

# Chesapeake Bay Program's (CBP) Scientific and Technical Advisory Committee (STAC) Quarterly Meeting – December 18-19, 2019

Location: The Chesapeake Bay Environmental Center

Meeting Webpage: https://dev.chesapeake.org/stac/events/december-2019-stac-quarterly-meeting/

## Wednesday, December 18

#### Webinar Website: https://chesapeakeresearch.webex.com/chesapeakeresearch/onstage/g.php?MTID=e2bed843b78d1c6ea415a4d9d2dd1 13e5 Password: day1 Toll-Free Number: 1-877-668-4493 Access Code: 734 365 023 \*\*Exact Times Are Subject to Change\*\* 9:00 am Coffee & Light Breakfast (Provided) 9:30 am Call to Order, Announcements—Andy Miller (STAC Chair – UMBC) Introductions Approval Request: 0 September 2019 Quarterly Meeting Minutes 0 October 2019 Executive Board call minutes STAC Workshop Request for Proposals (RFP) for FY2020 0 Approved 2020 quarterly meeting dates: March 10-11 0 June 11 0 September 15-16 0 • December 18-19 New STAC Website—Annabelle Harvey (CRC) Member Announcements and Updates 9:45 am Recap of STAC September 2019 Quarterly Meeting—Andy Miller (UMBC) Miller will highlight important takeaways from the September 2019 meeting and provide an overview of today's meeting. 10:00 am Recap of Management Board Discussion on Irrigation BMP Expert Panel—Andy Miller (UMBC) 10:10 am **STAC Workshop Report-Out**— Zach Easton and Kurt Stephenson (VT) Increasing Effectiveness and Reducing the Cost of Non-Point Source Best Management Practice (BMP) Implementation: Is Targeting the Answer? 10:40 am **Recent analysis of Susquehanna observations**—Bob Hirsch (USGS) Hirsch will present findings on a recent trend of increasing orthophosphate loads (flow normalized) from the Conowingo Reservoir and his interest in identifying the source of this elevated dissolved phosphorous. 11:40 am STAC Scientific Gap Analysis (SGA): Workgroup Introduction — SGA Steering Committee Discuss scoping, framing, and draft report outline 12:10 pm Lunch (Provided) 1:00 pm STAC SGA: Watershed Workgroup—Zach Easton (VT) and Gary Shenk (EPA) Discuss issues identified by the watershed group 3:00 pm Break

3:15 pm	Watershed Discussion Continued—Zach Easton (VT) and Gary Shenk (EPA)
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4:00 pm Revisit Draft Outline/plans and Charge for Day 2

4:30 pm Recess

## Thursday, December 19th

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Toll-Free Number: 1-877-668-4493		Access Code: 738 916 360		
8:00 am	Coffee & Light Break	ast (Provided)		
8:30 am	Science Needs of the CBP – Emily Trentacoste (EPA), Gina Hunt (DNR), and Renee Thompson (USGS)			
	<ul> <li>Update from the Fish Habitat GIT</li> </ul>		8:30 am	
	Healthy Watershed Assessment		8:45 am	
	Aquatic Life	cohort	9:30 am	
10:30 am	STAC SGA Workgroup Discussion			
11:45 am	Wrap Up			
	STAC staff will summarize meeting action items and members will brainstorm topics for the March			
	2020 quarterly meeting. Thank you to Bill Ball, STAC Executive Secretary.			
12:00 pm	Lunch (Provided)			
1:00 pm	Meeting Adjourns			