

# VA TAC: NATURAL & NATURE BASED SOLUTIONS WORK GROUP



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Studies, Research, & Best Practices Subcommittee  
NNBF Work Group  
April 27, 2021

# WORK GROUP MEETING AGENDA

- **Introduction**
  - Roll Call
  - FOIA Motion
- **Discussion**
- **Public Comment**

# ROLL CALL

Presence	Name	Presence	Name
<input type="checkbox"/>	Dr. Carl Hershner	<input type="checkbox"/>	Dr. Karen McGlathery
<input type="checkbox"/>	Whitney Katchmark	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mary-Carson Stiff/William “Skip” Stiles
<input type="checkbox"/>	Dr. Mark Luckenbach	<input type="checkbox"/>	Carlos Rivero
<input type="checkbox"/>	Catherine C. McGhee	<input type="checkbox"/>	Dr. Robert S. Young
<input type="checkbox"/>	Robert Weiss		

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# DISCUSSION

- Expanding Group Name/Focus
- Deliverables Plan
- Deliverables Timeline
- Working Group Capacity/Support

# EXPANDING GROUP NAME/FOCUS

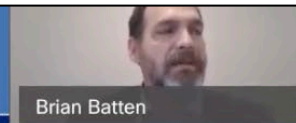
- Interest in expanding the NNBF group to include gray infrastructure or hard structural best practices?
- EO 24: “The plan shall employ natural and nature-based solutions to the maximum extent possible and provide guidance for land conservation efforts by identifying land providing resilience benefits along with other ecological services”

# DELIVERABLES PLAN

- Clarity from Dewberry on what kind of deliverable or support they need from our subcommittee?
- Recommendation from previous subcommittee meeting:  
Developing decision making framework for green v. gray projects – overdone?
- Developing a list of recommendations related to existing research and knowledge on NNBF and other adaptive solutions (needed statutory changes, policy adjustments, best practices, etc.)

# DELIVERABLES TIMELINE

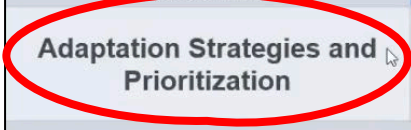
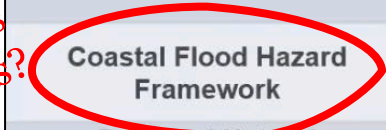
Study Plan									
PERIOD OF PERFORMANCE	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV
CMP Milestone (RFP)		Data Sources		Master Plan Analysis		Database	First Draft	Final Draft	
Study Conceptual Model		Draft Conceptual Model	Final Conceptual Model						
Coastal Flood Hazard Framework			Final Framework	Dynamic Modeling Concept					
Built and Natural Infrastructure Impact Assessment		Data Gathering	Impact Assessment	Summarization					
Adaptation Strategies and Prioritization			Draft Prioritization Framework	Final Prioritization Framework	Project Inventory/ Design Charettes	Prioritized Project List			
Funding Analysis					Database and Analysis		Final Alignments		
Master Plan Document		Initial Outline		50% Draft			Full Draft	Final Draft	Final Document
Outreach, Public Engagement	Stakeholder/Public Outreach and Engagement Will Be Sequenced Across the Study Period								



Brian Batten

*Recommendations for Policy changes?*

*Focus on prioritization & framework...*





# DELIVERABLES TIMELINE

- What makes sense?



# WORKING GROUP CAPACITY/SUPPORT

- Summer interns?
  - Rob
  - Others?

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# QUESTIONS?