

**EBTJV Subcommittee Meeting Agenda Items**  
*Wednesday - November 11, 2009*

**Conservation Strategy Habitat Subcommittee Meeting**

1. Review status of achieving short-term regional habitat goals.
2. Determine how the EBTJV will track project outcomes.
3. Determine the need for rangewide monitoring of long-term brook trout population trends at selected sites.
4. Determine the EBTJV's role in meeting NFHAP interim targets.
5. Discuss how to determine EBTJV success.
6. Review Project Scoring Criteria.
7. Discuss merging Mid-Atlantic and Southern Regional Workgroups.

**Data Subcommittee Meeting**

1. Review the status of implementing a centralized, web-based, data management system that permits all agencies with brook trout management responsibilities to contribute, store, and access data.
2. Determine the minimum data standards that will facilitate data sharing and reporting.
3. Develop guidelines for changing watershed classification designations.

**Outreach and Education Subcommittee**

1. Review status of outreach and education plan and develop timeline for completion.
2. Review the status of assessing partner needs for outreach/education material.
3. Discuss development of EBT Best Management Practices that address key habitat threats.

**Science and Research Subcommittee**

1. Review the status of developing a research plan that identifies key brook trout research needs and establishes priorities for research funding.
2. Create a clearinghouse for current research projects.
3. Develop a list of restoration case studies.
4. Define what a monitoring protocol should include.
5. Establish relationships between fish and habitat conditions, including human impacts and their variation at different scales.
6. Evaluate brook trout status assessment and predictive model.
7. Standardize sample design, methodology and monitoring for data analysis.
8. Identify the cumulative effects of threat impacts to brook trout.
9. Evaluate the socioeconomic value of brook trout habitat.

**Grants and Development Subcommittee**

1. Review status of the EBTJV-FHP Foundation agreement with VA Tech and CMI
2. Develop a process for allocating EBTJV-FHP Foundation funds.
3. Discuss fund raising activities.
4. Develop a master list of fish habitat-related funding sources.