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# Statewide Water Resources Committee

Skype

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Join by phone: 267-332-8737 Conference ID: 231874091

August 19, 2020

9:00am

# DEP Team

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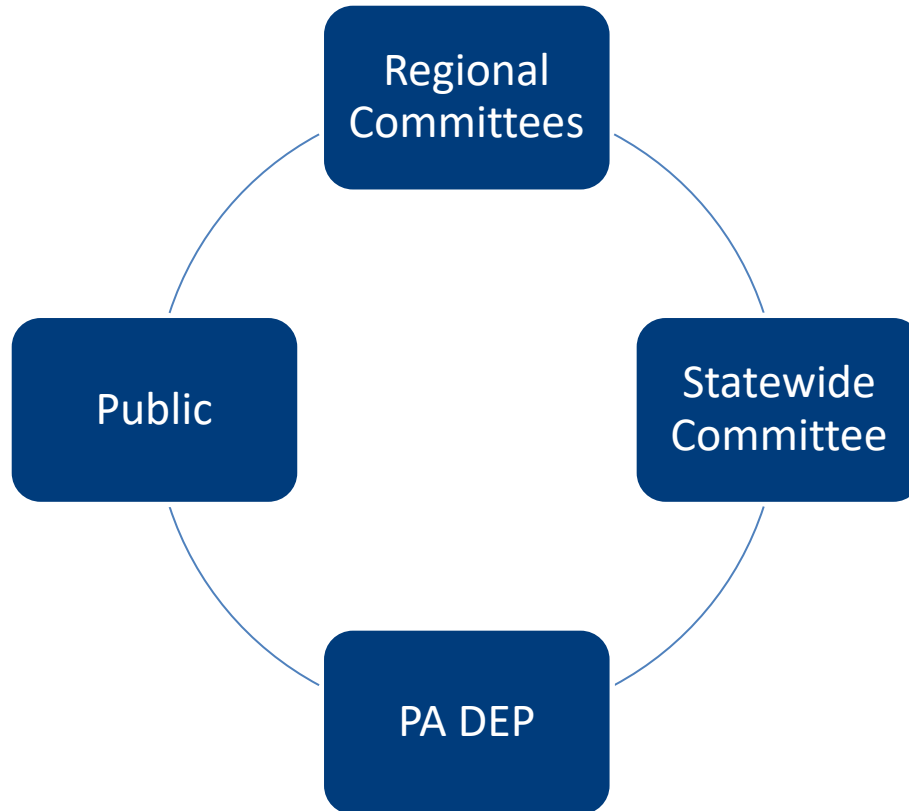
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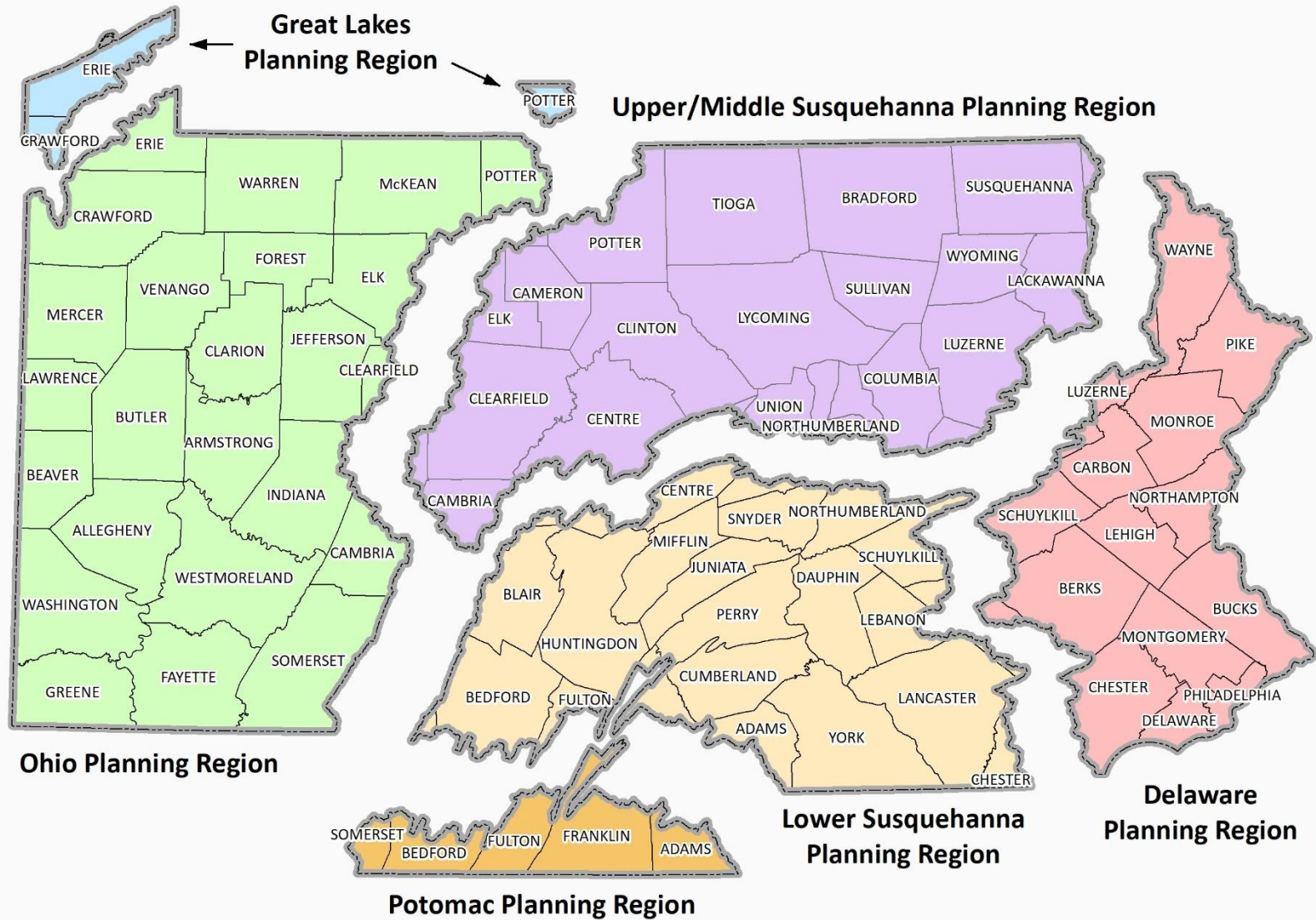
# Agenda

