# **Wisconsin Wetland Study Council (WSC)**

Working together on wetland issues in Wisconsin since 2019

### **MEETING AGENDA**

Thursday, March. 9th, 2023 | 9:00 am - 11:00 am | Teams

- I. Call to Order
- II. Public Comment
- III. Agenda Approval
- IV. Board Minutes Approval
- V. Council Membership Update (Dan)
- VI. Bill Review with Evan Miller from Sen. Cowles' Office
  - a. Assured Delineator Program (P-4)
  - b. Wetland ILF site access (P-1, Possible Access Language)
- VII. Contact Guide for Legislators (Tracy)
  - a. Distributed, consider web page placement
  - b. Discuss informal presentation to standing committees
- VIII. Integrated Watershed Committee Update (Tom N., Pam Biersach)
- IX. Wetland Dashboard Committee Update 2023 Proposed Changes (Tom N., etc)
- X. Potential Policy Issues for Consideration
- XI. Update on DNR Waterways Program reorganization effort (Dan)
- XII. New Business
- XIII. Adjournment

## **WSC Topics Reference List**

| Current   | Potential Future  | Past   |
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| Assured wetland delineation program legal structure   | <ul> <li>Practicable alternative analysis issues in wetland<br/>permitting</li> <li>Financing methods for wetland mitigation for</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Section 404 Assumption alternatives</li> <li>DNR-funded Corps position for jurisdictional determinations</li> </ul> |
| <ul> <li>Stormwater and wetland<br/>regulatory program;<br/>integrated watershed</li> </ul> | <ul><li>local units of government</li><li>Statewide incentive programs for wetland restoration</li></ul>                                    | <ul> <li>Wetland jurisdictional determination<br/>certificate program concept</li> <li>Wetland Mitigation</li> </ul>         |
| <ul><li>management</li><li>Wetland General Permit reissuance review</li></ul>               | <ul> <li>Simplification of regulations for wetland creation<br/>on agricultural drainage ditches for phosphorus<br/>reduction</li> </ul>    | <ul> <li>In-lieu fee program improvements</li> <li>Private mitigation banking<br/>improvements</li> </ul>                    |

### **Public Participation:**

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#### **Join Teams Meeting**

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| Statewide training for DNR wetland staff and | <ul> <li>NR 350 administrative rule update</li> </ul> |
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| private wetland consultants and delineators  |   |