Local Leadership Outcome Development

Draft Plan for Local Leadership workshop and management strategy framework

Local Leadership Outcome: Continually increase the knowledge and capacity of local officials on issues related to water resources and in the implementation of economic and policy incentives that will support local conservation actions.

Background

Goal teams 5 and 6 have acknowledge the need to share information and look for overlap and synergies as management strategies are developed for the 3 separate outcomes. It was decided that the three outcome teams should move forward developing management strategies by working with small groups of stakeholders. Each outcome will have separate workshops, but will include participation from stakeholders involved in developing other stewardship outcomes.

Local Leadership Workshop for Local Government Officials

Workshop Purpose

- Assemble local government leadership thought leaders and practitioners to:
- Define local leadership (including role of advocates in driving leaders)
- Begin to catalogue examples of local leadership throughout Bay watershed
- Endorse general approach/framework for mgmt. strategy development
- Create a workgroup of local official leaders to guide the management strategy development

Workshop audience and participants

- Local Government leaders and staff watershed-wide
- Leadership training experts
- Academic institutions involved in leadership development
- Reps from citizen groups

Workshop Timeframe

Late November to early December 2014

Workshop Location

Central location in watershed to attract as many local officials as possible

Workshop Planning Small Group

- GIT 6 chair and vice chair will assemble a small group of signatory reps and a few other interested stakeholders to develop the workshop. Some of the small group tasks will include:
 - Identifying and inviting participants (inside and outside watershed)
 - Finding and securing central and accessible location for local officials (consider webinar/video options for those not in attendance)
 - Working with stakeholders to develop agenda and speakers

- o Identifying and securing facilitator
- o Identifying and securing recorders responsible for meeting minutes
- Small group will coordinate development of workshop and agenda with stewardship and diversity outcomes development teams.

Decisions for GIT 6 October 7 Conference call

Decision Requested: Do members of the Goal team endorse this approach for a late November early December workshop to focus on local leadership with invited reps from stewardship?