Phase 2 Chesapeake Watershed Implementation Plan (WIP) Schedule

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(DEP proposed schedule: Times New Roman font bullets)

- EPA distribution of the State Phase 2 WIP Guide to the Jurisdictions by March 31, 2011
 - April 21: WIP Management Team Meeting to discuss schedule and proposed approach for WIP development
- EPA distribution of the Federal Agency Phase 2 WIP Guide by April 30, 2011
- EPA distribution of the 2-Year Milestone Guide to the jurisdictions by May 9, 2011
- EPA completes two agreed-upon changes to Watershed Model, provides results of key scenarios run through the updated Watershed Model, and proposes nitrogen, phosphorus and sediment allocations for 19 state-basins by June 30, 2011.
 - July 1: WIP Management Team Meeting to discuss Phase 1 WIP results
- Based on jurisdictional review, EPA finalizes nitrogen, phosphorus and sediment allocations for 19 state-basins by August 1, 2011

PA DEP Schedule:

- o August September 15:
 - Run Phase 1 WIP Watershed Model input deck through revised Phase 5.3.2 model.
 - WIP Management Team Workgroups meetings to review revised WIP Watershed Model input deck.
 - Make necessary adjustments to WIP Watershed Model input deck to meet 2017 & 2025 allocations.
- August 3: Pennsylvania Pháse 2 Chesapeake WIP Summit
- August 10: EPA Scenario Builder & CAST Workshop at DEP RCSOB
- August 15, 1:30 2:45; County Commissioners Association of PA Annual Conference, Seven Springs Mountain Resort, Somerset County
- O September 15-30: TetraTech prepares County-level target reductions and BMPs through 2017.
- October 11 12: 2 Regional County Workshops
- October 18 19: 2 Regional County Workshops
- October 25 26: 2 Regional County Workshops
- o November 1 2: 2 Regional County Workshops
- November 3 December 15: DEP revises Watershed Input Deck and prepares Draft Phase 1 WIP Appendix to update revised allocations and tables; TetraTech prepares Draft Phase 2 WIP County Reduction Target Fact Sheets
- Preliminary 2012-2013 milestone commitments submitted to EPA for scenario analysis by November 1, 2011. Jurisdictions are encouraged to submit draft milestones before this date to evaluate Chesapeake Bay Watershed Model results.
- Draft Phase 2 WIPs submitted to EPA by December 15, 2011
 - o December 15 January 28: PA Public Comment Period (45 days)
 - o January: 4 Regional County Workshops
- 2012-2013 milestone commitments submitted to EPA by January 7, 2012
- Formal EPA comments on draft Phase 2 WIPs by February 15, 2012
 - February 15 March 29: Revise Phase 2 WIP to address public and EPA comments.
- Final Phase 2 WIPs submitted to EPA by March 30, 2012

Further details on the eight Regional County Workshops:

City in parentheses is proposed meeting site.

Workshop time: 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.

- October 11 Group 1: Lancaster (Lancaster), Chester, Berks, Lebanon, Dauphin
- October 12 Group 2: Cumberland (Carlisle) Franklin, Adams, York, Perry
- o October 18 Group 3: Luzerne (Wilkes-Barre), Schuylkill, Carbon, Lackawanna, Wayne
- October 19 Group 4: Bradford (Towanda), Susquehanna, Wyoming, Sullivan
- October 25 Group 5: Union (Lewisburg), OR Lycoming (Williamsport), Northumberland, Columbia, Montour, Snyder
- October 26 Group 6: Clinton (Lock Haven), Tioga, Potter, Cameron, Elk, McKean
- o November 1 Group 7: Clearfield (Clearfield), Centre, Mifflin, Cambria, Indiana, Jefferson

o November 2 - Group 8: Huntingdon (Huntingdon) OR Blair (Hollidaysburg), Juniata, Somerset, Bedford, Fulton

