



# CHESAPEAKE BAY COMMISSION

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## Agenda

### CHESAPEAKE BAY COMMISSION MEETING

Port Isobel Island  
Tangier, Virginia  
September 4-5, 2014

**GENERAL PUBLIC NOTICE – IF YOU PLAN TO ATTEND THE PUBLIC SESSIONS OF THIS MEETING YOU NEED TO CONTACT THE CHESAPEAKE BAY COMMISSION @ (410) 263-3420 FOR TRAVEL AND MEAL DETAILS.**

#### **Thursday, September 4**

#### **MEETING LOCATION**

Chesapeake Bay Foundation Port Isobel Island Education Center  
Tangier, Virginia

**11:00 A.M. WELCOME & CALL TO ORDER**  
Representative Ron Miller, Chair

#### **ROLL CALL**

**11:05 A.M. ADOPTION OF MINUTES**  
**ADOPTIONS/MODIFICATION OF AGENDA**  
**APPROVAL OF 2015 CBC MEETING LOCATIONS**  
**ORIENTATION TO THE DAY**

**11:15 A.M. ENVIRONMENTAL LITERACY—A Primer**  
Sarah Bodor  
Director of Education Outreach, Chesapeake Bay Foundation

**11:30 A.M. CRABS, OYSTERS & STRIPED BASS — Status and Management Actions**  
Bill Goldsborough  
Fisheries Program Director, Chesapeake Bay Foundation

**12:00 P.M. LUNCH**

**1:00 P.M. ASSEMBLE FOR AFTERNOON ACTIVITIES**  
Baker Hall

**1:15 P.M. FIELD ACTIVITIES**  
*Joined by fisheries managers, scientists and Bay Foundation senior staff, we will spend the afternoon on two Bay workboats collecting the three main Bay*

*indicators found in this part of the Bay by using the same harvesting tools the watermen use every day.*

**OYSTER DREDGING**

*Review of ecological importance and progress towards restoration goals*

**CRAB POTTING**

*Review of current harvest techniques*

**SAV SCRAPING**

*Review of ecological importance and function as indicators of achievement of Chesapeake Bay water quality goals*

**4:15 P.M. RETURN TO PORT ISOBEL & BREAK**

**4:45 P.M. FISHERIES ENFORCEMENT**

*Protecting Public and Private Investment*

John Bull, Commissioner of Marine Resources, Virginia Marine Resources Commission

Tom O'Connell, Fisheries Service Director, MD DNR

Martin Gary, Executive Secretary, Potomac River Fisheries Commission

Peyton Robertson, Director, NOAA Chesapeake Bay Program & Chairman of the Fisheries Goal Implementation Team

**5:45 P.M. DISCUSSION WITH TANGIER LEADERSHIP**

Ooker Eskridge, Tangier Island Mayor

**6:30 P.M. ADJORN TO DINNER**

**Friday, September 5**

**9:00 A.M. CHESAPEAKE BAY COMMISSION FY14 AUDIT REPORT**

Representative Ron Miller, Chair

**9:15 A.M. SUPPORTING THE NEW BAY AGREEMENT**

*Staying Our Course while Expanding Our Reach*

- *Phosphorus*
- *Verification*
- *Management Strategies*
- *Coordination with Headwater States*
- *Local Government/Legislative Leadership*

Facilitators: Ann Swanson, Executive Director, Chesapeake Bay Commission  
Kim Coble, Vice President, Chesapeake Bay Foundation

**11:00 A.M. ADJOURN**

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The next meeting of the Chesapeake Bay Commission  
will be held at Williamsport, PA on November 6-7, 2014.