

Wetland Study Council Draft Agenda
Thursday, May 20th, 2021
9:00 am - 11:00 am

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- I. Call to Order
- II. Public Comment
- III. Review and approval of Agenda
- IV. Approval of Board Minutes (see attached)
- V. Mitigation Committee
 - a. Discussion of NR 350 comments and proposed language
 - b. Discuss a recommendation on NR 350 proposal
 - c. Potential presentation at 6/23 Natural Resources Board meeting
- VI. Wetland Identification and Delineation Program Committee Report (Mandy, see attached)
- VII. Wetland Dashboard Project Committee Report (Matt and James)
- VIII. Integrated Watershed Management Committee Report (Paul)
 - a. Discussion of scope of efforts
- IX. Council future meeting agenda topics (listed in Act 183)
 - a. Current topics**
 - Mitigation
 1. In-lieu fee program improvements
 2. Private mitigation banking improvements
 3. NR 350 administrative rule update
 - Assured wetland delineation program legal structure
 - Storm water ponds and their role in mitigation; stormwater and wetland programs generally (included in integrated watershed management)
 - Wetland General Permit reissuance review
 - b. Future topics**
 - Practicable alternative analysis issues in wetland permitting
 - Financing methods for wetland mitigation for local units of government
 - Statewide incentive programs for wetland restoration

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- Simplification of regulations for wetland creation on agricultural drainage ditches for phosphorus reduction
- Statewide training for DNR wetland staff and private wetland consultants and delineators
- Other?

c. Past topics

- Section 404 Assumption alternatives
 1. DNR-funded Corps position for jurisdictional determinations
 2. Wetland jurisdictional determination certificate program concept

X. New Business

XI. Adjournment