

June 26, 2020

**Memorandum #2020-78**

**TO: Regional Environmental Committee Members**

**BY: Whitney Katchmark, HRPDC Principal Water Resources Engineer**

**RE: Regional Environmental Committee Meeting – July 2, 2020**

The next meeting of the **HRPDC Regional Environmental Committee** will be held at **10:00 a.m. on Thursday, July 2, 2020**. The agenda and related materials are attached.

Pursuant to Governor Northam's Executive Order 53 issued on March 23, 2020 and Executive Order 61 issued on May 8, 2020, the Regional Environmental Committee meeting will be held electronically via Webex. Participants can join using the following information:

**Join by computer:** <https://pdc-tpo-staff.my.webex.com/pdc-tpo-staff.my/j.php?MTID=mc57274b73e6d847ccb7f77e50e451de>

-or-

**Join by phone:** +1-408-418-9388 United States Toll

**Meeting Number / Access Code:** 126 935 5892

**Password:** eQNCnCBv735 (37626228 from phones)

If you have any questions or need further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

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Attachments

**AGENDA  
MEETING OF THE  
HAMPTON ROADS REGIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITTEE  
JULY 2, 2020  
10:00 A.M.**

**1. Summary of the June 4, 2020 Meeting of the Hampton Roads Regional Environmental Committee (REC).**

The summary and attendance sheets of the above meeting are attached.

**Attachments:** 1A – June REC Meeting Summary  
1B – June REC Meeting Attendance

**ACTION:** Accept the Meeting Summary

**2. Public Comments**

**ACTION:** None required

**3. Bow Creek Stormwater Park**

The City of Virginia Beach is currently working on a project to convert the Bow Creek Golf Course to a park with stormwater storage and flood mitigation features. This project, when completed, will significantly improve stormwater management in several of the neighborhoods that experienced stormwater flooding during Hurricane Matthew, including Windsor Woods, Princess Anne Plaza, and The Lakes. The project is currently under design and is included in the city's FY21 Capital Improvements Program. Mr. Mike Mundy, Virginia Beach Stormwater Engineering Program Manager, will brief the Committee on the project.

**ACTION:** None required

**4. Living River Trust**

The Living River Trust is a local land conservancy and environmental organization working in Coastal Virginia. The Trust works with the Elizabeth River Project, DEQ, and the Norfolk District of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to help offset impacts to the Elizabeth River watershed through in-lieu fee mitigation. The Trust also functions as a local land trust for communities in the Elizabeth River watershed. Mr. John Harbin, Living River Trust Executive Director, will brief the Committee on the organization and its activities.

**ACTION:** None required

**5. Chesapeake Bay Preservation Act Comprehensive Planning Requirements**

The Virginia Administrative Code ([9VAC25-830-170](#)) requires local governments to periodically review and revise their comprehensive plans to comply with elements of the Chesapeake Bay Preservation Act (CBPA). Matt Smith, HRPDC Senior Regional Planner, will discuss best practices for addressing the CBPA comprehensive planning regulations.

**ACTION:** None required

**6. Other Matters**

**Regional Environmental Committee – Voting:**

**Chesapeake**

Barbara Brumbaugh

**James City**

Toni Small  
Michael Woolson

**Smithfield**

Wayne Griffin  
William Saunders

**Windsor**

Vacant  
Vacant

**Franklin/Southampton**

Donald E. Goodwin  
Beth Lewis

**Newport News**

Angela Hopkins  
Allison Watts

**Suffolk**

Erin Rountree

**York**

Anna Drake

**Gloucester**

Mike Hudgins  
Kevin Landry

**Norfolk**

Justin Shafer  
June Whitehurst

**Surry**

Vacant  
Vacant

**Hampton**

David Imburgia  
Greta Hawkins

**Poquoson**

Dannan O’Connell  
Ellen Roberts

**Virginia Beach**

Melanie Coffey  
Diana St. John

**Isle of Wight**

Kim Hummel  
Melissa Lindgren

**Portsmouth**

Meg Pittenger  
Thomas Quattlebaum

**Williamsburg**

Heather Markle  
Aaron Small

**Regional Environmental Committee – Non-Voting:**

**HRSD**

Jamie Mitchell  
Kevin M. Parker  
Jennifer Reitz

**NAVY**

Tara Fisher  
Brian Powell  
Phillip S. Winslow, Jr.

**SWCD**

Stacey Bradshaw  
Tara Outland-Williams  
Jim Wallace

**VDEQ**

Noah Hill  
John Kennedy

**VDOT**

Jennifer Dail  
Andrew B. Scott

**VDOF**

Bryant Bays  
Meghan Mulroy-Goldman

**USGS**

Mark Bennett

**NOAA**

Andrew Larkin

**James City**

Trevor Long

**Virginia Beach**

Shawn Fluharty