I. Welcome, Introductions & Review of Agenda

Secretary Haddaway-Riccio (DNR) will open the meeting, call roll and review the agenda.

a. Action: Member approval of February 9, 2022 Minutes via vote - Sandy Hertz
   Motion, Jason Wardrup Second

b. Materials: February 9, 2022 draft meeting notes

II. Update on the Riverine Climate Ready Action Boundary (10 mins)

Dave Guignet (MDE) will provide the latest information on the riverine enhancements to the Climate Ready Action Boundary (CRAB). Working on updates in the riverine areas of the state to incorporate into CRAB. This is in draft form. Reviewed CRAB riverine layer with FEMA floodplain layers. Next steps - add elevation data. 5 counties not done yet because we are waiting on FEMA updated maps. (Baltimore, Montgomery, Howard, Carroll and St. Mary's - check with Dave on this). This is a resiliency tool - no coast smart criteria that applies to riverine. Good screening tool to highlight vulnerabilities. FEMA will start to allow you to incorporate future conditions.

III. Federal funding opportunities for resilience projects (15 mins)

Megan Granato (DNR) will present a catalog of federal funding opportunities available through the US Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act. Review of Infrastructure funding (IIJA) opportunities - Focused on water quality, quantity, and flood management. All programs available to Maryland. Explanation of when funding was directed to specific state agencies. How allocations work. Will be a working document - looking for others to contribute when information becomes available. Separated ACOE funding opportunities on a separate tab because of the amount of funds and uniqueness of their funding opportunities.

IV. Maryland Flood Awareness Month Overview (10 mins)

Kevin Wagner (MDE), representing the Maryland Resiliency Partnership will share a summary of Flood Awareness Month activities.

V. Public Comment, Updates, & Next Steps
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Next Meeting: September 7, 2022

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