

PLANNING FOR 2025 AND BEYOND

*Chesapeake Bay Program*



# Beyond 2025 Timeline Review

## Watershed Agreement Revisions

June 12, 2025



	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Outcome Assessment					<div>We are here</div>						
Outcome Disposition											
Language Revisions											
Approval of Draft											
Public Feedback											
Revise & Finalize											
EC Approval											



## Watershed Agreement Revisions: July - August

- **July 1 – September 1:** Public feedback period.
  - Review Team (RT) who volunteered to consider public feedback begins tackling work in late July and iterates as comments are received.
  - RT engages experts, as needed.
- **August 14:** Management Board meeting.
  - RT presents preliminary public feedback.
- **August 20:** Principals' Staff Committee meeting.
  - RT presents preliminary public feedback.

SEPTEMBER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Public feedback period ends	X																													
RT classify and review comments		X	X	X	X			X	X	X																				
<b>MB meeting:</b> RT presents on public feedback received											X																			
Expert input, as needed								X	X	X	X	X																		
RT consolidates & agrees on revision recommendations															X	X	X	X	X											
MB reviews recommendations																						X	X	X						
<b>PROPOSED MB Retreat:</b> RT presents suggested revisions. MB discuss & vote to approve or flag issues for negotiation																						?	?	?	?	?				
MB negotiates & resolves any remaining revisions																												X	X	

RT: Review Team who volunteered to consider public feedback

OCTOBER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
MB negotiates & resolves any remaining revisions	X	X	X																												
MB members <u>consult PSC counterparts</u> on revisions & incorporate feedback	X	X	X			X	X	X																							
<b>MB Meeting:</b> vote to approve revision recommendations									X																						
MB members brief their PSC counterparts. PSC members review revisions. Comms Team finishes editorial review.														X	X	X	X														
<b>PROPOSED PSC Meeting:</b> discuss and vote to approve Agreement revisions																				?	?	?	?	?							
Comms team designs revised Watershed Agreement																											X	X	X	X	X

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## Proposed Meeting Additions

- The week of September 22: Management Board retreat:
  - Review Team presents recommended revisions and topics for MB discussion.
  - MB members discuss, negotiate, and vote to approve revisions to Watershed Agreement.
  - Proposed approval of structure and governance recommendations.
- The week of October 20: PSC meeting to approve revisions to Watershed Agreement language.

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