

Connecting Route (developing water trails) Nomination Review Sheet

Proposed Route: _____

Nomination Submitted: _____

Application Complete: yes no Reviewer Name: _____ Review Due: _____

MINIMUM QUALIFYING CRITERIA (all criteria must be met)	Yes	No
The proposed route links a series of existing or potential Gateways and/or other natural, cultural, historic and/or recreational resources related to the Chesapeake Bay interpretive themes.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The proposed route presents an opportunity for place-based interpretation of important Bay-related resources and themes.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The proposed route is feasible given basic characteristics commensurate with the type of access and use anticipated.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Resource stewardship is emphasized as an element of the proposed route's interpretation and orientation programs and materials.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
There is public support for the proposed route, as evidenced by support from local governments, key partners and volunteer involvement.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Based upon experience and resources, the managing organization(s) appear(s) to have the capacity for sustaining planning for and long-term management of the proposed route as a gateway.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
DEVELOPMENTAL CRITERIA (would meet the following with technical &/or financial assistance)	Yes	No
The proposed route is mapped and designated through any required local or state designation process.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The proposed route has the physical capacity (access sites, nearby visitor services appropriate to the type of route, etc.) for handling the anticipated volume of visitors/users commensurate with the type of access provided.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The proposed route is equipped for providing necessary visitor orientation information through published maps, user guides, signage, etc.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: