



**Chesapeake Bay Program
Watershed Technical Workgroup (WTWG)
Meeting Agenda**

Thursday, December 5th, 2024
10:00 AM to 11:00 AM

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Agenda

10:00 Introductions and Announcements – Auston Smith, EPA (15 min).

- *Please put your name and affiliation in the chat box for attendance purposes. Thank you!*
- **Decision requested:** Approval of November Meeting Minutes.
- Call for WTWG Chair – WTWG Leadership
- Excess Update – Auston Smith, EPA
- Other announcements?

10:15 Progress Schedule Update – Auston Smith, EPA (10 min)

Auston Smith, EPA will provide an update on the Progress Schedule including items coming up over the next quarter.

10:25 NRCS Office Hours Announcement - Auston Smith, EPA (10 min)

Auston Smith, EPA will provide an update on the release of NRCS data and announce an opportunity for partners to get their questions answered at an optional Office Hours on [December 11th](#).

10:35 Forest Harvesting Practices BMP Update – Katie Brownson, USFS & Lorenzo Cinalli, USFS (20 min)

Katie Brownson, USFS and Lorenzo Cinalli, USFS will present on updates made to the Forest Harvesting Practices BMP materials since the last WTWG meeting they presented at.

This meeting will be recorded for internal use. Current EPA policy does not allow recordings to be distributed.

Decision Requested: Approval of the suggested revisions to the Forest Harvest BMP and associated Technical Appendix (TA).

10:55 **Recap of Actions and Decisions** (5 min).

11:00 **Adjourn**

Next Meeting: Thursday, January 9th, 2024, from 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM.

Acronym List

BMP: Best Management Practice

CBP: Chesapeake Bay Program

EPA: [US] Environmental Protection Agency

NRCS: [USDA] Natural Resource Conservation Service

USDA: United States Department of Agriculture

USFS: United States Forest Service

WTWG: Watershed Technical Workgroup