

173rd STATE WATER PLAN TASK FORCE MEETING

10:00am March 22, 2019

IDNR, Lake Level A

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AGENDA

1. **State Water Planning Welcome** Loren Wobig
2. **Stream Gaging** USGS
 - a. **Sustainable funding of the Network**
 - b. **Shortfall of the current Network**
 - c. **Future needs of Stream Gaging**
3. **Result of Critical Issues Weighting** Wes Cattoor
4. **Discussion of Critical Issues to Include in Next SWP** Wes Cattoor
5. **Selection of Lead & Supporting Agencies per Issue** Loren Wobig
6. **Discussion on Next Steps, Report Schedule & Task Force Meetings** Loren Wobig
7. **Activities to be Completed and Next Meeting Outline**
8. **Future Meeting Frequency?**
 - a. Jun 12th, 2019 10:00 am IDNR – TBD
 - b. Sept 18th, 2019 10:00 am IDNR – TBD
 - c. Dec 11th, 2019 10:00 am IDNR – TBD
 - d. Mar 18th, 2020 10:00 am IDNR – TBD

An Illinois State Water Plan was first published in March of 1967 and was entitled “Water for Illinois, A Plan for Action”. This plan remained the primary water plan in Illinois until 1980 when the development of a new Water Plan was mandated, resulting in a 1984 report entitled “Illinois State Water Plan”. The Task Force which compiled the 1984 report continued to meet and publish several subsequent documents to continue the planning process and to provide updated information. That “State Water Plan Task Force” (SWPTF) continues to meet quarterly to address issues related to the waters of Illinois.

The State Water Plan Task Force is comprised of state agency representatives and invited federal and local partners.