

Chesapeake Bay Program Hypoxia Collaborative Meeting #3

Tuesday, August 31 · 10:00am – 12:00pm Video call link: https://meet.google.com/opg-pibe-hnd Or dial: (US) +1 413-276-7832 PIN: 861 371 248#

Introduction (Peter Tango, USGS and Bruce Vogt, NCBO: 5 minutes)

Update on NCBO Deployment (Jay Lazar, NCBO: 10 minutes)

- At our previous meeting, the group selected CB4.3W as the second location to supplement CB4.3E
- NCBO will provide an update on scheduled deployment, permitting, and any other necessary actions

Actions in the Short Term (*Peter Tango, USGS and Bruce Vogt, NCBO: 30 minutes*)

- Establishing a proposed sampling design (to best gather information for PSC review)
 - Peter will provide a short update on conversations with other workgroups/teams surrounding sampling design
- Additional information needed for PSC review
 - As mentioned in previous meetings, this hypoxia "research to operation" plan is part of a larger monitoring review for the Principals' Staff Committee, providing recommendations on what monitoring is needed to close capacity and assessment gaps. We will discuss additional information needed for that report. (Peter Tango will share PSC review template)

Actions in the Long Term: Establishing a Timeline (*Peter Tango and Bruce Vogt,: 15 minutes*)

- Developing a QAQC plan
 - NCBO will coordinate with Durga Ghosh on a QAPP, operating under the EPA framework to ensure data can be used to the broadest extent possible.
- Cost estimates for operation and maintenance
 - NCBO will track costs of current deployment