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Coastal Wetland Migration as a Climate Change Resiliency Strategy: Conservation Planning and Decision Making – Mary Schoell, NOAA Digital Coast Fellow

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Transforming Communications with the Public about Water Quality: How to Use EPA's "How's My Waterway" Data Application – Kiki Schneider, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

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Conducting a Benefits Assessment for Restoration of Wetlands on Cranberry Farmland – Glorianna Davenport, Living Observatory, Plymouth, MA

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Megafires Be Dammed: Can Beaver-created Fire Refugia Persist Through Extreme Wildfire Events? – Emily Fairfax, Ph.D., California State University Channel Islands

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Developing a New Ecological Site Description for Karst Fens – Frank Nelson, Missouri Department of Conservation

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Drones 3.0 – Inexpensive Tools and Technologies to get from Wetland Drone Images to Wetland Assessment Deliverables – Art Ostaszewski, Michigan Environment Great Lakes and Energy (EGLE) Department

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State Tools to Support Mitigation Banking: New Concepts, Considerations and Implementation – Denise Clearwater, Maryland Department of the Environment; Lauren Driscoll, Washington State Department of Ecology; and Kate Thompson, Washington State Department of Ecology

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Protecting Wetlands through Integration with State Buffer and River Corridor Programs – Chuck Horbert, Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management; Rob Evans, Vermont Department of Environmental Conservation; Gretchen Alexander, Vermont Department of Environmental Conservation, Geospatial Services

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Technology for Manual Delineation, Confirmation and Characterization of Wetlands: ESRI's Wetland Identification Model (WIM) and More – Gina O'Neil, Ph.D., Technical Consultant, Esri; Jeremy Schewe, PWS, Chief Scientific Officer, Ecobot; and Kevin Benck, Geospatial Services

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Drones in Environmental Assessment: Getting Michigan's Program off the Ground – Art Ostaszewski, Michigan Environment Great Lakes and Energy (EGLE) Department

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State Climate Action Plans: How Maine and Wisconsin Created a Path Toward Resiliency – Hannah Pingree, Director, Governor's Office of Policy Innovation and the Future; Cassaundra Rose, PhD, Senior Science Analyst & Climate Council Coordinator, Governor's Office of Policy Innovation and the Future; Maria Redmond, Director, Wisconsin's Office of Sustainability and Clean Energy; and Wenona Wolf, Deputy Chief of Staff and Policy Director, Office of Lieutenant Governor Mandela Barnes

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Using Drone Technology to Support Wetland Work – Barbara Poage, Oregon Department of State Lands and Jessica Lewis, Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians

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Wetland Drainage in North America: An Update on the Status of Drainage and New Restoration Findings – Tom Biebighauser, Wetland Restoration and Training

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Wetland and Floodplain Restoration for Hazard Risk Reduction and Economic Outcomes – Patty Glick, Senior Scientist, National Wildlife Federation; Brandon Parsons, Associate Director, Rivers of Puget Sound and Columbia Basin, American Rivers; and Jessie Ritter, Director of Water Resources and Coastal Policy, National Wildlife Federation

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Large-scale Wetland Restoration that Harnesses the Power of Natural Infrastructure for Water Quality Improvement in Agricultural Landscapes – Owen Steele, Ducks Unlimited Canada and Bryan Page, Ducks Unlimited Canada

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How Coastal Wetlands Reduce Coastal Damage During Tropical Cyclones – Richard Carson, Distinguished Professor of Economics, University of California, San Diego and Fanglin Sun, PhD, Graduate of University of California, San Diego

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Michigan's Web-based Permitting Tools for Reporting and Public Access: A Tour of Michigan's MIWaters Data and Lessons Learned – Chad Fizzell, Wetlands GIS Specialist, Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy and Anne Garwood, Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy

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An Introduction to the Recovering America's Wildlife Act: Understanding Its Relationship with Wetlands – Naomi Edelson, National Wildlife Federation

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The Navigable Waters Protection Rule: Highlights & Initial Take-Aways– Royal Gardner, Professor of Law and Director of the Institute for Biodiversity Law and Policy, Stetson University College of Law; Mark Patrick McGuire, Association of Clean Water Administrators; Ken Norton, National Tribal Water Council; and Brenda Zollitsch, PhD, Senior Policy Analyst, Association of State Wetland Managers.

