

AGENDA

Wastewater Treatment Workgroup (WWTWG) Teleconference

Tuesday, April 7, 2020 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Webinar*: https://zoom.us/j/351580119

Phone: 929 205 6099 **Meeting ID:** 351 580 119 **Calendar Page:** Link

10:30 AM Welcome, Introductions, and Announcements — Ed Dunne (Chair)

Announcements

- Call for WWTWG Chair and Co-Chair Nominations
 - Submissions due by COB April 24, 2020
 - Roles and responsibilities include being the spokesperson for the group, leading workgroup conference calls, and helping Bay staff prepare and develop agendas.
- Wet weather events and their impacts on water quality- Do the jurisdictions remember if any decisions were made?
 - Action Item from May 2018 <u>Meeting Minutes</u>: WWTWG jurisdictions will determine the
 availability of data in their jurisdictions to model SSO and bypass discharges. WWTWG members will also consider the planning implications and expected effort required for inclusion
 of SSO and bypass loads in a future version of the Watershed Model. Legal implications of
 modeling SSO and bypass discharges will also be considered.
 - o **Presentation**

Action items:

Approval of February meeting minutes

10:45 AM <u>WWTWG Scope and Purpose</u> – Ed Dunne, DOEE (15 min)

Review the revised WWTWG scope and purpose and discuss whether this reflects near-term interests of the workgroup.

11:00 AM <u>Benefits of Aligning Wastewater Planning Staff and Utility Managers on Capital Planning Efforts</u> – Karl Berger and Lisa Reynolds, MWCOG (35 min)

COG staff will introduce a discussion of the potential benefits of aligning state wastewater planning staff and local wastewater utility managers on capital planning efforts and nutrient load expectations in the years beyond 2025. Maintaining the Bay TMDL's target loads over the long-term will depend, in part, on the decisions that local managers make about future plant upgrades under their long-term planning processes that already extend out to 2035 and beyond.

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11:35 AM <u>CAST 2019</u> – Peter Claggett, USGS (25 min)

Peter Claggett will brief the WWTWG on the changes in septic in CAST 2019. The septic numbers are affected by the county-level annual population estimates, population projections, and sewer service areas. In addition, refinements to the land change model were corrected for slight inaccuracies in population on sewer/septic estimates in West Virginia.

12:00 AM Adjourn

Next meeting: June 2, 2020 10:00 – 12:00 PM