

Guiding Principle:	Priority Input	Prioritized by:
Background: Schedule/Process		
	Provide clarification on the process and schedule	Modeling Workgroup
	The schedule must allow for time to review and comment on outcomes of revisions, methods and tools, and allow for adjustments in schedule if issues identified	Modeling Workgroup, Watershed Technical Workgroup
Principle 1: FOCUS ON IMPLEMENTATION AND STABLE TRACKING, REPORTING THROUGH 2017		
	Explain how to communicate the transition from one model version to another	Modeling Workgroup
	Jurisdictions could be using PS or NPS credits or offsets to achieve or maintain 2017 goal. With trading, practices from one sector could demonstrate progress toward meeting the WLA or LA of another sector. How account for this?	Trading and Offsets Workgroup
Principle 2: ENHANCE DECISION SUPPORT AND ASSESSMENT TOOLS TO ENABLE SUCCESSFUL ENGAGEMENT OF LOCAL PARTNERS		
	Improve representation of urban, agricultural, federal, and wetland land uses through local and other data sources	Land Use Workgroup, Modeling Workgroup, Urban Stormwater Workgroup, Watershed Technical Workgroup
	Investigate differential loading rates for expanded urban land use classes and wetlands	Land Use Workgroup, Modeling Workgroup, Urban Stormwater Workgroup
	Revisit Regional Factors	Modeling Workgroup, Watershed Technical Workgroup
	Review BMP interaction with surface flow and groundwater flow	Modeling Workgroup
	Simulate ag nutrient management as an efficiency and/or regional BMP	Modeling Workgroup
	Incorporate geographically specific targets from site scale models	Modeling Workgroup
	Assorted calibration issues related to calibration period, water quality data, etc.	Modeling Workgroup
	Various other suggested improvements to Watershed Model to simplify and increase transparency	Modeling Workgroup
	Improve the Model's depiction of hydrologic networks, sediment dynamics and stream erosion	Urban Stormwater Workgroup
	Greater capture of local impoundments and reservoirs	Urban Stormwater Workgroup
	Determine how to improve nutrient loading data from Non-Significant Facilities, especially Industrial Facilities	Wastewater Workgroup
	Standardize the methods used to calculate the net loads from industrial plants with river uptakes and defining the no-net-contribution dischargers	Wastewater Workgroup

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	Evaluate how biosolids that are land-applied are accounted for	Wastewater Workgroup
	Determine how to best to use local septic information to improve Bay model estimates	Wastewater Workgroup
	2. Develop methods for identifying/quantifying loads from commercial and residential onsite systems	Wastewater Workgroup
	Agree on methods to account for reduced septic loads due to upgrades, connections.	Wastewater Workgroup
	Conduct uncertainty analysis	Watershed Technical Workgroup
	Where local data is not available, the Chesapeake Bay Program should work to create finer scale, more accurate distributions of loads from both urban and agricultural lands	Watershed Technical Workgroup
Principle 3: INCORPORATE VERIFICATION OF PRACTICES INTO EXISTING ACCOUNTABILITY TOOLS AND REPORTING PROTOCOLS		
Principle 4: ADDRESS EMERGING ISSUES THAT MAY IMPACT CURRENT STRATEGIES AND FUTURE PLANS		
	Evaluate methods for developing future land use scenarios that are locally credible and consider basing the Phase III WIPs on a year 2025 land use	Land Use Workgroup
	Couple the James River chl modeling & monitoring study with the Bay water quality model	Modeling Workgroup
	Improve simulation of “problem” Bay segments	Modeling Workgroup
	Develop technical memoranda for trading and offset programs	Trading and Offsets Workgroup
	Determine effect on trading programs from delivery factors revised through current and emerging issues, like Susquehanna Dams	Trading and Offsets Workgroup
	Develop protocol, based on projected numbers for population growth, to estimate future offset demand	Trading and Offsets Workgroup
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	Agree on methodologies to reflect the expected variability in point source loads when reporting on progress	Wastewater Workgroup
	Simulations of phosphorus and sediment dynamics should be improved for all land uses	Watershed Technical Workgroup
Principle 5: PRIORITIZE MID-POINT ASSESSMENT ACTIONS AND ADAPTIVE MANAGEMENT TO ENSURE PHASE III WIPs MEET WATER QUALITY GOALS		
	Determine the criteria that would determine the need to move to a revised model in 2017	Modeling Workgroup

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	Address the practical issue of funding practices to implement the TMDL and engage the private sector in that effort	Trading and Offsets Workgroup
Potential New Principle 6: Address the practical issue of funding practices to implement the TMDL and engage the private sector in that effort		Trading and Offsets Workgroup
	Address affordability issues of septic upgrades	Wastewater Workgroup