

DRAFT AGENDA
Water Resources Adaptation to Climate Change Workgroup of the
Advisory Committee on Water Information
May 7, 2015: 1:00 – 2:30

Call in Numbers:

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I) Introductions and Agenda Review

II) Approval of Notes from Previous Meeting (see draft notes at http://acwi.gov/climate_wkg/index.html)

III) Presentation: USDA Climate Update; William Hohenstein, USDA

- Recent USDA Initiatives; <http://www.usda.gov/documents/climate-smart-fact-sheet.pdf>
- Development of USDA Regional HUBs; <http://climatehubs.oce.usda.gov/>

IV) Presentation: DRAFT Climate and Health Assessment; Allison Crimmins and Lesley Jantarasami; EPA Office of Air and Radiation

- Overview of Draft Report; <http://www.globalchange.gov/health-assessment>
- Focus on Waterborne Disease Chapter; <http://www.globalchange.gov/health-assessment>

V) Workgroup Business Items

- Posting final Federal Interagency Water Resources and Climate Change: *FY 14 Highlights and FY15 Workplan*
- Process for “Refresh” of *National Action Plan: Priorities for Managing Freshwater Resources in a Changing Climate*
- Update of ACWI Website Revision for Climate Workgroup
- Update Workgroup Membership
- Schedule and Organization for In-Person Meeting

VI) Round Robin Reports from Workgroup Members (a brief highlight of your organization's activities related to climate change and water)

- May 14 Webinar Summary from the National Adaptation Forum;
<http://www.nationaladaptationforum.org/other-adaptation-events/webinars/live-national-adaptation-forum>
- USGS Report: energy and Water Nexus; <http://pubs.usgs.gov/circ/1407/>
- President's Interview with *National Geographic* on Climate Change:
<http://news.nationalgeographic.com/2015/04/150423-barack-obama-environment-drilling-oil-science-oceans/>
- EPA; National Center for Environmental Economics; *Adaptation, Sea Level Rise, and Property Prices in the Chesapeake Bay Watershed*
[http://yosemite.epa.gov/EE/epa/eed.nsf/ffb05b5f4a2cf40985256d2d00740681/fc87ab19dcaede3e85257df0006fd457/\\$FILE/2015-02.pdf](http://yosemite.epa.gov/EE/epa/eed.nsf/ffb05b5f4a2cf40985256d2d00740681/fc87ab19dcaede3e85257df0006fd457/$FILE/2015-02.pdf)
- *Bioinvasions in a Changing World: A Resource on Invasive Species-Climate Change Interactions for Conservation and Natural Resource Management*; December 2014; Aquatic Nuisance Species Task Force (ANSTF) and National Invasive Species Council (NISC);
http://www.invasivespeciesinfo.gov/docs/toolkit/bioinvasions_in_a_changing_world.pdf
- Conference: Climate Science to Engineering Operations for Watershed Management: A CCAWWG Workshop for Scientists, Engineers, and Water Resource Managers
 - WHEN: 25-27 August 2015
 - WHERE: University of Washington, Fisheries Science Building, Seattle, WA
- AWRA Climate Change Adaptation Specialty Conference:
<http://awra.org/meetings/NewOrleans2015/>; Registration link:
<http://awra.org/meetings/NewOrleans2015/registration.html>
- Other brief highlights?

VIII) Adjourn

Next meeting will be Thursday, June 25, at 1:30 p.m. Eastern Time.