



Workplan Status Report: Oyster Restoration



Leads: Maryland and Virginia Interagency Teams

Recent Activity:

- Initiated tributary selection process in Maryland and Virginia.
- Monitoring reefs post-restoration in Harris Creek.
- Continuing restoration in Little Choptank and Tred Avon.
- Setting restoration targets and initiating tributary planning in Virginia tributaries.
- Developed draft progress indicator for Chesapeake Bay Program.
- Working with stakeholders to refine restoration plans.
- Received GIT funding from Chesapeake Bay Program for shell budget analysis.

Issues:

- Securing funding for monitoring and implementation.
- Shell and larvae availability.

Next Steps:

- Final selection of tributaries.
- Communicate results from Oyster Reef Ecosystem Services research.
- Monitor toward success metrics