



**Chesapeake Bay Program
Watershed Technical Workgroup (WTWG)
Conference call**

Thursday, April 5, 2018
10:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Call-in number: 202-991-0477 **Code:** 283-2221#

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Agenda

10:00 AM - Introductions and Announcements- Ted Tesler, PADEP or Jeff Sweeney, EPA CBPO

Decision Requested: Approval of March 2018 meeting minutes

10:10 AM – Recommendations from the Agricultural Stormwater BMP Expert Panel Establishment Group – Loretta Collins, UMD

Follow-up discussion on the recommendations of the Agricultural Stormwater Management EPEG for addressing crediting for post-construction agricultural stormwater BMPs, and draft technical appendix. The recommendations of the EPEG were approved by the AgWG at their February 15 meeting.

Decision Requested: WTWG approval of the Agricultural Stormwater EPEG recommendations and accompanying technical appendix

10:40 AM – CAST updates that were made available April 2, 2018 – Olivia Devereux, Devereux Consulting

New CAST updates include the new Land Policy BMPs, updated base conditions, new wastewater datasets, and changes to the stream restoration BMP. Olivia will show CAST to walk through these items.

10:50 AM – Including Virginia-specific geographies in CAST – Olivia Devereux, Devereux Consulting, and Bill Keeling, VA DEQ

VA has requested that Planning District Commissions and Soil Conservation Districts be included as available geographies in CAST. The WTWG will discuss implications of this inclusion in CAST.

Decision Requested: WTWG approval of a method for including the VA-specific geographies in CAST.

11:05 AM – Review of Schedules for Phase 5.3.2 and Phase 6 Scenarios – Jeff Sweeney, EPA

Jeff will go over updates to evaluations of mid-point progress (Phase 5.3.2) as well as Phase 6 scenarios.

11:30 AM – BMP Back-out and Credit Durations – VA DEQ, UMD, EPA

We will discuss questions about how BMP back-out and the credit duration of BMPs in the modeling tools affect BMP “credit”.

11:50 AM – Wrap-up

12:00 PM – Adjourn