- 9:00 Welcome and Introductions
- 9:15 Brief on State Water Plan Update and Committee workplan
- 9:30 Committee administrative items
- Review of Bylaws
  - Election of Chair and Vice Chair
  - Public Comment
- 10:00 Workplan for review of Statewide Components
- 11:00 Regional Committee Updates
- 11:50 Next Steps and Future Meeting Schedule
- 12:00 Adjourn

# Roles and Responsibilities



# Water Planning Regions



# SWP Update and Workplan

## Primary Objectives/Deliverables

- A reviewed and updated State Water Plan
- Approved and adopted Critical Area Resource Plans (CARPs) in Potomac and Ohio planning areas
- Enhanced web-based applications and tools
- 2018 Governor's Climate Action Plan

# SWP Update and Workplan

## Secondary Objectives/Deliverables

- A long-term work and funding model
- Legislative, regulatory, policy, or programmatic changes

# Two Year Workplan

Regional and  
Statewide  
Meetings, public  
input

- Q1-Q4 2020

Public meetings,  
regional  
components  
drafted

- Q1-Q2 2021

Public Review,  
recommendations,  
approvals

- Q3-Q4 2021
- Q1-Q2 2022





# SWP Update and Workplan

Items that will not be worked on

- Conducting inventories of sources
- Performing water availability assessments
- Availability projections
- Availability screening
- Evaluating watershed for Critical Water Planning Area (CWPA) status
- Studies of CWPA Candidates
- Establishing subcommittees

