

# SCIENTIFIC & TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Meeting Agenda



**DATE & TIME:** October 20, 2023 -- 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** DNREC Lewes Field Facility 901 Pilottown Rd, Lewes, DE (Hybrid Meeting)  
**Zoom:** <https://udel.zoom.us/j/93505183899>; Passcode = science  
**Phone:** 1-646-876-9923; Meeting ID: 935 0518 3899

## **AGENDA ITEMS**

Call to order, Welcome, Introductions - *Doug Janiec, Vice-Chair*

*Announcements - Meghan Noe Fellows, CIB*

Center Staffing Updates

*Old Business*

**Environmental Monitoring Plan Update,** Meghan Noe Fellows , Center for the Inland Bays

- New Sub-committee

**RFP for Hydrodynamic Model Development,** Meghan Noe Fellows, CIB

**Update from the Wastewater Planning Subcommittee,** Bryanna Lisiewski, CIB

**Update from the Nearshore Impacts of Offshore Wind Subcommittee,** Mark Nardi, USGS

**Update on Habitat Plan -** Michelle/Bryanna

*New Business*

**New Member Presentations**

Chris Hauser

**State of the Bays Technical Report -** Marianne Walch

**Submerged Aquatic Vegetation in the Inland Bays**

**History of SAV studies in the Inland Bays** Brittany Haywood, Sea Grant

**Early restoration attempts in Inland Bays, Zostera** Mike Bott DNREC

**Freshwater SAV in Eastern Sussex Co** Kayla Clauson DNREC

**Inland Bays Grass Study 2023 (Widgeon grass) -** Taylor Hoffman

**Goals and Objectives of Joint PDE Session in 2024**

*Adjourn*

**Next Meeting:** February 9, 9:00am to 12:00pm, Hybrid - Dover or Lewes?

**Next Meeting CY24 Schedule:**

<b>STAC</b>
<b>9AM - 12PM</b>
<b>DNREC Lewes Facility OR TBD</b>
Friday, February 9, 2024
Friday, April 26, 2024
Friday, August 9, 2024
Friday, October 18, 2024