



STAR/Beyond 2025 - Climate Small Group Meeting Theme: Listening Session

Thursday, February 22, 2023

10:00AM – 12:00 PM

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AGENDA

10:00 AM **Welcome, Introductions & Announcements – Ken Hyer (USGS) and Kimberly Van Meter (Penn State) - STAR chair and vice chair, Breck Sullivan (USGS) STAR Coordinator, Peter Tango (USGS) CBP Monitoring Coordinator**
Announcements

Upcoming Conferences, Meetings, Workshops and Webinars

- [National Conference on Ecosystem Restoration](#) – April 14-19, 2024, Albuquerque, New Mexico.
- [Choose Clean Water Conference](#) – May 20-22, 2024, Ellicott City, Maryland.
- [Chesapeake Community Research Symposium](#) – June 10-12, 2024, Annapolis, Maryland.
- [American Planning Association \(APA\) Virginia 2024 Conference](#) – July 21 – 24, 2024, Williamsburg, Virginia. Session Proposals due February 23rd.

Climate Small Group Listening Session:

The Climate Small Group is hosting this listening session to hear ideas and feedback from stakeholders, communities and experts to inform recommendations for moving beyond 2025. During this listening session, Climate leads will provide a brief summary of the Beyond 2025 effort to date and draft recommendations. They will pose a series of guiding questions to facilitate discussion and solicit feedback from participants on the recommendations. Discussion will take place in breakout groups. The Climate Small Group will compile the feedback from the breakout groups and revise the

recommendations accordingly before submitting them to the Steering Committee for the February 28 – 29th symposium.

10:10 **Climate Small Group Draft Recommendations – *Climate Small Group Members***

The Climate Small Group will provide a brief summary of the Beyond 2025 effort to date and their draft recommendations.

10:35 **Clarifying Questions on Draft Recommendations - *All***

This time is reserved for clarifying questions on the recommendations. More detailed feedback and suggestions will be shared during the breakout groups.

10: 55 **Breakout Groups**

Breakout groups will go through each recommendation and share their observations on them.

Guiding questions to consider during the breakout groups:

- What are your thoughts on the recommendations?
- What additional detail and justification should we include with a recommendation?
 - Is there a case study on this recommendation being implemented well?
- Are there any remaining high-level topics that should be addressed in the recommendations?
 - If a member of another Beyond 2025 small group is present, is this gap being captured in another group?

11:40 **Report out from Breakout Groups**

12:00 **Adjourn**