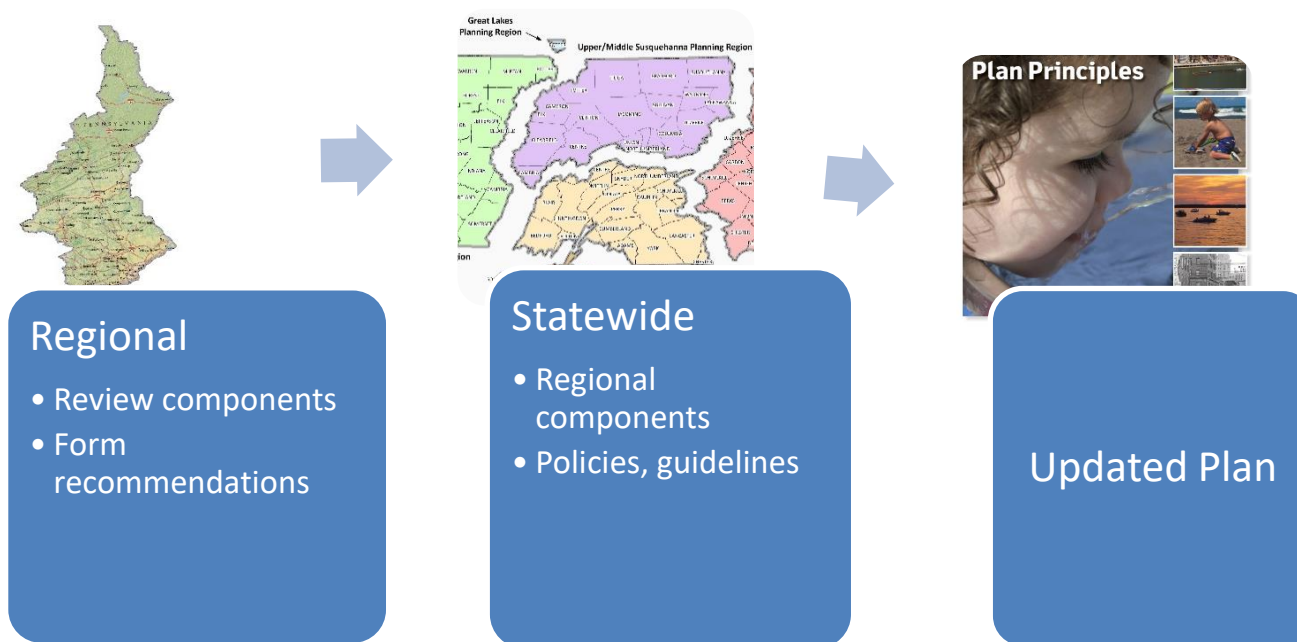
These items may fall under a future long-term work plan

# Administrative Items

- Review of Bylaws
- Election of Chair and Vice Chair
- Public Comment

# Statewide Components

- Objective to review and update overall State Water Plan



# Review Statewide Priorities

Relevancy

Changes

New  
Priorities

Revised  
Priorities  
and Action  
agendas

# Document Accomplishments

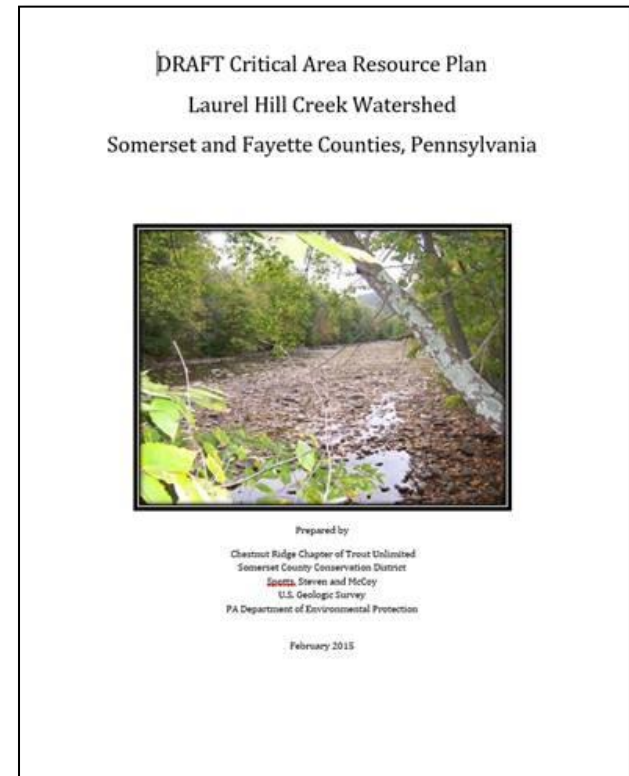
Document accomplished work related to Regional Priorities provided in previous Plan Update

