

**CBP Water Quality Goal Implementation Team
Toxic Contaminants Workgroup
Meeting Agenda**

Date: Wednesday November 13th, 2019

Time: 1:00 - 3:00 PM

Location: Conference Call, Room 305 at CBPO

Call-in: 1-929-205-6099; **Code:** 217 196 432

Zoom Link: <https://zoom.us/j/217196432>

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Agenda Item and Desired Outcome	Time	Background Docs, Notes, and Action Items
<p>1. Introductions and Announcements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Approval of the October meeting minutes – Scott Phillips • PCB Consortium exploratory team formation – Greg Allen • Federal Remediation Technologies Roundtable (FRTR) is scheduled for today, November 13, 2019. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meeting topic: Synthesizing Evolving Conceptual Site Models (CSMs) with Applicable Remediation Technologies. • Updates from November 6th Habitat GIT presentation on microplastics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • STAC report: “Microplastics in the Chesapeake Bay and its Watershed: State of the Knowledge, Data Gaps and Relationship to Management Goals.” • MSN article: “Toxic PCBs linger in schools; EPA, lawmakers fail to act.” <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Millions of fluorescent light ballasts containing PCBs probably remain in schools and day care centers across the U.S. four decades after the chemicals were banned over concerns that they could cause cancer and other illnesses. Many older buildings also have caulk, ceiling tiles, floor adhesives and paint made with PCBs, which sometimes have been found at levels far higher than allowed by law.” 	1:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TCW members will send their comments / edits for the draft STAC report on Toxic Contaminants in Agriculture and Urban Settings to Scott Phillips (swphillips@usgs.gov). • Scott Phillips will present the Final STAC report to the TCW at the November meeting.
<p>1. Voluntary Phase-Out of Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs) in Current Use in the Chesapeake Bay Watershed– Jeff Cantin, ERG</p>	1:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation and report. • TCW strategy and workplan.
<p>2. Overview of STAC Microplastics Report – Bob Murphy, Tetra Tech</p>	2:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation
<p>3. Wrap Up and Adjourn</p>	2:50	<p>Next meeting: December 11th, 2019 from 1- 3 PM</p>