



**Joint Scientific, Technical Assessment and Reporting (STAR)
and Coordinator & Staffer Meeting
Theme: Enhancing Monitoring Efforts and
Stewardship Cohort Strategy Review System Dry Run Presentations**

Thursday, January 27, 2022
9:30 AM – 12:30 PM

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Meeting Materials:

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This meeting will be recorded for internal use to assure the accuracy of meeting notes.

AGENDA

9:30 AM **Welcome, Introductions & Announcements – Bill Dennison (UMCES) and Scott Phillips (USGS)-STAR co-chairs, Peter Tango (USGS) CBP Monitoring Coordinator, Breck Sullivan (USGS) STAR Coordinator**

Announcements

- Communications Update - Marisa Baldine
- [STAC call for workshop proposals](#). **Proposals are due to STAC Coordinator, Annabelle Harvey (harveya@chesapeake.org) by COB February 16, 2022.**
 - Discuss potential STAC proposals to gain Cross-GIT suggestions
- PSC Monitoring Assessments Updates - MB and PSC Meetings

Upcoming Conferences, Meetings, Workshops, & Webinars -

- [Sustainable Agriculture Conference](#) - February 10-12, 2022, Lancaster, PA. (Virtual pre-conference in January).
- [Ocean Sciences Meeting](#) - February 27-March 4, 2022, Virtual.
- [Joint Aquatic Sciences Meeting](#) - May 14-22, 2022, Grand Rapids, MI.
- Chesapeake Community Research Symposium - June 6-8, 2022, Annapolis, MD. (Hybrid: virtual and in-person. [Subscribe here for updates.](#))

- [World Seagrass Conference and International Seagrass Biology Workshop](#) - August 7-12, 2022, Annapolis, MD. [Abstract submissions due February 15th, 2022](#)
- [Global HAB symposium on automated in situ observations of plankton](#) - August 22-26, 2022. Kristineberg, Sweden. Deadline for registration March 15, 2022.

9:50 - 10:30 Update on PSC Monitoring Report and next steps for implementation - Peter Tango & Breck Sullivan

Peter and Breck will provide an outline of the Monitoring Report and give an overview of the monitoring needs received from Goal Teams. This discussion will also focus on gaining feedback from Goal Teams for what next steps they want reflected in the report to help them implement their monitoring needs.

Discussion Questions:

- What partners are currently supporting a monitoring need?
- What next steps would help GITs mature their monitoring needs to include information such as cost estimates, design considerations, location, and frequency?
- What funding opportunities are available to complete these and future next steps?
- We are looking for 3 STAR members to review the PSC report. Are there any volunteers?

10:30-11:45 Strategy Review System Dry Run Presentations of the Stewardship Cohort (3 Outcomes 25 minutes each)

Materials: Citizen Stewardship SRS Dry Run Presentation, Diversity SRS Dry Run Presentation, and Public Access Site Development SRS Dry Run Presentation.

There are 3 CBP outcomes, organized under the Stewardship Cohort, that will be reviewed by the Management Board (MB) on February 17th, 2022. The dry run for STAR provides an opportunity for each outcome to provide their MB presentation and get suggestions for improvements. The presentations should follow the guidelines provided under the Strategy Review System on [Chesapeake Decisions](#).

10:30-10:55 Public Access Site Development - Jackie Kramer, NPS (Chair) and Olivia Wisner, CRC (Staffer)

10:55-11:20 Stewardship - Suzanne Etgen, Anne Arundel County Watershed Stewards (Outgoing Co-Chair), Britt Slattery, NPS (Coordinator), and Olivia Wisner, CRC (Staffer)

11:20-11:45 Diversity - Kevin Newman, DOEE (Co-Chair), Briana Yancy, CRC (Staffer), and Allison Ng, EPA (Coordinator)

11:45-12:30 Coordinator/Staffer Meeting

12:30 Adjourn

Next Meeting Date: February 24th, 2022, from 10am-12pm.