- Internal DEP actions – regulation changes/amendments, new programs, studies
- What others have done – Federal, State, regional and local
- Actions already proposed

# Complete CARPs

## Laurel Hill Creek and Back Creek CARPs

- Brief history/status
- Potential workplan for completion
- Availability of draft
- Next steps



# Complete CARPs

## Marsh Creek/Rock Creek CARPs

- Brief history/status
- Potential workplan for completion
- Availability of draft
- Next steps

DRAFT **Pilot** Critical Area Resource Plan  
Marsh and Rock Creek Watersheds  
Adams County, Pennsylvania



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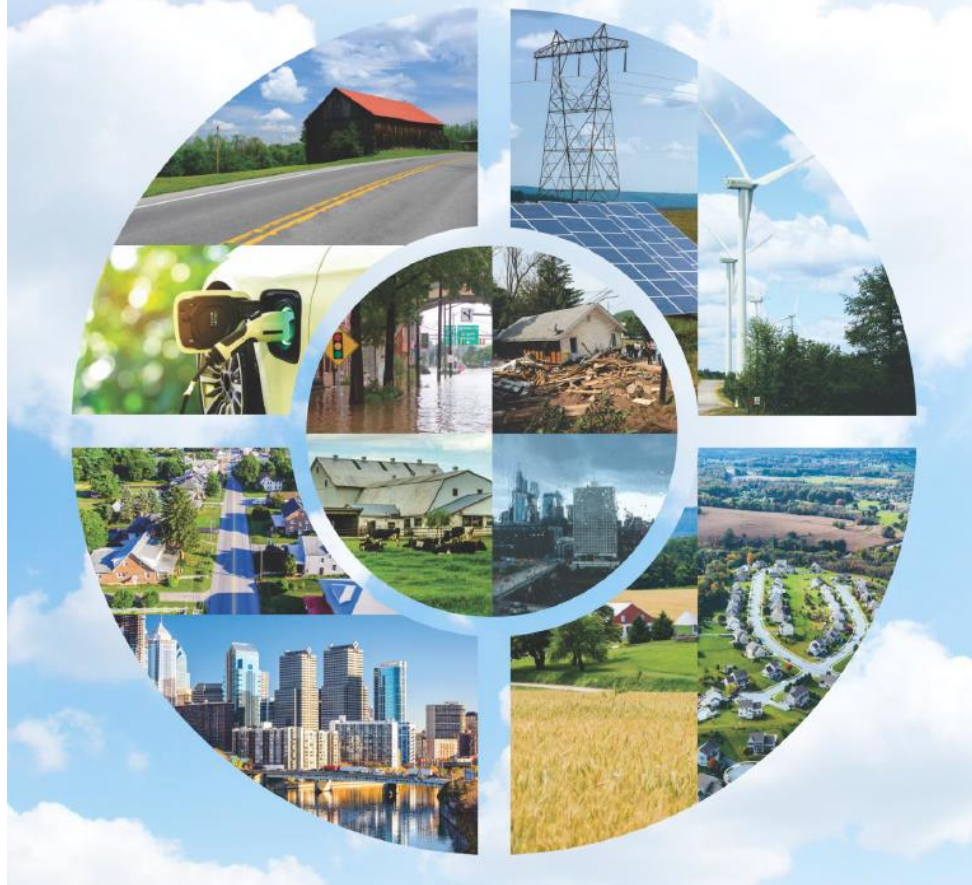
**July-August 2013**

