

# Monitoring Community of Practice (MCoP) Workshop

Gulf of Mexico Alliance (GOMA) Annual Meeting 2018  
St. Petersburg, Florida – Bayfront Hilton

## DRAFT AGENDA

### OBJECTIVES

- Review Council Monitoring and Assessment Program (CMAP) Objectives/Tasks
- Discuss MCoP overall charge, established tasks, participant roles, and long-term vision
- Identify participant expectations for MCoP involvement
- Review CMAP task progress and obtain participant feedback

*The purpose of the MCoP is to provide a forum for sharing and coordinating monitoring and mapping knowledge with the larger restoration community. The MCoP will coordinate with water quality and habitat monitoring and mapping experts to support the Council's Monitoring and Assessment Program (CMAP) and discuss regional information needs and gaps, monitoring attributes, data sharing and management, and outcomes of Gulf restoration to ensure best available science is used for project planning and implementation.*

### MONDAY JUNE 11<sup>th</sup>

- 8:00     **Check-In (light breakfast provided)**
- 8:30     Welcome and Review of Agenda
- 9:00     Council Monitoring and Assessment Program (CMAP) Overview
- 9:30     Discuss MCoP Purpose and Responsibilities
- 10:00    **GOMA Coffee Break**
- 10:30    Review Outcomes of Water Quality and Habitat User Group Meetings
- 11:00    MCoP Structure and Monitoring/Mapping Logic Model Discussions
- 11:30    CMAP Inventory Overview
- 12:00    **Lunch Presentations - RESTORE and End-User CMAP Utility (lunch provided)**
- 1:10     CMAP Task Progress and Participant Feedback Breakout Sessions
- 2:30     Monitoring Attributes/Standards Discussion (potential panel discussion)
- 3:00     **GOMA Coffee Break**
- 3:30     MCoP Roadmap - 3 Years and Beyond
- 4:45     Wrap-up/Adjourn