

Agriculture Water Quality Partnership Forum

Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, Apr 4, 2017 – Springfield IDA FFA Room

1:30 – 3:30 pm

1:30 – 1:40 pm	Introductions
1:40 – 1:50 pm	➤ Des Moines Water Works Lawsuit – IDOA General Counsel
1:50 – 2:10 pm	➤ BMP Outreach Analysis – Dr. Anna Marshall, Univ. of Illinois
2:10 – 2:30 pm	➤ Science Team update – Warren Goetsch
2:30 – 3:10 pm	➤ Biennial Report Presentation ➤ AWQPF Committee Report ➤ Process and timeline
3:10 – 3:20 pm	➤ Winter Meeting Recap and Discussion
3:20 – 3:30 pm	Next steps and Future Meetings

Agriculture Water Quality Partnership Forum Charge

1. Steer and coordinate **outreach** and **education** efforts to help farmers address nutrient loss and select the most appropriate BMPs:
 - i. Identify needed education initiatives or training requirements for farmer and technical advisors
 - ii. Strengthen connections between industry initiatives, certified crop advisor continuing education requirements, state initiatives, and other technical service
2. BMP Tracking
3. Coordinate cost share and targeting
4. Develop other tools as needed