Science Work Group Agenda

March 27, 2012
9:00 AM – 12:00 PM
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9:00  Introductions

9:10  Updates - members are encouraged to provide updates on projects of interest

9:20  Background on Estuary Partnership’s Ecosystem Monitoring Program and Need for Estuarine Indicator System - Jina Sagar, Estuary Partnership

9:45  Update to Index Process and Incorporation of Biological Condition Gradient – Catherine Corbett, Estuary Partnership

10:15 Overview of Biological Condition Gradient in Streams and Expansion into Estuaries – Susan Jackson, Giancarlo Cicchetti and/or Jeroen Gerritsen
  • Examples in other estuaries (Tampa Bay, Narragansett Bay)

12:00 Adjourn

Upcoming Science Work Group Meetings:
  • April 24, 2012 – Progress update on AFEP projects with recommendations on future research
  • June 26, 2012 – DRAFT Synthesis Memorandum of RME findings by NMFS and PNNL for USACE
  • July 24, 2012 - Paddling Trip