

### **Update on Current GIT Membership: Recently Removed Members**

*The task for the Executive Committee: Take a look at this list below, focusing specifically on the commercial representation. Any contacts to replace members from these organizations, or similar organizations, would be greatly appreciated. Ideas for better engaging this community would also be beneficial.*

#### **Recently Removed from Membership:**

- State Government
  - David Saveikis, Delaware Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control
  - Charles Poukish, Maryland Department of the Environment
  - Matt Fleming, Maryland Department of Natural Resources
  - David Paylor, Virginia Department of Environmental Quality
  - Alex Aspinwall, Virginia Marine Resources Commission
  - Somers Smott, Virginia Marine Resources Commission
  - David Paylor, Virginia Department of Environmental Quality
  - Jackie Lendrum, New York State Department of Environmental Conservation
- Federal Government
  - Jason Kahn, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA)
  - Susan Layton, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers - Norfolk District
  - Mike Slattery, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
- Academic/Research Institutions
  - John Hoenig, Virginia Institute of Marine Science (VIMS)
  - Joseph Schmitt, Virginia Tech
  - David Secor, UMCES Chesapeake Biological Laboratory (CBL)
- Non-Profit
  - Rebecca LePrell, Chesapeake Bay Foundation
- Commercial Industry
  - Gibby Dean, Chesapeake Bay Commercial Fishermen's Association
  - Lee Wilson, Chesapeake Bay Commercial Fishermen's Association
  - Robert T. Brown, Maryland Watermen's Association
  - Billy Rice, Maryland Tidal Fisheries Advisory Commission
  - Wayne France, Twin Rivers Waterman's Association
  - John Satterly, Virginia Waterman
  - Ken Smith, Virginia Waterman
- Recreational Industry
  - Jim Gracie, Maryland DNR Sportfish Advisory Commission

*(Note - Some members asked for removal, while for others we were not able to make contact. If you have a question about a specific member, reach out to Justin)*