



ANACOSTIA WATERSHED RESTORATION PARTNERSHIP MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Thursday, November 21, 2019
10:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Board Room
Metropolitan Washington Council of Governments
777 N. Capitol St., NE
Washington, DC 20002

TENTATIVE AGENDA

10:00 A.M. 1. **CALL TO ORDER, INTRODUCTIONS, APPROVAL OF MINUTES**
Kate Bennett, Montgomery County DEP (MCDEP)

10:05 A.M. 2. **DEVELOPMENT IN MICROBIAL SOURCE TRACKING (MST)**

WSSCWater MST UPDATE

Dr. Martin Chandler, WSSCWater

Dr. Chandler will provide an update to MST monitoring to characterize the bacterial human-source in the Anacostia watershed.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT (DOEE) MST PROJECT

Dr. Amir Sharifi, DOEE

Dr. Sharifi will provide a briefing on the recent DC effort to characterize the bacterial sources in the DC portion of the Anacostia Watershed waterways.

VIRGINIA TECH OCCOQUAN WATERSHED MONITORING LAB (OWML)

Dr. Dongmei Alvi

Dr. Alvi will provide brief overview of the digital polymerase chain reaction (dPCR) method and sample case study results.

Action: Receive briefing; Discussion on possible next steps

3. **ANACOSTIA WATERSHED COMMUNITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE (AWCAC)**

Trey Sherard, AWCAC Chair & Aubin Maynard, COG

Action: Receive briefing



4. TOXIC SOURCE TRACKING, TRASH AND MESSAGING WORKGROUPS UPDATES

Phong Trieu, COG

Mr. Trieu will provide workgroup updates.

Action: Receive briefing

5. ANACOSTIA RIVER UNDERWATER GRASSES

Underwater grass condition is a health indicator for the tidal river. DOEE Fisheries and the Virginia Institute of Marine Science (VIMS) have been tracking this information annually. COG and its partners are in development Recent annual results show a recovery and expansion of the underwater grasses in the tidal river.

Action: Receive briefing

12:30 P.M. 6. LUNCH

The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, February 20, 2020.

2019/2020 Tentative Meeting Schedule

Month	Steering Committee**	Management Committee**	AWCAC***
November		21 (Thursday)*	12 (Tuesday)
December	4 (Wednesday)*	--	--
2020			
January	--	--	14 (Tuesday)
February	--	20 (Thursday)	
March	27 (Wednesday)	--	10 (Tuesday)
April			
May			12 (Tuesday)
June	24 (Wednesday)	4 (Thursday)	

* Dates and times subject to change.

**Meetings held at MWCOG (777 North Capitol St, NE. Washington DC, 20002)

*** Meetings will move around the watershed