



Eastern Brook Trout
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A Fish Habitat Partnership

**EBTJV Meeting Agenda
September 28-30, 2015**

Monday (9/28)

- 9:00 – 9:30 a.m. Welcome/Introductions/Meeting Overview (Doug Besler)
- 9:30 – 10:30 a.m. EBTJV Catchment Assessment Results (Jason Coombs/Mark Hudy)
- 10:30 – 10:45 a.m. Break
- 10:45 – 11:15 a.m. Chesapeake Bay Brook Trout Management Strategy (Steve Perry)
- 11:15 – 12:15 p.m. Interactive Catchment Explorer (Ben Letcher)
- 12:15 – 1:15 p.m. Lunch
- 1:15 – 2:15 p.m. Decision Support Tool for the Chesapeake Bay (Jason Clingerman)
- 2:15 – 3:15 p.m. Eastern Brook Trout Conservation Portfolio Analysis (Amy Haak)
- 3:15 – 3:30 p.m. Break
- 3:30 – 5:00 p.m. Address Tasks 1 and 2

Tuesday (9/29)

- 8:30 – 10:00 a.m. Address Task 3
- 10:00 – 10:15 a.m. Break
- 10:15 – 12:00 p.m. Address Task 4
- 12:00 – 1:00 p.m. Lunch
- 1:00 – 2:30 p.m. Address Task 5
- 2:30 – 2:45 p.m. Break
- 2:45 – 4:00 p.m. Address Task 6
- 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. EBTJV Steering Committee Meeting

Wednesday (9/30)

8:30 – 10:00 a.m. Address Tasks 7 and 8

10:00 – 10:15 a.m. Break

10:15 – 11:00 a.m. Meeting Wrap-Up

Meeting Tasks:

1. Review the priorities and objectives in the EBTJV's Brook Trout [Conservation Strategy](#) and [Business Plan](#) for continued relevance.
2. Review the relevance of using the [sub-watershed prioritization process](#) at the catchment scale.
3. Use catchment assessment finding to revise/modify the EBTJV's state/regional/range-wide Brook Trout habitat objectives.
4. Determine the processes being used to monitor and evaluate Brook Trout population responses (including increases in recreational fishing opportunities) to EBTJV-related conservation actions.
5. Develop a range-wide [protocol for monitoring](#) Brook Trout population trends.
6. Review the [data management and research strategies](#) and revise the strategies if necessary.
7. Identify and describe the ways the EBTJV is facilitating the transfer of Brook Trout management technologies among its partners.
8. Incorporate the catchment scale assessment methods and summary of results into the Conservation Strategy.