## Chesapeake Bay and Water Resources Policy Committee (CBPC) and

**Water Resources Technical Committee (WRTC)**

## Integrated Meeting & Event Schedule - 2018 *(as of 9/4/18)*

Unless otherwise noted, these committees meet bi-monthly at COG:

* **WRTC** - normally on **2nd Friday** **of month (10:00 to 12:00 pm)**
* **CBPC** - normally on **3rd Friday of month (10:00 am to 12:00 pm)**

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| **2018** | **Event & Key Areas of Focus** |
| **January 12** | **WRTC Webinar** |
|  | * CBP Midpoint Assessment Updates – Key Issues & Policy Recommendations |
|  | * CBP Watershed Model – Snapshot of New vs. Previous Output |
|  | * Water Quality - Planned Updates to Potomac Factsheet, & New Developments |
|  | * WRTC – Planning for 2018 |
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| **January 19** | **CBPC Meeting** |
|  | * Welcome New Chair/New Members |
|  | * Annual Regulatory & Legislative Overview (w/ partner organizations) – Issues & Potential Actions |
|  | * CBP Midpoint Assessment\* – Key Issues & Policy Recommendations |
|  | * CBPC - Planning for 2018 |
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| **February 7** | **CBPC Briefing for New Members** |
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| **March 9** | **WRTC Meeting** |
|  | * CBP Midpoint Assessment Update\* - Key Decisions, Next Steps & Schedule |
|  | * Water Quality: Coal Tar Sealants – Coord. Presentation w/ Anacostia Committee & Input to CBPC |
|  | * Regional Wastewater Flow Forecasts – Updates, Schedule & Expected Results |
|  | * Chain Bridge Water Quality Monitoring (briefing on current work, options & recommendations) |
|  | * WRTC Planning - future topics/work sessions (i.e., for July-Nov meetings) |
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| **March 16** | **CBPC Meeting** |
|  | * Anacostia Partnership – Year of the Anacostia and Anacostia Messaging |
|  | * Water Quality: Coal Tar Sealants – DOEE Briefing |
|  | * CBP Midpoint Assessment Update\* - Key Decisions, Next Steps & Schedule |
|  | * Outreach – Preparations for Water Week (April 15 – 21) & Chesapeake Bay Awareness Week (1st week of June 2018) |
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| **May 11** | **WRTC Meeting** |
|  | * CBP Midpoint Assessment Update - Key Decisions, Next Steps & Schedule |
|  | * RWQM FY19 Work Program & Budget - Overview |
|  | * Wastewater Developments: RWFFM Analysis & Regional GHG Analysis |
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| **May 18** | **CBPC Meeting/Tour of WSSC Treatment Plant & Reservoir** |
|  | * Drinking Water – Resiliency Study Presentation |
|  | * CBP Midpoint Assessment Update - Key Decisions, Next Steps & Schedule |
|  | * CBPC Outreach Activities |

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| **June 18** | **WRTC Work Session** |
|  | * COG-NVRC - Integrated Modeling and Monitoring Data for WIP Development   + Phase III WIP Development Status   + USGS – Non-tidal Monitoring for Potomac Basin   + UMCES – Trends in Potomac Estuary   + EPA/CBPO – Urban Watershed Storylines * Next Steps/Local Needs |
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| **July 13** | **WRTC Work Session** |
|  | * Chesapeake Bay Program Updates & Recommendations to CBPC |
|  | * Water Quality – Briefings by speakers/staff   + - * PCBs & Toxic Contaminants - CBP projects & collaboration ideas – Greg Allen, EPA/CPBO       * COG-NVRC Integrated Monitoring & Modeling Workshop Summary       * COG Chain Bridge Monitoring Program Update       * COG Region - Salts/Chlorides Efforts & Updates |
|  | * BPSA/RWFFM Flow Methodology Work & Related GHG Inventory Updates |
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| **July 27** | **CBPC Meeting (note change in date & early start – 9:30 am)** |
|  | * Tree Canopy Programs – Local & Regional Efforts   + Montgomery County Tree Canopy Management Program – Mo. Co. staff   + MWCGO Tree Canopy Management Strategy |
|  | * Chesapeake Bay Program Updates & Recommendations |
|  | * Planning for 8th Annual Bay & Water Quality Forum (Sept. 8th) – ID Key Bay and Local Water Quality Issues |
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| **September 14** | **WRTC Meeting** |
|  | * *CBP Overview - Status & Key Issues by State:*   + *Coming Year - Focus on WIP Development & Equity (Phase 3 & Conowingo)*   + *Planning Targets – Staff Assessment*   + *Modeling Updates – Climate Change (ref. Nov. work session)* |
|  | * *Water Quality – Overview of Potomac Trends……* |
|  | * *FY19 Planning* |
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| **September 21** | **CBPC Meeting & 8th Annual Bay & Water Quality Forum** (with EPA Region III, CBP Office, & state representatives) |
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| **October (TBD)** | **WRTC Work Session** *(Date & Speakers still TBD)* |
|  | * *Water Reuse – Status of Local Efforts, Challenges – WSSC, Loudoun Water, UOSA Speakers (Wastewater focus)* |
|  | * *WW GHG Inventory & Other Regional Survey Results* |
|  | * *Update re: Water-Related Climate, Flood Control Related Topics* |
| **November 9** | **WRTC Work Session** |
|  | * *CBP Watershed Model - Focus on Climate Change & Growth* |
|  | * *Update - Phase III WIP Development/ Status and Key Issues by State* |
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| **November 14** | **CBPC Chair Annual Briefing to COG Board** – CBPC Activities & Priorities |
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| **November 16** | **CBPC Meeting** |
|  | * *Agriculture and Water Quality: Bay and Local Programs* * *Salts/chlorides briefing* * *Tree Canopy Subcommittee update* * *Plans for Calendar Year 2019* |

**Regular Updates and Additional Proposed Areas of Focus/Potential Agenda Topics** (examples)

* **Chesapeake Bay Program’s Midpoint Assessment \***– regular updates/CBPC input actions timed to CBP decisions
* **Outreach & Advocacy** – regular updates on ongoing work & new initiatives
* **Local Water Quality Issues** – Various topics, work with WRTC with periodic updates & recommendations to CBPC
* **Water Infrastructure** / **Workforce Development / Water Jobs / Economics of Water**
* **Water Security / Drinking Water Quantity & Drought Management** – periodic updates on projects/studies/issues
* **Water-Related Climate Issues**- updates on studies/projects, & periodic Joint Meetings with CEEPC

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