

**U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY  
SCIENCE ADVISORY BOARD**

**Environmental Economics Advisory Committee  
Augmented to Consider the Value of Water in the U.S. Economy  
Public Teleconference – December 5, 2011**

**12:30 – 5:00 PM**

**AGENDA**

**Purpose:** To provide a consultation and early advice to assist the EPA to scope, plan and develop a report on water's contribution to the U.S. economy. The report will consider economic sectors, research on the value of water in the U.S. from market consumption, and present cost and pricing information that is critical to support water resource decision-making.

**Monday, December 5, 2011**

12:30 PM	<b>Convene Meeting and Call Roll</b>	Mr. Thomas Carpenter <i>Designated Federal Officer EPA SAB Staff Office</i>
12:35 PM	<b>Purpose of Meeting and Review of Agenda</b>	Dr. Stephen Polasky <i>Chair</i>
12:45 PM	<b>EPA Remarks and Project Overview</b>	Dr. Michael Shapiro, <i>Deputy Assistant Administrator, U.S. EPA, Office of Water</i>
		Dr. John Powers, <i>Water Policy Staff U.S. EPA, Office of Water</i>
1:10 PM	<b>Public Comments</b>	Registered Speaker Mr. Don Parrish, <i>Waters Advocacy Coalition</i>
1:15 PM	<b>Discussion of Background Report Framework and Approach</b>	Dr. Polasky and Committee Members
2:50 PM	<b>Discussion of Potential Expert Papers Topics</b>	Dr. Polasky and Committee Members
4:20 PM	<b>Discussion of Strengths and Weaknesses of the Approach to the Project</b>	Dr. Polasky and Committee Members
4:45 PM	<b>Summary of Next Steps</b>	Dr. Polasky
5:00 PM	<b>Adjourn the Teleconference</b>	The DFO