chesapeake bay and water resources
policy committee (CBPC)

Friday, November 15, 2024

10:00 A.M.-12:00 P.M.

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AgendA

10:00 A.M. 1. WELCOME & annoucements

Natali Fani-González, CBPC Chair

10:05 A.m. 2. MEETING SUMMARY approval

Chair Fani-González

Approval of draft summary of September 2024 Meeting

 Recommended Action: Approve draft meeting summary.

10:10 A.m. 3. Local Leadership Survey Findings and Figures

Rick Mittler, Alliance for the Chesapeake Bay

The Local Leadership Survey received 200 survey responses from across the watershed. The survey data will continue to help build on our understanding of the knowledge and capacity of local officials while allowing us to improve and enhance the training and information we provide so it best supports local governments.

Recommended Action: Receive briefing

10:30 A.M. 4. Federal lEGISLATIVE Update

Ryan Losak, Banner Public Affairs

Ryan Losak from Banner Public Affairs will provide a federal legislative update on the work Congress is trying to complete in the lame duck session before the end of the year, including appropriations, WRDA, and other relevant legislation. She will also provide a look ahead at what we can expect heading into a new year and new Congress in 2025.

Recommended Action: Receive briefing

10:50 A.M. 5. MD/VA General Assembly lEGISLATIVE Update

 Lisa Ochsenhirt, Aqua Law

Lisa will present on environmental topics that we may see in the upcoming 2025 Maryland and Virginia General Assembly, including legislation on drinking water, PFAS, and stream restoration. Lisa will also comment on the status of state and federal budgets and the potential impacts budget negotiations may have on legislative priorities. Lastly, Lisa will share recent information on Maryland and Virginia permitting efforts in both the stormwater and wastewater sectors.

Recommended Action: Receive briefing

11:20 a.m. 6. PLANning for 2025

Caitlin Bolton, COG staff

1. Review of COG’s Water Legislative Priorities
2. Calander of CBPC 2025 Meeting dates & Topics
3. Chair/Vice Chair nominations for 2025

Recommended Actions:

* Review calendar of CBPC meeting dates and note any major conflicts
* Provide input on 2025 Legislative Priorities for water

11:45 A.M. 6. member & STAFF UPDATES

 CBPC members and COG staff

1. Member updates
2. Water Resources General Updates (see document for additional updates, resources, and events)

12:00 p.m. 7. adjournment

 Chair Fani-González

The next CBPC meeting will be January 19, 2024