LUWG Commitments Timetable

Hard deadline; Soft deadline

February 2015

- Meet with MDP to review and finalize P6 land use methodology
- Prototype mapping wetland types and assessing their efficiencies
- Run the SPARROW model with updated riparian forest buffer coverage
- Assemble available LiDAR data for Bay watershed
- Draft requirements for high-resolution land cover change monitoring
- Review Federal Facility Editor tool
- Finalize cropland mapping (using Cropland Data Layer)
- Finalize forest/tree canopy mapping (using NLCD)

March 2015

- Draft P6 land use database (all classes represented from 1984 2012- majority of local data incorporated)
- Draft land use metrics management strategy due to Management Board and release for public comment
- WQGIT reviews P6 land use loading rates
- WQGIT reviews draft acreage of federal land boundaries
- WQGIT discusses implications of setting TMDL on 2025 land use

April 2015

- Future land use "Trend" scenario complete.
- Draft 2012-ish P6 land use dataset complete
- Identify alternative future scenarios
- Public comment period ends on draft management strategies
- WQGIT decision: setting TMDL on proposed 2025 land use projection

May 2015

- Jurisdictions review P6 land use dataset and trend scenario
- WQGIT approves final land use loading targets
- WQGIT local land use data status update

June 2015

- Run alternative future scenarios through the CBLCM
- Jurisdictions complete review P6 land use dataset and trend scenario

July 2015

P6 land use database issues identified and corrected.

August 2015

• P6 land use database finalized and approved by LUWG.

September 2015

• WQGIT approves final P6 land use database.

October 2015

- P6 land use database delivered to watershed modelers.
- Jurisdictions notify CBPO of expected land use datasets

January 2016

• Jurisdictions review P6 watershed model results.

May 2016

• Jurisdictions provide additional land use related data to CBPO as per previous notification.

June- July 2016

• Additional data incorporated into P6 land use database

August 2016

• Jurisdictions review updated P6 land use database

September 2016

• WQGIT approves updated P6 land use database