

**Straw list of Topics for May 1-2, 2007 Meeting of the SAB Committee on Valuing the Protection of Ecological Systems and Services**

- Discussion of New Text that Will Be Created For/Significantly Revised for ~April 20<sup>th</sup> Draft Report
  - “Some Caveats Regarding Valuation,” Part 1, Section 2.4
  - Ecosystem Services/Indicators/Biophysical Metrics & Predictions (Part 2 Sections 2-3 – most likely merged)
  - Table of Methods and Surrounding Text in Part 2 Section 4
  - Transfer of information for Valuation
  - Survey Text/Appendix A
  
- Advice/Recommendations for EPA
  - Part 2 Section 9 “Recommendations Section”
  - Does text in all sections provide clear advice?
  - Part 3 Recommendations
  
- Next steps
  - Process for drafting Cover Letter (with highest level advice)
  - Editing
  - Peer Review
  - SAB Review Process
  - Communication plan
    - setting appropriate expectation
    - communicating what’s new/value added for EPA