



**AGENDA**  
**Technical Advisory Committee Meeting**  
**February 16<sup>th</sup>, 2023 10:00 am**

Join remotely: Zoom Meeting Information

<https://stonybrook.zoom.us/j/92384799549?pwd=TzhHMDNlZXRSSFlhM2tYd2lWN2ltZz09>

Meeting ID: 923 8479 9549, Passcode: 716979

Join in person: SBU Southampton Marine Station, Conference Room (2<sup>nd</sup> Floor)  
8 Little Neck Rd, Southampton, NY 11968

- 10:00 AM Introductions –*Matt Sclafani (CCE, TAC Co-Chair) and Brad Peterson (SBU, TAC Co-Chair)*
- 10:05 AM Roll Call – *Joyce Novak, PEP Executive Director*
- 10:10 AM Presentation: Future Research Suggestions and Policy Implications of Horseshoe Crab Spawning Habitat Selection in the Peconic Estuary– *Abigail Costigan (SBU)*
- 10:30 AM Discussion: Horseshoe crab strategy, next steps – *Matt Sclafani (CCE) and Joyce Novak (PEP)*
- TAC to vote on recommendations for next steps
- 10:50 AM Discussion: Wildlife monitoring efforts – *Joyce Novak (PEP)*
- TAC to vote on recommendations for monitoring programs
- 11:00 AM Presentation: PEP plans for SAV monitoring and reporting – *Joyce Novak (PEP)*
- 11:15 AM Discussion: SAV monitoring, methodology update –*Jonathan Lefcheck (Smithsonian Institution)*
- TAC to vote on methodology update request
- 11:45 AM Update: PEP Natural Resource Sub-committee; Recommended target number of protected acres in the Peconic Estuary watershed – *Barry Volson (PEP)*
- TAC to vote on recommendation
- 11:55 AM New Business/Public Comment Period
- 12:00 PM Wrap Up/Adjourn