



## **Toxic Contaminants Workgroup**

January 13, 2016 Conference Call  
1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

**Conference Line:** (866) 299-3188

**Conference Code:** 267-5715

**Web Access:** <http://epawebconferencing.acms.com/tcw/>  
Chesapeake Bay Program Office – Room 305a

## **Agenda**

### **1:00 Welcome, Introductions, Announcements**

- STAC Workshop Proposals
- Microbeads Ban: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/house-bill/1321/text>

### **1:15 PCB Story Map Update – Greg Allen, EPA**

*Workplan: Policy and Prevention; Approach 1, Key Action 4*

Greg will provide an update on the PCB story map and invite participation in a small group to help develop next steps for the communication of the product.

### **1:25 Toxic Contaminants from Agriculture and Wastewater – Tom Schueler, CSN**

*Workplan: Policy and Prevention; Approach 4, Key Action 4*

Tom will discuss the findings from the Chesapeake Stormwater Network's report on toxic contaminants generated from the agricultural and wastewater sectors, and the effect of BMPs and Wastewater Treatment Plan upgrades implemented for the Bay TMDL in reducing those contaminants.

### **2:00 Chesapeake Bay Osprey Field Study -- Rebecca Lazarus, USGS**

*Workplan: Research; Approach 2, Key Action 3*

Rebecca will present a summary of the recently published 3-year study on the exposure and transfer of pharmaceuticals in osprey from the Chesapeake Bay region.

### **2:40 Workplan Next Steps -- Greg Allen, EPA and Scott Phillips, USGS**

*Workplan: Policy and Prevention, Research*

Greg and Scott will provide an update on the two Toxic Contaminants Workplans, including an overview of the review schedule and public comment period.

### **2:55 Wrap-up and Next Steps -- Greg Allen, EPA and Scott Phillips, USGS**

## **Schedule of Upcoming TCW Meetings:**

February 10

March 9