

**LAKE COUNTY WETLAND RESTORATION AND PRESERVATION PLAN (WRAPP)**

**TECHNICAL ADVISORY GROUP MEETING #2**

**Wednesday, November 18, 2015 9:00 AM**

**Lake County Central Permit Facility Main Conference Room**

**500 W. Winchester Road, Libertyville, IL 60048**

MEETING GOALS: TAG consents to by-laws. TAG recommends the wetland functions for assessment in the WRAPP. TAG establishes working groups and begins development of preliminary functional assessment criteria.

**DISCUSSION AGENDA**

- I. Introduction & Announcements (SMC Project Team & TAG members)— 5 min.
- II. Accept Meeting #1 Report—5 min.
- III. TAG By-Laws: Discussion, revisions (if needed), consent (SMC/TAG)—10 min.
- IV. Wetland Functions: TAG discussion and recommendation of revised list of proposed functions for inclusion in the WRAPP (SMC/TAG)—30 min.

**BREAK – 10 MIN.**

- V. Working Group overview & organization/tasks—20 min.
- VI. TAG Working Group break-out sessions to discuss preliminary functional assessment—30 min.
- VII. Wrap-up & next meeting (next meetings will be Working Group meetings during Dec./Jan.) —10 min.

**COURTESY REMINDER: THIS IS A VOLUNTEER GROUP OF PROFESSIONALS, PLEASE BE RESPECTFUL OF EACH OTHER'S TIME AND SILENCE YOUR PHONES AND/OR STEP OUT OF THE MEETING TO HANDLE CALLS**

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**Project Website:**

<http://www.lakecountyil.gov/Stormwater/FloodplainStormwaterRegulations/Wetlands/Pages/WRAPP.aspx>

## GLOSSARY OF ACRONYMS

- ADID** Advanced Identification study of high-quality wetlands in Lake County (NIPC, USEPA, SMC, 1992)
- GIS** Geographic Information System
- HGM** Hydrogeomorphologic classification method and system for wetlands (see “LLWW”)
- LCWI** Lake County Wetlands Inventory (Lake County Department of Information Technology)
- LCWI-e** Enhanced existing wetland polygons based on LCWI (SMC)
- LCWI-h** Enhanced historic wetland polygons based on LCWI (SMC)
- LLWFA** Landscape Level Wetland Functional Assessment, very similar to W-PAWF (Michigan Dept. of Environmental Quality)
- LLWW** “Landscape position, Landform, Water flow path, & Waterbody type” hydrogeomorphic classification scheme developed by USFWS (Tiner) used in NWIPlus
- NWI** National Wetlands Inventory (USFWS) using ecological classification scheme developed by Cowardin, et. al.
- NWIPlus** See “LLWW”
- PAWF** See “W-PAWF”
- SMC** Lake County Stormwater Management Commission
- TAG** Technical Advisory Group
- W-PAWF** Watershed-based Preliminary Assessment of Wetland Functions (GIS-based functional assessment method)
- WRAPP** Wetland Restoration and Preservation Plan (SMC)