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Brainstorming Session on

State Water Plan Implementation Tracking and Reporting

Tuesday, September 28, 2021

1:30 – 2:30 P.M.

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You are invited to a brainstorming session to kick off development of an Implementation Tracking and Reporting system for the Connecticut State Water Plan. As the Plan notes, "Connecticut's water values drive Connecticut towards *measurable* objectives, goals, and actions". Further, the Plan notes the Plan's success will be measured by whether certain objectives are achieved through implementation. Accordingly, there are many different issues to be considered in creating a tracking and reporting system that has use and benefit beyond just annual reporting to the legislature on progress.

We are looking for input and ideas on:

- What is the purpose of the tracking, and what would be the end result?
- What information should be tracked? What ancillary information may be available in agencies and other organizations?
- Who is the audience?
- Who would do the tracking?
- What platform or program should be used?
- Are there policy / confidentiality concerns?

Refer to: State Water Plan Tasks – Full List
               State Water Plan Excerpts on Tracking
               Work Group Proposal

Stakeholders with an interest in moving the State Water Plan forward, as well as those with experience developing metrics, report cards or dashboards would be very welcome at this session.

A workgroup is being formed to develop a framework and methodology for the tracking and reporting which will consider and further develop the ideas that come out of the brainstorming session. (Participation in the brainstorming session will not tie you into the workgroup, although you'd also be welcome on the workgroup!) The draft workgroup proposal, which has been approved by the Water Planning Council, is attached, along with the compiled list of all recommendations in the State Water Plan and excerpts of Plan Sections 6-5 and 6-8, which discuss tracking implementation.