



Urban Stormwater Workgroup Teleconference

Tuesday, April 21, 2015

10:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Call-in Number: 866-299-3188; **code:** 410-267-5731

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10:00 Welcome and Review of March 17 Meeting Minutes. N. Goulet, Attach A

10:05 Announcements

Update on STAC Workshop on MTDs

Revised Nutrient Guidance Released by VADEQ

District of Columbia is Big Winner in the BUBBAs competition

Revised Retrofit FAQ Document Released

Update on Status of UTC and ICD Expert Panels

CSN Releases Five Urban BMP Fact Sheets

10:15 Using BayFAST for Developing Stormwater Implementation Plans

Olivia Devereux, Devereux Consulting

Olivia will show how BayFAST can be used to develop stormwater implementation plans. She will review MD's guidance on using BayFAST to develop implementation scenarios for local TMDLs and developing comprehensive implementation scenarios addressing both bay and local stormwater targets. She will show how BayFAST is applicable to other states that are required to demonstrate a permittee's ability to ensure compliance.

10:45 Some Key Data on Resident Surveys.

Eric Eckl, Water Words that Work. LLC

Water Words has recently completed two stormwater related projects for National Fish and Wildlife Foundation. One is a study on Pennsylvanians' attitudes towards the "rain tax," the other is a study on DC homeowners' participation in stormwater BMP incentive programs. Eric will present some of the key findings from the studies.

11:15 Formal Request on Expert Panels.

N. Goulet

The Partnership has received requests for several new panels including oyster sanctuaries and no discharge zones. Given that these topics lie outside the expertise of the USWG, the Chair recommends that they be assigned to the Habitat GIT and wastewater workgroup, respectively. Norm and others will describe the rationale and status.

11:35 Separating Out Dirt/Gravel Roads from Transport IC

K. Berger

The USWG has been requested by the modeling workgroup to provide advice on whether the scientific data supported such a land use decisions.

11:55 May Agenda Item Planning

N. Goulet

12.00 Other Business/Adjourn

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