

**MEETING OF THE
ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON WATER INFORMATION'S (ACWI)
SUBCOMMITTEE ON HYDROLOGY (SOH)**

**12:00 p.m. – 3:00 pm, Eastern Time
Monday October 15, 2012**

Location: U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) South Building
Room S208 (in the Sub-Basement)
1400 Independence Ave SW, Washington, DC 20250
(Please see Page 2 for Directions and USDA Visitor Requirements)

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TENTATIVE AGENDA

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| 1. Welcome and Introductions | Richard Raione |
| 2. Review and Approval of Agenda | Richard Raione |
| 3. Approval of the Recap from July 2012 Meeting | Richard Raione |
| 4. Status of Action Items from July 2012 Meeting (See page 3) | Richard Raione |
| 5. Presentation #1: Army Water Boot Print | Francis Reilly |
| 6. Presentation #2: Challenges in Determining the Probable Maximum Precipitation | Ed Tomlinson |
| 7. Review of Work Group Reports and Q&A | |
| a) Hydrologic and Hydraulic GIS Applications Work Group | William Merkel |
| b) Extreme Storms Work Group | Tom Nicholson |
| c) Hydrologic Frequency Analysis Work Group | Will Thomas |
| d) Hydrologic Modeling Work Group | Chandra Pathak |
| e) Satellite Telemetry Interagency Work Group | Bonnie Wyatt |
| 8. Standard Procedures for Invited Guests | Claudia Hoeft |
| 9. Current Events within Hydrologic Communities | All |
| 10. Announcements and Q&A on Business Reports from Member Organizations | All |
| a) Business Reports | |
| b) "The SOH CONNECTIONS" Newsletter Editor's Announcements | |
| c) January 2013 Probabilistic Flood Hazard Assessment Workshop | Tom Nicholson |
| d) Other? | |
| 11. Review New Action Items | Richard Raione |
| 12. Plans for Next Meeting | Richard Raione |
| a) Monday, January 17, 2013 from noon to 3:00 pm EST | |
| b) Review Suggestions | |

DIRECTIONS
USDA – South Agriculture Building
WASC Conference Room – S208 (Sub-Basement)
1400 Independence Ave SW, Washington, DC 20250

1. Take the Metro (Blue or Orange line) to the Smithsonian Station and proceed through the Independence Avenue exit.
2. Enter South Ag Building through the 1st wing entrance (right by the Smithsonian Metro entrance) at the corner of 12th & Independence Ave, SW.
3. Please inform the Security Guard that you are attending the ACWI SOH Meeting and that the USDA host is Claudia Hoeft (202-641-6347). Show your Government Issued Badge/State-Issued Driver's License and comply with the Guard's Security Procedures, as you may be requested to pass through the metal detector and register your portable computer
4. After Security Check-in, Claudia and a group of ACWI SOH members will be at this main entrance about 11:45 a.m. to accompany anyone who needs help in getting to the room as the directions are a bit confusing. If you arrive early/late and the guard will allow you to proceed on your own, please follow the following directions to the meeting room.
5. Take the first wing elevators DOWN one floor to the Basement (B) level.
6. Turn LEFT when exiting the elevators and proceed along the Independence Avenue (north) side of the building (*you'll be able to see outside*) to the west until you get to either: (a) a set of escalators on the right or (b) Wing 3 on the left.
 - (a). *If near the escalator*, take the escalator DOWN one level and turn left. Proceed straight down the hall, past the vending machines, and through a door marked as a handicapped entrance into a ceramic tiled hallway.
 - (b). *If near Wing 3*, turn left at the 3rd wing. Third wing elevators are on the right, stairs are on the left. Turn left into the stairs and go DOWN one floor. (You must take the stairs. These elevators do not go down to the sub-basement.) At the bottom of the stairs, proceed straight ahead into a ceramic tiled hallway.
7. Once, you enter the ceramic tiled hallway, turn left, and proceed directly straight ahead through a set of double doors at the end of the hallway.
8. After passing through the double doors, turn right and proceed to the first room on the left (S208).
9. Turn left and proceed straight to the end of the hallway. The conference room is on the left.

OTHER NOTES

- Please try to arrive at USDA Main Entrance around 1130AM to 1145AM to check through security.
- The room is located in a working office environment. Please do not loiter in the hallways. You are also reminded to keep noise level to a minimum and close the door if it gets loud.
- No food or drinks are allowed in the room (the kitchen next to the room is for WASC employees use only).

PRIOR ACTIONS AND STATUS

Actions	Status	Due Date
Work Group chairs: Provide Workgroup reports to Richard and Victor for posting onto ACWI SOH Website.	Completed	August 15th
Michael Eberle: Provide meeting presentation to Richard and Victor for posting onto ACWI SOH Website.	Completed	August 15th
Robert Mason: Provide weblink to USBR site with references to B17B.	Completed. See Will Thomas slides from April 19 th ACWI SOH Meeting.	August 15th
Victor Hom: Work with NWS to discuss repository and archiving of storm analyses.	Completed – Data Analyses for Storm Reports are being prepped to be archived at the National Archives Center	August 15th
Victor Hom: Provide Tom Nicholson and ESWG link to NWS Service Assessments and cite the assessment which mentions Extreme Storms.	Completed. Email sent	August 15th
Tom Nicholson and Victor Hom: Make plans to present an overview of ACWI SOH and ESWG activities to ICODS.	Victor invited James Demby, FEMA NDSP and ICODs led to October 15 th ACWI SOH Meeting, October 11 th ICODs meeting had pre-planned high level activities.	August 15th
William Merkel: Provide link to Spatial Workgroup presentation.	Completed – Received and Posted.	August 15th
All members: Provide comments to William Merkel on Draft Report for Hydrologic and Hydraulics GIS Applications Workgroup.	Ongoing	August 15th
All members: Provide NRC name and agency POC who would like to sponsor NRC workshop for January 2013.	Ongoing	September 5th
All members: Provide comments to Claudia on Guest Procedures	Ongoing, procedures may differ at hosting	September 28

	agency, as such coordination with ACWI Chair/Vice-Chair are still required	
All members: Provide suggestions to Claudia on Conference themes for the SEDHYM 2014 Conference	-	September 28
All members: Submit newsletter articles to ACWI SOH editors: Joe Giacinto and Peter Chaput.	Ongoing	As received
Richard Raione: Arrange for guest speaker	Completed- . Two speakers for October 2012	August 13
Claudia Hoeft: Work with Victor to finalize guest procedures and post onto website	Ongoing	September 14
All members: Submit current events and business reports on FY12Q4 activities to Richard and Victor in preparation for October meeting.	Ongoing, NHWC provided info.	September 28
Work Group chairs: Send Work Group status reports to Richard and Victor in preparation for October meeting.	-	September 28

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