



**Criteria Assessment Protocol Workgroup  
Conference Call – RM 305A  
Monday, June 10, 2013  
10:00AM – 11:00AM**

Conference Line: 1-866-299-3188, code 4102675731

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Meeting Calendar: <http://www.chesapeakebay.net/S=0/calendar/event/19479/>

**AGENDA**

**10:00 Welcome, Introduction, Announcements – P. Tango (USGS-CBPO, CAP Chair)**

**10:05 Implementation of BIBI Add-on Rules for the 2014 Integrated Report (IR) – P. Tango (USGS-CBPO)**

**Action Requested:** Having heard no objections to the proposed rules developed for the benthic assessment (until funding may be secured for the recalibration of the BIBI) we seek a vote of approval for the implementation of the add-on rules for the 2014 IR benthic assessment.

**Rules:**

"For segments where 'Impaired = No' identify those segments that have a breadth of confidence limits (Upper confidence Limit - Lower confidence Limit  $\geq$  0.5) of .5 or greater. Of that remaining subset of segments, those that have a Mean BIBI  $< 2.7$  would be classified as Category 3 (insufficient information) until more conclusive information is available."

**10:20 2014 USEPA Technical Addendum, Chapter 1  
Assessing Dissolved Oxygen Criteria Attainment: A Focus on Short-Duration  
Criteria Attainment Assessments – P. Tango (USGS-CBPO)**

*(attachment: 2014USEPA\_Tech\_Add\_Chapter1\_for\_WQGIT\_PTdraft\_6-10-2013.docx)*

This chapter discusses the validation of the umbrella criterion concept as it applies to the assessment of the 7-day mean for summer, open-water dissolved oxygen assessment.

**Action Requested:** Please review the chapter and provide feedback prior to the July CAP meeting, at which time we intent to seek final approval from CAP WG members regarding our endorsement of the stated recommendations.

**10:40 Instantaneous Minimum Workshop – L. Hernandez (UMCES-CBPO)**

The Instantaneous Minimum Workshop is scheduled for October 7, 2013  
(Location TBD). L. Hernandez will provide a planning update and request invitee  
suggestions.

**11:00          Adjourn**

**NEXT CAP CONFERENCE CALL**

July 8, 2013

10AM-12PM