

## Federal Facilities Workgroup Agenda

**Date:** January 14, 2020

**Time:** 10:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M.

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<b>Introductions</b> (Sarah Diebel)	10:00-10:10	<p><u><b>Summary of Action Items from last meeting:</b></u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• John Maleri accepted position of co-Chair for the workgroup.</li> <li>• Rachelle Knight, Dana Jackson, John Maleri will work with the coordinator, staffer and federal co-chair representative on developing a workplan. Email Nora (<a href="mailto:njackson@chesapeakebay.net">njackson@chesapeakebay.net</a>) if you would like to be a part of this team.</li> <li>• Federal planning goals in PA need to be re-assessed.</li> </ul>
<b>New Co-Chair Nominations</b> (James Davis-Martin)	10:10 – 10:20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Danny Filer from NPS will provide a name for the Federal Chair before the next meeting March 10.</li> <li>• John Maleri from D.C. DOEE will be the new co-Chair representing the jurisdictions</li> </ul>
<b>2-year milestones update</b> (James Davis-Martin)	10:20- 10:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Water Quality GIT Updates – The Management Board approved the revised language for state and federal numeric milestones. States and agencies can submit a full cast scenario, but they can also submit 2-year projections for BMP implementation that EPA identified in the WIP evaluations. See the document <a href="#">here</a>.</li> <li>• Rachelle Knight was voted as a member of the WQGIT, and co-chairs will be James Martin and Ed Dunne (DOEE).</li> <li>• 2020-2021 milestones due March 1. CAST scenarios and programmatic submissions from federal agencies should be submitted to the appropriate jurisdiction for state submission to the EPA.</li> </ul>

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dana Jackson from BARC said they going to be entering in a major phase of demolition, taking buildings down may count towards goals as well.</li> </ul>
Phase III WIP Evaluations (Lucinda Power)	10:30- 11:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="#">EPA Final Evaluations</a></li> <li><a href="#">Summary of Phase III WIP Review and Evaluation</a></li> <li>Annual Chesapeake Bay Grants and WIP assistance are available to the jurisdictions, not to federal agencies.</li> <li>Updated planning targets in 2018, those are in place and stable through 2025</li> <li>Greg mentioned that there is still uncertainty in the assessments, because the record of implemented and planned BMPs is incomplete. The data shown on federal agencies in the presentation may be inaccurate.</li> <li><a href="#">Data Dashboard</a>- visualization tool to consolidates and provide accessibility to watershed monitoring, modeling, trends, projections and explanations for use in watershed management and planning. <b>Action item: Presentation from Emily Trentacoste on tool for next meeting.</b></li> <li>Federal Agencies need more guidance on how to prepare and submit information for this process, and this should be a task for the workgroup.</li> <li>Federal planning goals in PA are still not attainable and need to be re-assessed.</li> </ul>
Brown and Caldwell Update (Greg Allen)	11:00-11:10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Depending on how funding is secured- procurement or a memorandum with DoD. Estimate 6 weeks to a few months.</li> <li>DoD legal team allows other federal agencies to issue a tack order on contract. But the issue is that you need a contractor representative that can approving invoices, track deliverables, staying on track on the scope, etc.</li> </ul>
Workplan Development	11:10– 11:40	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="#">Water Quality GIT Logic and Action Table</a></li> <li>Take some time to create a vision statement- what does it look like when we achieve our goals? What does that look like, complete federal involvement?</li> <li>An example “work theme” could be awareness building and education, with a related action of updating the new member slide deck.</li> </ul>

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Suggested meeting with Federal Office Directors after developing the table to review the goals and challenges of the workgroup.</li> <li>• Rachelle Knight, John Maleri, and Dana Jackson volunteered to work as a small group</li> <li>• Rachelle Knight suggested reviewing the original mission for the workgroup to begin populating the table.</li> </ul>
<b>Update, Wrap-up, Next Meeting</b>	11:50 - 12:00	<p><b><u>Looking Ahead:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• March 1- 2020-2021 programmatic two-year milestones due to EPA. Federal agencies submit drafts of next set of two-year milestones to states and EPA. This is coordinated through your Federal Office Director.</li> <li>• <a href="#"><u>2020-2025 Milestone Schedule</u></a></li> <li>• Ted Tesler asked about REPI projects- are they reported to the states to count as TMDL credit? Sarah- the REPI program is primarily off base projects and land conservation, the state is usually a primary partner in the acquisition and would probably be reporting conserved lands and projects for credit.</li> <li>• Suggested that workgroup help communicate more agricultural practices done on federal lands so there's a better understanding of federal contributions to reductions.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Next Meeting: March 10, 2020</u></b></p>

**Attendees:**

Greg Allen, EPA, *Coordinator*  
Lucinda Power, EPA  
Jeff Sweeney, EPA  
Sarah Diebel, DoD, *Chair*  
Liz Dawson, USFWS  
Dana Jackson, USDA  
Rachelle Knight, DoD  
Peter van Dyke, NASA  
Nora Jackson, CRC, *Staffer*

Sarat Calamur, NASA  
Elisa Ortiz, DoD  
John Maleri, DC DOEE  
Ted Tesler, PA DEP  
Alana Hartman, WV DEP  
Kevin Dubois, Navy  
Cassandra Davis, NY DEC  
David-Kidwell Slak, USDA

