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**Chesapeake Bay Program
Watershed Technical Workgroup (WTWG)
Conference Call**
Thursday, April 7, 2022
10:00 AM to 12:00 PM
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Agenda

10:00 AM – Introductions and Announcements – Cassandra Davis, NYSDEC

- March Meeting Minutes available to review – Cassandra Davis, NYSDEC
- 2021 Progress Reminders – Vanessa Van Note, EPA
- First WQGIT Newsletter Released in March – Hilary Swartwood, CRC
- *Reminder:* Request from FFWG for jurisdictional BMP data – Cassandra Davis, NYSDEC
- *Looking Ahead:* Reviewing Scope and Purpose and the WTWG [orientation guide](#) – Vanessa Van Note, EPA and Cassandra Davis, NYSDEC
- Update on the Animal Mortality Technical Appendix – Jeremy Hanson, CRC
- Other announcements

10:30 AM – Reported BMP Excess – Jeff Sweeney, EPA- CBPO (45 minutes)

Jeff will present findings from a recent analysis of reported BMP excess (aka “cutoff”) focusing on any chronic issues among jurisdictions with particular BMPs and the accuracy of domains that BMPs are applied to.

11:15 AM – BMP Summary Report Suggestions – Cassandra Davis, NYSDEC and Vanessa Van Note, EPA (30 minutes)

Vanessa and Cassie will lead a discussion to clarify Narrow Buffers and present a suggestion to:

- Split out Land Retirement into Land Retirement to Open Space and Land Retirement to Pasture
- Create two separate categories for Barnyard Runoff Control and Loafing Lot Management

12:00 PM – Meeting Adjourn

Next Meeting: April 7, 2022 from 10:00 to 12:00 PM