



## **Sustainable Fisheries GIT Executive Committee Call**

April 19, 2021 1:00 -3:00pm

Video call link: <https://meet.google.com/mgb-hgfu-rqq>

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- **Introduction (Sean Corson & Marty Gary: 5 min)**
  - **Presentation: Plastic Pollution Action Team (Bob Murphy and Ryan Woodland: 30 min)**
    - The PPAT will present on their recently completed Ecological Risk Assessment of Microplastics in the Chesapeake Bay. This semi-quantitative assessment used striped bass, in different age classes and salinity regimes, as a biological endpoint.
  - **Oyster Restoration Updates in 2021 (Stephanie Westby or Jay Lazar (NOAA): 15 min)**
  - **Chesapeake Bay Stock Assessment Committee Spring Meeting (Mandy Bromilow: 5 min)**
  - **Status of Bay Telemetry Array (Kevin Schabow (NOAA), VMRC, MDNR: 10 min)**
    - We will discuss progress on the establishment of both bay bridge arrays.
  - **NCBO Seasonal Summaries (Bruce Vogt: 15 min)**
    - The NCBO team will be developing seasonal summary narratives using satellite and buoy data. Bruce will review likely buoy locations that have been selected.
    - We asked the ExComm to consider the following questions:
      - i. How might these seasonal summaries be useful to you and your constituents?
      - ii. Do the buoys that have been selected seem suitable?
      - iii. Should we include both PL and GR buoys or choose one? Which one? Are there management applications/reasons for choosing one over the other?
      - iv. Who should we target directly with these summaries (rec fishers, management council staff, industry)?
  - **Overview of Upcoming SRS Process (Justin Shapiro: 5 min)**
  - **Summer biannual meeting (Bruce & Justin: 5 min)**
    - A quick discussion to set a timeframe for our next full GIT membership meeting
  - **November American Fisheries Society Meeting in Baltimore (Bruce Vogt: 5 min)**
    - Bruce will discuss regional participation at this event

- **Bluebank Bay Reef Update (Marty Gary (PRFC) & Lynn Fegley (MDNR): 5 min)**
- **Member Updates (*15 min*)**