## **GIT Chairs and Leadership Quarterly Meeting**

December 1, 2021

Objective: Review the roll up of goal team input on Phase 7 model and CAST priorities, get an advance peek into the forthcoming Comprehensive Evaluation of System Response (CESR) report themes from STAC and advance ideas of how to ensure these efforts are aligned, and end with an open microphone opportunity for everyone to share thoughts, ideas, challenges and concerns.

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9:30 am Welcome and overview of agenda – Kristin Saunders

9:35 am Achieving water quality goals in the Chesapeake Bay: STAC's Comprehensive

Assessment of System Response (CESR) Science Needs - Denice Wardrop and Kurt

Stephenson

Overview of assessment and documented knowledge gaps

Recommended strategies for integrating scientific and technical analysis with adaptive

management to aid decision-making under uncertainty

\*we will hold questions and discussion until 10:20 am in the agenda so that both

presentations can be discussed in tandem

10:00 am What the Science Branch and Modeling Team heard from chairs, overview of what the

Phase 7 and CAST priorities are shaping up to be and the timing associated with

elements of the workplan – Lee McDonnell, Gary Shenk and Olivia Devereux

10:20 am Discussion, feedback, revelations

11:20 am Break

**11:30** am **Open microphone facilitated conversation** – Kristin Saunders

12:30 pm Adjourn

## Additional notes:

We say farewell to James Martin who has moved to a new job and will no longer be co-chairing Water Quality goal team and welcome Jeff Lerner who is the new chair of Healthy Watersheds goal team.