

# Committee to Review Draft Chapters of the Biodiversity and Climate Change Assessment

Committee Meeting (Hybrid)

October 16-17, 2024

**Virtual** and **In person** at NAS Building, 2101 Constitution Ave NW, Washington DC

## Meeting Purpose

- Discuss initial impressions of the draft assessment
- Engage and gather information from the assessment author team
- Review approach to conducting the review, responsibilities, and timeline

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2024 | 10:00 AM – 5:00 PM EDT LECTURE ROOM**

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## OPEN SESSION

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| <b>2:00 PM</b> | <b>Welcome and Introductions</b><br><b>Ruth DeFries</b> , Chair, Columbia University   |
| <b>2:10 PM</b> | <b>Overview of Draft Chapters of the Biodiversity and Climate Change Assessment</b><br><b>John Bradford</b> , Assessment Co-Chair, Northwest Climate Adaptation Science Center, U.S. Geological Survey |
| <b>2:25 PM</b> | <b>Committee Questions and Discussion with Assessment Authors</b><br><b>Moderator: Ruth DeFries</b> , Chair  |
| <b>4:00 PM</b> | <b>Open Session Concludes</b>  |