

Appendix One. Survey Questionnaire.

**A Survey for Participants in the Development of the Chesapeake Bay Program’s
Community Watershed Initiative Strategy Workgroup**

Please take a short time to answer the following questions and return the questionnaire in the enclosed stamped reply envelope.

For each of the following statements, please mark the box that best describes your knowledge of, and experience with, the Chesapeake Bay Program’s Community Watershed Initiative Strategy Workgroup.

1. Please indicate whether you represented any of the following agencies or groups in the Community Watershed Initiative Strategy Workgroup sessions, or whether you attended solely as a private citizen.

Federal agency	<input type="checkbox"/>	State agency	<input type="checkbox"/>	Local government	<input type="checkbox"/>
Environmental group	<input type="checkbox"/>	Business/Industry group	<input type="checkbox"/>	Civic group	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other group	<input type="checkbox"/>			Private citizen	<input type="checkbox"/>

2. Please indicate what you thought were the three most important issues with respect to the Chesapeake Bay watershed at the **start** of your participation in the Workgroup by ranking them with a 1, 2, and 3.

Watershed management	<input type="checkbox"/>	Water quality	<input type="checkbox"/>	Water quantity	<input type="checkbox"/>
Endangered species	<input type="checkbox"/>	Habitat protection	<input type="checkbox"/>	Pollution	<input type="checkbox"/>
Nonpoint source pollution	<input type="checkbox"/>	Nutrient overload	<input type="checkbox"/>	Natural beauty	<input type="checkbox"/>
Spiritual values in nature	<input type="checkbox"/>	Biological diversity	<input type="checkbox"/>	Ecosystem integrity	<input type="checkbox"/>
Intrinsic values in nature	<input type="checkbox"/>	Urban sprawl	<input type="checkbox"/>	Overpopulation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Recreational use	<input type="checkbox"/>	Agriculture practices	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other _____	<input type="checkbox"/>

3. To the best of your knowledge, which of the following groups participated in the Workgroup?

Federal agencies	<input type="checkbox"/>	State agencies	<input type="checkbox"/>	Local governments	<input type="checkbox"/>
Environmental groups	<input type="checkbox"/>	Civic groups	<input type="checkbox"/>	Business/industry	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other group	<input type="checkbox"/>			General public	<input type="checkbox"/>

4. How many Workgroup sessions did you attend?

1	2	3-4	5	More than 5
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with the following statements as they pertain to the discussions held during Workgroup sessions.

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Unsure	Agree	Strongly Agree
5. All participants had the opportunity to express their concerns during Workgroup sessions.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Participants’ concerns were discussed by the group.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Participants shared information among themselves.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

The following questions address the Workgroup’s ability to resolve issues.

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Unsure	Agree	Strongly Agree
8. One member of the Workgroup was responsible for making final decisions.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Some people had more influence than others.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Final decisions were made by a majority of the Workgroup participants reaching agreement.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Final decisions were made only when all Workgroup participants reached agreement.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12. The Workgroup was able to develop solutions to problems.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
13. All participants in the Workgroup sessions were committed to reaching solutions.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
14. The Workgroup discussed several possible solutions or alternatives.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
15. The Workgroup was a success.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

16. Please indicate what you thought were the three most important issues with respect to the Chesapeake Bay watershed at the **end** of your participation in the Workgroup by ranking them with a 1, 2, and 3.

Watershed management	<input type="checkbox"/>	Water quality	<input type="checkbox"/>	Water quantity	<input type="checkbox"/>
Endangered species	<input type="checkbox"/>	Habitat protection	<input type="checkbox"/>	Pollution	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Recreational use	<input type="checkbox"/>	Agriculture practices	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other _____	<input type="checkbox"/>

The following questions will help us determine the Workgroup's composition.

17. What is your sex? Male Female
18. What is your age? Under Over
25 25-40 41-60 60
19. How do you describe your race or ethnic group?
Asian African American Latino/Hispanic White Other
20. What is the highest level of education you have completed?
High School Some College College Graduate/Prof Degree
21. What is the total income of your household before taxes?
Less Than \$25,000 \$25,000 To 50,000 \$50,001 To 75,000 More Than \$75,000
22. How would you describe the location in which you live?
Rural Small Town Small City Large Suburban City

Would you be willing to be interviewed in person concerning your participation in the Workgroup? If yes, please indicate your name and telephone number.

Name: _____ Telephone: _____

Thank you for your cooperation.

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