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Chesapeake Bay Program
Watershed Technical Workgroup (WTWG)
Webex Chat Summary*
Thursday, October 7, 2021
10:00 AM to 12:00 PM
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**Chat messages were edited to provide clarity and correct grammatical errors. Messages that were irrelevant to preserving the questions and discussion below were removed (ex. reminding people to mute phones, letting participants know of call interference, etc.). There may be overlap between the chat and the WTWG Meeting Minutes. Refer the WTWG Meeting Minutes for more details and any Action and Decisions.*

WTWG WEBEX CHAT SUMMARY

from Olivia Devereux to everyone: 10:25 AM

September 1, 2021 – All data and methods approved ü

November 1, 2021 – CAST-21 Beta release

December 1, 2021 – Jurisdictional comments due

January 1, 2022 – Final CAST-21 release

from VVANNOTE to everyone: 10:32 AM

Bill, how long does it typically take to process and report the NRCS and FSA data?

from James Martin to everyone: 10:51 AM

Could this be tabled until after the annual progress? It will need to be final and approved before Sept. 1, 2023 to be included in CAST23.

from Lisa Beatty, PA DEP to everyone: 11:04 AM

I was tried to get clarification about the August Meeting minutes and my questions were cut off. Since the August and September WTWG meeting minutes were posted at 9am on 10/7/21 PA is not approving them today. There were several issues that were not captured in the both the August and September 2021 WTWG. You cannot expect us to do a thorough review of the minutes when you give us 2 hours to review the documents.

from Jeremy Hanson to everyone: 11:05 AM

https://www.chesapeakebay.net/what/event/animal_mortality_management_bmp_expert_panel_recommendations_roll_out_webin

^ roll out webinar for those interested in more

New email: hansonj@chesapeake.org

from James Martin to everyone: 11:10 AM

When was "Appendix V" first established?

from Swartwood Hilary to everyone: 11:16 AM

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Link to the Appendix:

https://www.chesapeakebay.net/channel_files/42042/appendix_v_protocols_for_verification_of_annual_bmp_data_submissions_v1.15.2020.pdf

from Olivia Devereux to everyone: 11:27 AM

@Bill K. Did I capture this correctly? CBP/EPA do two comparisons: (1) among/between years for a BMP in terms of CAST credited, and (2) change in new implementation per year. For no. 2, this is subtracting out the prior year where the BMP is cumulative.

from Lisa Beatty, PA DEP to everyone: 11:51 AM

The 2021 Progress Evaluation and Verification Assessment Schedule: that was referenced today and in September was never posted in September and October meeting materials. If we are discussing and "approving" this document's schedule then it should be posted and discussed in the November WTWG.

from Elizabeth Hoffman - MDA to everyone: 11:52 AM

I see, ok. Thanks!

from VVANNOTE to everyone: 11:52 AM

This document does not need approval. The grant guidance defines the key deadlines. Hilary, could you please post the progress schedule from September? Or I can forward the schedule to you and we can get it posted.

from Olivia Devereux to everyone: 11:54 AM

@Lisa, the schedule is posted on the August meeting site. It is named "2021 Progress Process and Schedule (pdf - 212.17 KB)"

from Swartwood Hilary to everyone: 11:55 AM

It is also now posted on the October meeting page, if that is easier. Here is the link:

https://www.chesapeakebay.net/channel_files/42042/2021_progress_evaluation_and_verification_assessment_schedule.pdf

from Lisa Beatty, PA DEP to everyone: 11:59 AM

@Olivia what was posted in August was a PPT not the white paper referenced today

from Olivia Devereux to everyone: 12:01 PM

Got it Lisa. Thanks for clarifying what you were looking for.