



WATER RESOURCES TECHNICAL COMMITTEE (WRTC) WEBINAR

January 12, 2018
10:00 - 12:00 P.M.

AGENDA

[Join WebEx meeting](#)

1-855-244-8681 Call-in toll-free number (US/Canada)

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Access code: 643 844 888 **Meeting Password:** wrtc

- 10:00 A.M. 1. **CALL TO ORDER, WELCOME, INTRODUCTIONS, ANNOUNCEMENTS (MM #1)**
Jason Papacosma, Chair
- 10:15 A.M. 2. **CHESAPEAKE BAY PROGRAM MIDPOINT ASSESSMENT – KEY ISSUES FOR COG REGION IN COMING YEAR (MM #2a&b)**
Tanya Spano

Ms. Spano will summarize key decisions made at recent CBP meetings, identify the process and schedule for finalizing items that were deferred, note key issues for the COG region and recommended policy positions.

Action: WRTC will be asked to identify any additional issues of concern or interest; and provide input on the policy recommendations to be made the CBPC at their January 19th meeting.

- 10:45 A.M. 3. **SNAPSHOT OF FINAL WATERSHED MODEL (WSM) OUTPUT (MM #3 & 4)**
Karl Berger & Mukhtar Ibrahim

Mr. Berger will summarize the major changes in Potomac Watershed loads that result from with the new, Phase 6 version of the WS, explain why those changes have occurred, and note the implications for COG's members. Mr. Ibrahim will review initial 2013 Progress sector load charts that compare Phase 5.3.2. to final Phase 6 data for MD/VA/DC state and for MD-Potomac/VA-Potomac/DC. Mr. Ibrahim will also provide a quick overview of COG's Navigation Guide – which can be used by the members to access CBP data for their own jurisdiction. Misters Berger and Ibrahim will then discuss current planning for COG's WSM modeling workshop – which is now planned for April 2018.

Action: WRTC will be asked to provide input on the structure and focus for the workshop

11:15 A.M. 4. STAFF UPDATES

COG staff

- A. Water Quality: Updates to Potomac Fact Sheet & Other Monitoring Issues (HO #1)
Christine Howard
- B. CBPC & WRTC: 2018 Priorities, Areas of Focus, and Scheduled Meetings (HO #2)
Heidi Bonnaffon & Nasser Ameen & Tanya Spano

11:45 P.M. 5. MEMBER UPDATES

12:00 P.M. 6. ADJORN

Meeting Materials (MM)

- 1. WRTC Meeting Agenda
- 2. General Updates:
 - a. Chesapeake Bay
 - b. Water Resources
- 3. ChesBay WSM Presentation
- 4. Navigation Guide to Chesapeake Bay Program's Phase 6 Watershed Model Analysis Tools

Handouts

- 1. Potomac Factsheet (presentation)
- 2. CBPC & WRTC Meeting Schedule & Proposed Topics - 2018

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