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Management Strategy Placeholders

Retreat Follow-Up



DECISIONS

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Decision: within 18 months

What timeframe does the MB want to set for MS implementation, commitment updates, and evaluation and strategy updates?

Options Discussed: 2-4 years with 2035 OR 5 years with 2040

Management Strategy (MS) Placeholders

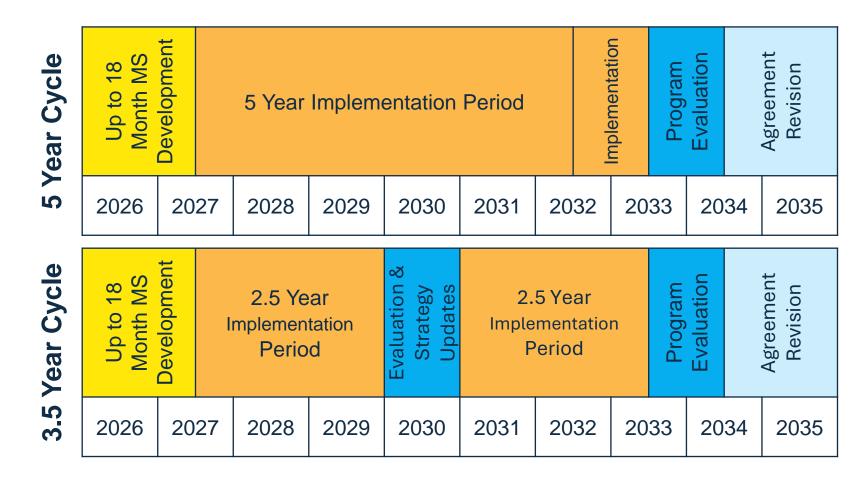
- MS development period revised based on MB Decision
 - Within <u>18 months</u> of revising the Chesapeake Bay Watershed Agreement, the Chesapeake Bay Program will update or develop Management Strategies for the Outcomes and their Targets that support the Goals of this Watershed Agreement.

MS Placeholders

MS implementation and evaluation period

- Management Strategies, which are aimed at implementing Outcomes, identify participating signatories and other stakeholders, including local governments and nonprofit organizations, and will be implemented in <u>X-year</u> (previously "2-year") periods.
- The signatories and other partners shall thereafter update and/or modify such commitments every <u>X</u> (previously "2") years.
- Goal Implementation Teams will re-evaluate <u>with X frequency</u>
 (previously "biennially") and update strategies as necessary, with attention to changing environmental and economic conditions.

Considerations for CBWA MS Placeholders



2035 Options

During Evaluation periods, Celebration of Progress, and Agreement Revisions, work on Implementation continues at reduced capacity

Indicator reporting
Work Plan vs MS update cycle

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2040 Option

Up to 18 Month MS	Development 4	4.5 Year Implementation Period					Celebrate Progress	4 Year Implementation Period			Program Evaluation	Agreement Revision		
2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032	2033	2034	2035	2036	2037	2038	2039	2040

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5 Year Cycle



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