



Habitat Goal Implementation Team Fall 2020 Meeting November 16-17, 2020

DAY 1 (November 16th):

1 pm – 5 pm

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DAY 2 (November 17th):

9 am – 1 pm

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Monday, November 16th (1 – 5 pm)

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| 1:00 pm | Welcome, Introductions, Expectations (<i>Bill Jenkins, EPA</i>) |
| 1:20 pm | Update on Social Science in the Bay Program (<i>Amy Handen, EPA</i>) |
| 1:40 pm | Update on Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Justice (DEIJ) in the Bay Program
(<i>Tuana Phillips, EPA and Wendy O’Sullivan, NPS</i>) |
| 1:55 pm | Ecosystem Services in the Bay Program (<i>Bo Williams, EPA</i>) |
| 2:15 pm | Break |
| 2:25 pm | eDNA: How can workgroups use it? (<i>Lou Reynolds and Amy Bergdale, EPA</i>) |
| 2:45 pm | BMP Tracking/Living Resource Data Analyst Request (<i>Chris Guy, USFWS</i>) |
| 2:55 pm | Shoreline Marketing to Improve Shoreline Management: Project Results
(<i>Rachel Felver, Alliance for the Chesapeake Bay</i>) |

- 3:25 pm** **A Framework for Comparing Landscape-scale Conservation Planning Models and their Key Characteristics** (*Kevin Barnes, USFWS*)
- 3:45 pm** **Break**
- 4:00 pm** **Facilitated discussion: How does this all relate to our work?** (*Christine Conn, MD DNR*)
- 4:55 pm** **Closing Remarks** (*Christine Conn, MD DNR*)
- 5:00 pm** **Adjourn**

Tuesday, November 17th (9 am – 1 pm)

- 9:00 am** **Setting the Stage: Recap from Yesterday and Today's Goal**
Christine Conn (MD DNR)
- 9:10 am** **Priorities, Plans, and Collaboration Among Workgroups**
A representative from each workgroup will each share the workgroup's top 1-2 priorities, plans for achieving outcomes, obstacles that are a barrier to progress, and potential for collaboration with other workgroups and/or goal teams.
 - 1. **Wetlands**– *Pam Mason, Virginia Institute of Marine Science and Denise Clearwater, Maryland Dept. of the Environment*
 - 2. **Stream Health** – *Alison Santoro and Sara Weglein, Maryland Dept. of Natural Resources*
 - 3. **Fish Habitat** – *Gina Hunt, Maryland Dept. of Natural Resources*
 - 4. **Fish Passage**– *Julie Devers, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service*
 - 5. **Brook Trout**– *Steve Faulkner, USGS Leetown Science Center*
 - 6. **Black Duck** – *Ben Lewis, Virginia Department of Wildlife Resources*
 - 7. **Submerged Aquatic Vegetation** – *Brooke Landry, Maryland Dept. of Natural Resources*
- 10:30 am** **Break**
- 10:40 am** **How Can We Move Forward Collectively?** (*Kristin Saunders, UMCES*)
We will have a facilitated discussion focused on the challenges and opportunities shared by each of the workgroups and will brainstorm ways to better achieve our Outcomes through cross-workgroup and cross-Goal Team collaboration.
- 12:50 pm** **Closing Remarks** (*Bill Jenkins and Christine Conn*)