

Potomac Regional Water Resources Committee Conference Call

February 20, 2009
10:00am – 11:00am

Room Reserved at the
Adams County Conservation District
for Public to Dial-In

DRAFT Conference Call Summary

Committee Members Participating:

Charlie Bennett	Mark Mathews
Mark Bream	Pat Naugle
Mike Christopher	Brent Ramsey
Jeff Kloss	Bob Reichart
Ricky Leese	Bill Reichart
Don MacAskill	Vy Trinh

Committee Members Not Participating:

Phyllis Chant	Fran Koch
George Fisanich	Bill McLaughlin
Andrew Fitz	Russell McLucas
Robin Fitzpatrick	James Richenderfer
Joe Hoffman	

Others Participating:

Dave Jostenski, DEP
Leslie Sarvis, DEP
Andy Zemba, DEP
Bill Hanne, ACWRAC

Introductions

Charlie Bennett opened the conference call at 10:00am.

Finalize Draft November 21, 2008 Meeting Summary

The committee approved the Draft November 21, 2008 Meeting Summary with no changes.

Motion by: Don MacAskill

Seconded by: Ricky Leese

Comments from the Public

Bill Hanne introduced himself as Chair of the Adams County Water Resources Advisory Committee. He said that the committee is up and running and looking forward to working with the Potomac Committee.

DEP Summary of Activities

Leslie informed the group that Secretary Hanger signed the State Water Plan on Feb. 2, 2009. There will be a Ceremonial Event on March 26, 2009 with the location TBD. All committee members are invited to attend. More details will follow soon. Copies of the State Water Plan will be given to all committee members and to individuals who request a copy. Copies of the Atlas will be sent to additional stakeholders including conservation

districts, county governments, watershed and conservation groups, school districts and libraries.

Watershed Verification Update

Dave Jostenski said that he has mailed letters to water operators and additional stakeholders regarding the watersheds undergoing verification in the basin, and he has received some comments back. He is meeting with the Gettysburg Municipal Authority next week. The technical subcommittee will meet on April 2 to evaluate in greater detail the verification results. At its next meeting the full committee will discuss which watersheds should become CWPA nominations.

Follow-up/Next Steps

- Next meeting is May 15, 2009. **NOTE* The May 15 meeting was subsequently cancelled. The next meeting is scheduled for September 18, 2009.*