

Meeting of the SAB Committee on Valuing the Protection of Ecological Systems and Services (CVPESS)
Draft Agenda – May 9-10, 2006
Woodies Building, 1025 F Street, N.W., SAB Large Conference Room, Room 3705
Washington, DC 20004

The purpose of the meeting is for the SAB C-VPES to discuss a draft advisory report calling for expanded and integrated approach for valuing the protection of ecological systems and services. The Committee will also discuss initial work on application of methods for valuing the protection of ecological systems and services.

All of these activities are related to the Committee's overall charge: to assess Agency needs and the state of the art and science of valuing protection of ecological systems and services, and then to identify key areas for improving knowledge, methodologies, practice, and research.

May 9, 2006

9:00 - 9:10	Welcome	Dr. Angela Nugent, EPA, SABSO Dr. Vanessa Vu, EPA, SABSO
9:10 - 9:15	Introduction of members and review of agenda	Dr. Barton H. (Buzz) Thompson, Jr., Chair Dr. Kathleen Segerson, Vice Chair
9:15 – 9:30	Public Comment	
9:30 - 9:45	Report on Committee Review of C-VPES draft document, <i>Valuing the Protection of Ecological Systems and Services: An Expanded and Integrated Approach</i>	Dr. Kathleen Segerson
9:45 – 10:15	Presentation from subcommittee focusing on valuation for national rule making	Dr. A. Myrick Freeman Dr. Harold Mooney
10:15 – 10:30	Agency Comment	TBD
10:30 – 10:45	Break	
10:45 – 12:00	Committee Discussion	

12:00 – 1:00	Lunch	
1:00 – 2:00	Continued Committee Discussion on valuation for national rulemaking	
2:00 – 2:30	Presentation from subcommittee focusing on valuation for regional decision making	Dr. Stephen Polasky Dr. Ann Bostrom
2:30 – 2:45	Agency Comment	TBD
2:45 – 3:30	Committee Discussion	
3:30 - 3:45	Break	
3:45 – 5:00	Continued discussion of valuation for regional decision-making	Committee discussion
5:00 - 5:30	Summary and discussion of agenda for May 10	Dr. Barton H. (Buzz) Thompson, Jr.
5:30	Adjourn	

May 10, 2006

8:30 - 8:35	Opening of Meeting	Dr. Angela Nugent, EPA, SABSO
8:35 - 9:05	Presentation from subcommittee focusing on valuation for local decision making	Dr. Gregory Biddinger Dr. Geoffrey Heal
9:05 - 9:20	Agency Comment	Mr. David S. Nicholas Office of Solid Waste and Emergency Response
9:20 - 10:30	Committee Discussion	
10:15 - 10:30	Break	
10:30 - 11:15	Continued discussion of valuation for local decision making	
11:15 - 12:00	Discussion of next steps related to Subcommittee work and development of the C-VPES Applications Report	
12:00 - 1:00	Lunch	
1:00 - 2:00	Discussion of development of C-VPES Methods Report	Dr. Barton H. (Buzz) Thompson, Jr. Committee discussion
2:30 - 3:00	Discussion of next steps related to the Methods Report	Dr. Barton H. (Buzz) Thompson, Jr. Committee discussion
3:00	Adjourn	