



## CEDEN User Group Agenda

**Date:** Thursday, May 29, 2025

**Time:** 10:00 - 11:00 AM

**Location:** Remote attendance only

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### Overview of Agenda Items

Topic	Time
Welcome	10:00 - 10:05
1. Water Boards CEDEN inbox data submission process	10:05 - 10:15
2. Vocabulary Updates <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Analyte required fields</li><li>PCR method business rules</li><li>PFAS analyte update and business rules</li><li>Proposed update to Effluent matrix description to include stormwater in addition to wastewater</li></ul>	10:15 - 10:30
3. CEDEN Query Tool updates	10:30 - 10:40
4. CEDEN 2.0 updates <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Schedule</li><li>Vocabulary</li></ul>	10:40 - 10:55
Wrap-up and adjourn	10:55 - 11:00

<b>Welcome</b>	Tessa Fojut & Keenan Smith	Time: 5 Minutes From: 10:00 AM – 10:05 AM
<b>Purpose:</b>	Welcome and announcements <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tessa Fojut and Keenan Smith will be leading user group meetings</li> <li>• Plan to hold meetings quarterly (May, Aug, Nov, Feb)</li> </ul>	
<b>Desired Outcome:</b>	Informational	

<b>1. Water Boards CEDEN inbox data submission process</b>	Tessa Fojut	Time: 10 minutes From: 10:05 AM - 10:15 AM
<b>Purpose:</b>	Explain data types that can be submitted free of charge to the Water Boards CEDEN data center, which are redirected to SWAMP data center, where to find data once submitted, and that other Regional Data Centers accept all data types.	
<b>Desired Outcome:</b>	Informational	
<b>Relevant Links:</b>	<a href="#">Water Boards CEDEN submission flow chart</a> <a href="#">CEDEN Regional Data Centers website</a>	

2. Vocabulary Updates	Tessa Fojut	Time: 15 minutes From: 10:15 AM - 10:30 AM								
Purpose:	Discuss updates to CEDEN vocabulary business rules and updated vocabulary in CEDEN. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• New analytes: CAS rn and Groups are required</li><li>• New guidance on PCR methods</li><li>• New guidance on PFAS analytes<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ PFAS analytes recently updated (April 2025) to reflect EPA naming conventions – primarily acid forms rather than anion forms</li><li>○ Analytes should better match EPA methods and ELAP certificates of labs</li></ul></li><li>• Proposed update to Effluent matrix description to include stormwater, not just wastewater</li></ul>									
Desired Outcome:	Informational & Opportunity to Provide Feedback									
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<b>3. CEDEN Query Tool updates</b>	Tessa Fojut	Time: 10 minutes From: 10:30 AM - 10:40 AM
<b>Purpose:</b>	Overview of CEDEN Query Tool that was updated to a new format in 2023, and additional updates completed in April 2024 and March 2025	
<b>Desired Outcome:</b>	Informational and Opportunity to Provide Feedback	
<b>Proposed update priorities:</b>	<p>We are able to work on additional features and updates about once a year, what should we prioritize for next year?</p> <p>Potential updates:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Change file download format to CSV instead of TSV/TXT</li> <li>• Show both station code and station name in Station filter picklist</li> <li>• Benthic data: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Add Organism Group filter with choices of: BMI, Diatom, Soft-bodied Algae</li> <li>○ Make Phylum a dynamic filter instead of a static list</li> <li>○ Add Genus filter</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
<b>Relevant Links:</b>	<a href="#">CEDEN Query Tool</a>	

<b>4. CEDEN 2.0 Updates</b>	Tessa Fojut	Time: 15 Minutes From: 10:40 AM - 10:55 AM
<b>Purpose:</b>	Update on schedule of CEDEN 2.0 soft launch, testing, and public release and planned vocabulary processes.	
<b>Desired Outcome:</b>	Informational	

Meeting Wrap-up	Tessa Fojut	Time: 5 minutes From: 10:55 AM - 11:00 AM
Purpose:	Review action items and take suggestions for agenda topics for the next meeting	
Next meeting: August 28, 2025		

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