



Science Work Group Agenda

**January 24, 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 Progress in Refining its design - Jina Sagar, Estuary Partnership

- Steps in designing a monitoring program
- Evaluation guidelines for ecological indicators

9:45 Revised Actions and Questions - Catherine Corbett, Estuary Partnership

Discussion:

- Did we address comments and suggestions for Actions and Questions from October meeting?

10:15 Draft Indicators for Estuary Indicator System - Catherine Corbett, Estuary Partnership
Discussion:

- Do the draft indicators reflect the listed questions?
- Are the draft indicators complete? Are there other suggestions for good indicators?
- Themes for April workshop
- Next steps

12:00 Adjourn

Upcoming Science Work Group Meetings:

- March 27, 2012 – Monitoring focus
- April 24, 2012 – Progress update on AFEP projects with recommendations on future research