
- [Coastal and Estuarine Research Federation Conference](#) – November 9-13, 2025, Richmond, Virginia.

10:05 AM – 10:20 AM Target Language Status Update Poll

Each outcome will fill out the Poll to share where they are in their outcome language production, specifically on the target/output language. If a representative from your outcome cannot attend the meeting, please reach out in advance to fill out the poll.

10:20 AM – 10:35 AM New Changing Environmental Conditions Team Overview and Discussion – Ken Hyer (US Geological Survey, USGS)

In response to recent Management Board decisions, the Monitoring and Assessment Outcome is transitioning into a “framework.” Ken Hyer will present on the newly proposed Changing Environmental Conditions Framework.

10:35 AM – 11:00 AM Interconnectivity of Chesapeake Bay Program Goal Implementation Teams and Workgroups – *John Wolf* (US Geological Survey, USGS) and *Gabriel Duran* (Chesapeake Research Consortium, CRC)

John Wolf and Gabriel Duran have been developing a resource that identifies connections between each of the Chesapeake Bay Program's (CBP) outcomes. This resource could be helpful in busting organizational silos and connecting workgroups focused on similar topics. Here they will discuss their network map and facilitate a discussion on the interconnectivity of the CBP's outcomes.

11:00 AM Adjourn