

Chesapeake Bay Program
Watershed Technical Workgroup (WTWG)
Conference call

Thursday, May 5, 2016 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM

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## **Agenda**

10:00 AM Welcome/Announcements – Ted Tesler, Chair

10:05 AM <u>Virginia Tech Panel Updates</u> – Jeremy Hansen, VT

Jeremy will provide the following updates for the active VT panels. No decisions are requested at this time, but comments are encouraged:

- Manure Treatment Technologies Jeremy will review comments received to date which pertain
  to tracking and reporting this practice. He will also review a draft technical appendix and
  encourage members to provide comments on the document.
- Urban Tree Canopy Jeremy will describe a potential way to track, report and credit larger "woodlot" restoration projects apart from smaller, individual plantings. He will also review a draft technical appendix and encourage members to provide comments on the document.
- Impervious Disconnection Jeremy will review the draft technical appendix and encourage members to provide comments on the document.

## 11:00 AM Preliminary BMP Expert Panel Reports – Mark Dubin, UMD

Mark will present revised preliminary reports which outline the structure, definition, and applicable land uses for each Agricultural Workgroup Phase 6 panel. He will specifically focus on tracking and reporting changes need to accommodate the BMPs. A list of panels is provided below.

- Nutrient Management
- Conservation Tillage
- Cover Crops
- Manure Incorporation/Injection

## 11:50 AM <u>WTWG Representation for Cropland Irrigation and Ditch Management</u>

Matt will ask the workgroup to approve volunteers for these two panels.

12:00 PM Adjourn