County Conservationists Meeting
Hotel Mead & Conference Center
451 E. Grand Avenue, Wisconsin Rapids

Event Schedule

Thursday, July 19, 2018

11:30 am – 1:00 pm  Registration Open – Riverside Ballroom

Noon – 12:45 pm  Lunch – Main Atrium

12:45 pm – 1:00 pm  Welcome – Riverside Ballroom
   Matt Krueger, WI Land+Water

1:00 pm – 1:45 pm  Foxconn Update
   Matt Moroney, WI Dept. of Administration

1:45 pm – 2:30 pm  County Updates – Speed Round!!
   Adams - Lincoln counties have 1 MINUTE to briefly mention an interesting project, issue, or event they are involved with in their county. (Marathon - Wood counties will present updates at the December meeting.)

BREAK

2:45 pm – 3:30 pm  Partner Updates – Dept of Natural Resources
   - Multi-Discharger Variance, BMP Tracking Tool (Matt Claucherty)
   - NR 151 – implementation, evaluation (Mike Gilbertson)

3:30 pm – 4:15 pm  Partner Updates – Natural Resources Conservation Service
   - Environmental Sciences Job Approval Authority (Angela Biggs, John White)

4:15 pm – 4:45 pm  Partner Updates – UW-Extension Cooperative Extension
   - Overview of Agricultural Institute (Sara Walling), Natural Resources Institute (Tricia Gorby)

4:45 pm – 5:00 pm  Adjourn and hotel check-in

5:00 pm – 6:00 pm  Social Hour – Main Atrium

Dinner on your own.

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Friday, July 20, 2018

7:00 am – 8:00 am  Breakfast – Main Atrium

8:00 am – 8:15 am  WI Land+Water Updates – Riverside Ballroom
  Matt Krueger, WI Land+Water

8:15 am – 9:15 am  The Merger of WLWCA and WALCE – Six Years On
  Perry Lindquist, Waukesha Co. LRD & Matt Krueger
  ▪ The goals of combining two associations: supervisors AND staff
  ▪ Survey results, ground-truthing

9:15 am – 10:15 am  Partner Updates – Dept of Ag, Trade, and Consumer Protection
  ▪ Transfer of authority for CAFO program (Keith Foye)
  ▪ Farmland Preservation survey results (Alison Volk)
  ▪ Producer-Led Council program report

BREAK

10:30 am – 11:30 am  WI Land+Water Committee reports
  Great Lakes – Greg Coulthurst
  Leg/Admin – Kurt Calkins
  Mississippi River – Rod Webb
  Public Outreach – Paul Backaus
  Professional Improvement – Dale Konkol
  Technical – Matt Hanewall
  Youth Ed – Tracy Arnold

11:30 am – Noon  Top Association priorities for next two years

Noon – 12:45 pm  Adjourn to Lunch – Main Atrium