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How to Connect with the Public to Protect Wetlands: Findings from ASWM's Wetland Communications Case Study Project



ASWM Wetland Communications Case Studies Project Report

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Webinar Presenters:

- Brenda Zollitsch
Association of State Wetland Managers
- Ted LaGrange
Nebraska Game and Parks Commission



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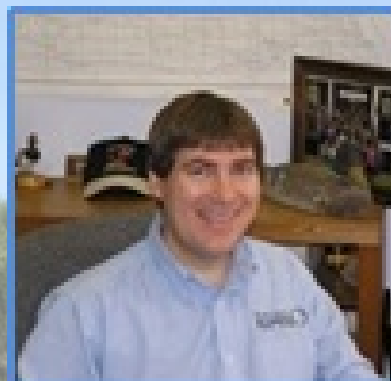
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Today's Presenters



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Today's Moderator

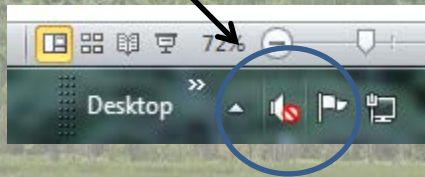


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On May 15, the Association of State Wetland Managers submitted a letter in response to the request for comments for EPA-HQ-OA-2017-0190 Evaluation of Existing Regulations. From April 13 to May 15 the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency sought input on regulations that may be appropriate for repeal, replacement, or modification. This is one of the activities the agency is taking in response to Executive Order 13777, enforcing the Regulatory Reform Agenda. ASWM's comment letter can be found here.

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GOVERNMENT LIABILITY FOR FLOOD HAZARDS

By Jon Kusler, Esq., Ph.D.

This book has been written for the staff of local governments, states, and federal agencies concerned about potential government liability for flooding private property or for adopting floodplain regulations which "take" private property without payment of just compensation. Such staff include lawyers, floodplain and wetland regulators, planners, legislators, emergency managers, and watershed

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Marla Stelk EPA Announces 2017 Campus RainWorks Challenge - EPA is pleased to announce the rules for the 6th annual Campus RainWorks Challenge, a design competition open to U.S. colleges and universities. EPA seeks to engage undergraduate and graduate students in designing innovative green infrastructure for stormwater management to showcase the environmental, economic, and social benefits of

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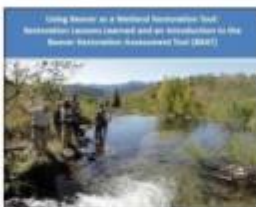
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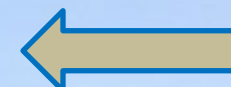
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