



CHESAPEAKE BAY AND WATER RESOURCES POLICY COMMITTEE (CBPC)

Friday, January 23rd, 2026
10:00 A.M.-12:00 P.M.

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AGENDA

10:00 A.M. 1. WELCOME & INTRODUCTIONS

Jenni Pompei, CBPC Chair

Chair Pompei will invite new members to introduce themselves and all others to put their names and affiliations in the chat.

10:05 A.M. 2. MEETING SUMMARY APPROVAL

Chair Pompei

Approval of draft summary for the November 2025 CBPC meeting.

Recommended Action: Approve draft meeting summary.

10:10 A.M. 3. 2026 LEGISLATIVE PREVIEW - FEDERAL

Wendi Wilkes, Current Strategies

Ms. Wilkes will go over upcoming developments and potential legislation at the federal level in 2026, focusing on water, wastewater, and stormwater.

Recommended Action: Receive briefing

10:30 A.M. 4. KEEP IT FRESH: THE SALT WATCH COMMUNITY SCIENCE INITIATIVE

Abby Hileman, Izaak Walton League of America

Salt Watch is an established, nationwide community science program by the Izaak Walton League of America with the goal of raising awareness and promoting advocacy around impacts resulting from road salt runoff, all while equipping volunteers with free test kits. Crowdsourced Salt Watch data is accessible to anyone and gives the user access to real-time chloride test results across the country.

Recommended Action: Receive briefing

11:00 A.M. 5. 2026 LEGISLATIVE PREVIEW - STATE

Lisa Ochsenhirt, AquaLaw

Ms. Ochsenhirt will go over upcoming developments and potential legislation at the state level in 2026, focusing on water, wastewater, and stormwater. *Note: The Maryland and Virginia legislative sessions both started on January 14th.*

Recommended Action: Receive briefing

11:30 A.M. 6. CHESAPEAKE BAY PROGRAM UPDATE

Marisa Baldine, Alliance for the Chesapeake Bay/Chesapeake Bay Program Office

Ms. Baldine will provide an update on the Chesapeake Bay Program after the signing of the new Watershed Agreement on December 2nd.

Recommended Action: Receive briefing

11:50 A.M. 7. MEMBER & STAFF UPDATES

COG members and COG Staff

- A. Members are encouraged to share updates and information
- B. General Updates: See document for additional updates and resources

12:00 P.M. 8. ADJOURNMENT

Chair Pompi

The next CBPC meeting will be Friday, March 20th, 2026