

Wisconsin Land+Water Conservation Association

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County Conservation Meeting Final Agenda

Thursday, July 14, 2022

11:30 am – 12:45 pm

Registration open

South Commons

Noon – 12:45 pm

Lunch

Expo 2

12:45 - 1:00 pm

Welcome

Expo 4

Matt Krueger, Executive Director, WI Land+Water

1:00 - 1:30 pm

Introductions

Expo 4

Bob Micheel, Monroe County Director, WI Land+Water Board of Directors President

1:30 – 4:00 pm Expo 4, Wisconsin, Spruce/Sands

Conservation Roundtable Discussions

Attendees will participate in facilitated, roundtable-style small-group discussions to provide input on important conservation topics (30 min. each). Potential topics:

- WI Land+Water Budget & Legislative Priorities
- Identifying "Soft Skills" Conservation Training Needs
- Solar Farming and Farmland Preservation Program
- County Experiences with the Producer-Led Watershed Program
- Enhancing Flood Resiliency

4:00 - 5:00 pm

Advice from Long-Tenured County Cons

Expo 4

Current and former county conservationists Greg Leonard, Paul Daigle, Gaylord Olson II, and maybe more will share advice and wisdom gained from their

experiences as "seasoned" county conservationists.

5:00 pm

Adjourn to social hour

East Commons

Dinner on your own

Friday, July 15, 2022

Expo 2

7:00 – 8:00 am Expo 2	Breakfast
8:00 – 9:00 am Expo 4	WI Land+Water Committee Updates and Recruitment Each committee chair gets 5-10 minutes to introduce the committee and share what it is working on. What exciting things are coming up next?
9:00 – 9:30 am Expo 4	Effectiveness of Local Regulations on Non-point Source Pollution: Evidence from Wisconsin Dairy Farms Marin Skidmore, UW-Madison Environmental Studies and Agricultural and Applied Economics departments
9:30 – 9:40 am East Commons	Break
9:40 – 11:30 am Expo 4	Conservation Updates – Speed Round! Each county has an opportunity to provide an important update from their county in LESS THAN 2 MINUTES. What one thing do we absolutely need to know?
11:30 am - noon Expo 4	Crowdsourcing Conservation What conservation questions or challenges would you like input from your peers on? We'll discuss questions submitted during registration, and from the floor.
Noon – 12:45 pm	Adjourn to Lunch