SOURCE WATER PROTECTION IN THE POTOMAC RIVER BASIN

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1. BACKGROUND

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Expanding utilization of WaterSuite
- Online monitoring
- Identification of potential contamination sources/inventories

Ongoing source water protection efforts across the basin

Where can we contribute?
2. A PUBLIC-FACING RESOURCE

WaterSuite helps utilities with technical source water assessment activities

Highlights the ongoing SWP efforts in the Potomac Basin

Provides users with an easily streamlined interface to see information and access data

Tells a story…
3. CONTENT DEVELOPMENT

Conducted interviews – Water utilities, ICPRB, MWCOG, EPA Chesapeake Bay Program, EPA R3, VA DEQ, WaterSuite/Corona

Reviewed relevant reports, literature, & collected and analyzed data

Developed content first, then moved it into ArcGIS Story Map format
4. WHY ARC GIS STORY MAP?

**Benefits**

Built on EPA’s ArcGIS Online account (HW guest user access)

Easy review for EPA

Easy for HW to make edits, update

Ability to reach more stakeholders online

**Drawbacks**

Templates are limited

Some people still like paper copies
QUESTIONS?

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