



**Joint Scientific, Technical Assessment and Reporting (STAR) Meeting/  
Coordinator & Staffer Strategic Review System  
Quarterly Progress Meeting**

Thursday, January 28, 2021  
9:30 AM – 12:30 PM

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Webinar\*: <https://umces.webex.com/umces/j.php?MTID=mcc1e80625c4609b6f123e8fc54505985>

**Meeting Materials:**

[https://www.chesapeakebay.net/what/event/joint\\_c\\_s\\_star\\_january\\_2021\\_meeting](https://www.chesapeakebay.net/what/event/joint_c_s_star_january_2021_meeting)

**AGENDA**

**9:30 Welcome, Introductions, Announcements & Reminder of purpose for science needs – Bill Dennison (UMCES) and Scott Phillips (USGS)- STAR Co-Chairs, Peter Tango (USGS) and Emily Trentacoste (EPA), STAR Co- Coordinator**

**Upcoming Conferences, Meetings, Workshops, & Webinars-**

- [Chesapeake Conservation Landscaping Program Winter Training - January 19 and 26, February 10 and 17 \(Virtual\)](#)
- [Equitable Negotiation on the Coast - January 21 & 28, February 4 & 11 \(Virtual\)](#)
- [Woods in Your Backyard Webinar Series - January 27 \(Virtual\)](#)
- [Wildlife Management Online Course - February 1 \(Virtual\)](#)
- [Sustainable Agriculture Conference - February 3-6 \(Lancaster, Pa.\)](#)
- [Climate, Nature, People and Education: It's All Connected! - February 4-7 \(Virtual\)](#)
- [American Fisheries Society 2021 Spring Technical Meeting - February 11 - 12 \(Virtual\)](#)
- [Green Street Academy Internship Fair- February 17 \(Virtual\)](#)
- [Woods & Wildlife Conference - February 12 & 20 \(Virtual\)](#)
- [The 31st Annual Environment Virginia Symposium - March 23-25 \(Virtual\)](#)
- [National Watershed & Stormwater Conference - April 13 - 16](#)
- [Chesapeake Bay Landscape Professional Winter Session - December - March \(Virtual\) \(Arlington, Va.\) \(Lancaster, Pa.\) \(Annapolis, Md.\) \(Norfolk, Va.\) \(Fredericksburg, Md.\) \(Columbia, Md.\)](#)

**9:35 WIP Outcome Science Needs - Lucinda Power (EPA)**

**10:00 Gathering Feedback on Science Needs Database - Breck Sullivan (CRC)**

The Strategic Science and Research Framework (SSRF) identifies and assesses both short- and long-term science needs of the partnership. These science needs are captured and tracked in a database, which is continually updated throughout the year. SSRF now has a publicly available database to help engage stakeholders and identify opportunities to better align or evolve resources.

Breck will gather feedback from STAR members on the following items:

- General layout
- Level of information
- Content
- Filtering capabilities
- Accuracy of science needs
- Other Suggestions

**10:15 – 12:00 SRS Topic: Dry Runs of Local Action Cohort (4 Outcomes 25 minutes each)**

*Materials: The Local Action Cohort consists of the Outcomes Tree Canopy SRS Dry Run Presentation, Land Use Methods and Metrics SRS Dry Run Presentation, Land Use Options Evaluation SRS Dry Run Presentation, and Local Leadership SRS Dry Run Presentation.*

The dry run for STAR provides an opportunity for each outcome to provide their presentation and get suggestions for improvements. The presentations should follow the guidelines provided under the Strategy Review System and on Chesapeake Decisions.

<b>10:15</b>	<b>Outcomes Tree Canopy – Julie Mawhorter</b>
<b>10:40</b>	<b>Land Use Methods and Metrics – Peter Claggett</b>
<b>11:05</b>	<b>Land Use Options Evaluation – Renee Thompson</b>
<b>11:30</b>	<b>Local Leadership – Matt Pennington, Shannon Moore</b>
<b>11:55</b>	<b>Communications update – Marisa Baldine</b>
<b>12:00</b>	<b>Break</b>
<b>12:10</b>	<b>Coordinator/Staffer meeting</b>
<b>12:30</b>	<b>Adjourn</b>

**Next Meeting Dates:** February 25, 2021 (10 AM – 12:30 PM)