

**Maryland Commission on Climate Change**  
**Steering Committee**  
October 25, 2018, 10:00 am

**Notes in Blue**

**1. Welcome & Introductions** Ben Grumbles, Tad Aburn, Brian Hug, Nancy Kopp, Susanne Brogan, Susan Payne, Dave Nemazie, Earl Lewis, Jason Dubow, Luke Wisniewski, Jess Herpel, Hannah Brubach, Lisa Nissley

By phone: Anne Lindner, Matt Flemming, Kim Hernandez, David Costello for Stuart Clarke, Colleen Turner, Dorothy Morrison

**2. 2018 MCCC Report**

The Steering Committee walked through the draft report and made edits in line with the discussion at the previous MCCC Meeting, which took place on 10/23. These changes will be reflected in the next version of the report shared for review with the full Commission for our November meeting. Highlights include:

- Changes made before the meeting:
  1. Copy-edit/review changes
  2. Suggestions shared with MDE by email that reflect minor corrections/comments from various commission members
  3. Additional language on the modeling being done for the GGRA
  4. Addition to recommendation 1 based on MCCC meeting
  5. Additional information for the STWG appendix
  6. Edit from 10/23 MCCC (remove "slightly") on first page
- It was suggested that the Executive Summary concentrate on tying the entire report together and reflect the urgent need for action; also the amount of work done through the working group process.
- Updated information needed for Transportation information (page 33)
- Updated information needed for Adaptation information (page 34)
- Suggested we add how the Commission will be able to use the modeling results (page 38)
- Updated information is needed regarding nutrient trading (page 39-40)
- Update to first recommendation - rephrased and clarified; split into two bullets

The Steering Committee agreed that MDE will make edits. Certain information is due to MDE staff from other agencies, to make sure we have the most up to date information.

**MCCC Steering Committee Meetings take place on the fourth Thursday of each month at 10:00am.**