

5. a description of surveillance and monitoring processes to track the effectiveness of remedial measures and confirm restoration of beneficial uses.

A Party shall make RAPs and updated RAPs available to the Commission and the Public.

A Party shall remove a BUI designation when the established criteria have been met.

A Party may elect to identify an AOC as an AOC in Recovery when all remedial actions identified in the RAP have been implemented and monitoring confirms that recovery is progressing in accordance with the RAP. A Party shall monitor and take further action, if required, to restore beneficial uses within an AOC in Recovery.

A Party shall remove the designation of an AOC or AOC in Recovery when environmental monitoring confirms that beneficial uses have been restored in accordance with the criteria established in the RAP.

A Party shall solicit a review and comments from the State and Provincial Governments, Tribal Governments, First Nations, Métis, Municipal Governments, watershed management agencies, other local public agencies, the Public, and the Commission:

1. prior to the designation of an AOC in Recovery; and
2. prior to the removal of a designation as an AOC or an AOC in Recovery.

C. Reporting

The Parties shall report on progress toward implementation of this Annex every three years through the Progress Report of the Parties, including:

1. a listing of current AOCs;
2. the status of BUIs in each AOC;