ICPRB Report No. ICPRB-12-2

# Climate Actions

## Pennsylvania Climate Action Plan

Strategies and actions to reduce and adapt to climate change



Water resources strategies outlined in the 2018 Governor's Climate Action Plan

### Strategy 14.

Use Stormwater Best Management Practices

### Strategy 15.

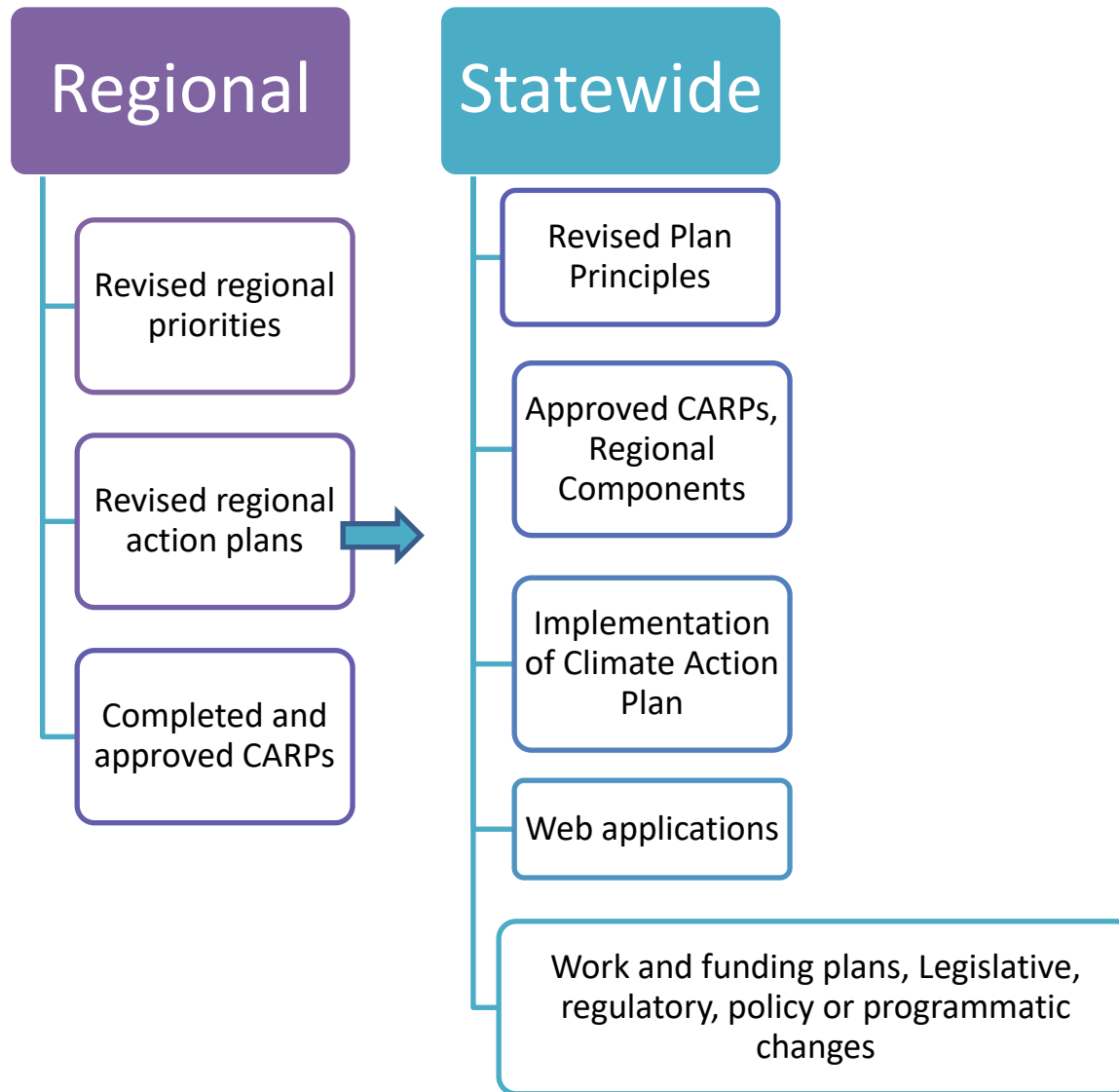
Promote integrated water resources management and water conservation



# Example Climate Action Plan

- Review of activities at all levels – federal, state, regional, local, private as well as public entities
- Consideration of variations between regional and statewide levels
- Identify strategies/tasks to be explored
- Identify multisector collaboration towards implementation of strategies
- Consider tracking progress through Key Performance Indicators

# Outcome of Review and Update



# Future Meetings

## Regional Quarterly Meetings

- January/February 2020
- July 2020
- October 2020
- January 2021 (draft stage-public meetings/hearings)
- April 2021 (recommendation stage)

## Statewide Quarterly Meetings

- August 2020
- November 2020
- February 2021
- May 2021
- August 2021 (recommendation stage)

# Clean Water Academy



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