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Becoming a Ramsar-designated Internationally Important Body of Water: Understanding the Opportunities Created and Lessons Learned from the Niagara River Corridor's Recent Designation – Kim Diana Connolly, Professor and Vice Dean; Director of Clinical Legal Education, University at Buffalo School of Law

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Understanding California's New Wetland Rules and Implications for Wetland Management – S. Keith Garner, Sheppard Mullin

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The Value of Wetlands for Natural Disaster – Matthew McCartney, International Water Management Institute and Max Finlayson, PhD, Institute for Land, Water and Society, Charles Sturt University

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Modeling Impacts of Climate Change and Land-use Change on Prairie Pothole Wetlands – Owen McKenna, Research Ecologist, U.S. Geological Survey, Northern Prairie Wildlife Research

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Identifying Listed Species and Streamlining Section 7 Consultation for Wetland Permitting (And More): Introduction to the US Fish and Wildlife Service's Online IPaC Tool – Victoria Foster, National IPaC Program Coordinator, U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service

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Healthy Wetlands, Healthy Watersheds: Helping States and Tribes Develop Watershed-level Wetland Projects and Integrated Programs – Brenda Zollitsch, PhD, Senior Policy Analyst, Association of State Wetland Managers and Starsha Schiller, Intern, Association of State Wetland Managers

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Understanding State Agency Opportunities for Third Party Compliance Monitoring on Pipeline Projects – Mike Warner, Transcon Environmental, Inc. and Jeff Davis, Transcon Environmental, Inc.

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Wetland Restoration Contractor Selection 101: Key Considerations for Successful Wetland Restoration and Project Implementation – Tom Harcarik, Environmental Planner, Ohio Environmental Protection Agency; Neal Hess, Conservation Specialist, EnviroScience, Inc. and Broker/Owner, Conservation Realty Group, LLC; and John Watts, Resource Manager, Columbus Metro Parks

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Using Living Shorelines Prioritization Tools for Wetland Improvements – Damon Yakovleff, Cumberland County Soil and Water Conservation District, Maine

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Planning Wetland Restoration at the Watershed Level – Ralph Tiner, US Fish & Wildlife Service (Retired); Juli Crane, Lake County IL Stormwater Management Commission; Glenn Westman, Lake County IL Stormwater Management Commission

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Building Wetland Water Quality Monitoring Analysis Capacity Utilizing EPA's Water Quality "eXchange" Tools and Services – Laura Shumway, US Environmental Protection Agency

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Using Avoided Land Loss as a Proxy for Reduced Storm Damages: Feasibility Study Findings for an Environmental Impact Bond in Louisiana and the Gulf – Carolyn duPont, Quantified Ventures
NS Shannon Cunniff, Environmental Defense Fund

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Navigating the Clean Water Act: A Map to the Waters of the United States – Robert Parker, Olsson Associates

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Helping Wetland Restoration Decision-Making with EPA's Recovery Potential Screening Tool – Douglas Norton, Senior Environmental Scientist, US Environmental Protection Agency

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How Ohio EPA Generated Funds to Address the Loss of Ecological Function and Biological Diversity Threatening the State's Water Quality – Tom Harcarik, Ohio Environmental Protection Agency

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Mapping tidal wetlands and their losses on the U.S. West Coast: New methods, new insights – Laura Brophy, Director, Estuary Technical Group, Institute for Applied Ecology, Corvallis, Oregon, USA

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How to Keep Headcuts from Working their Way Up or Downstream and Destroying Wetlands – Tom Biebighauser, Wetland Restoration and Training

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Restoration Outcomes and Reporting: An Assessment of Wetland Area Gains in Wisconsin – Tom Dahl, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Retired) and Rusty Griffin, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
Dana Pounds, Nature's Academy

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Centred Outdoors: Trading Screen Time for Wild Spaces — One Community's Approach – Robert Brooks, Pennsylvania State University and Andrea Murrell, ClearWater Conservancy

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Inspiring Lifelong Wetland and Coastal Habitat Stewards through Citizen Science – Dana Pounds, Nature's Academy– Rachel Bouvier, Principal, rbouvier consulting

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The Price of Everything and the Value of Nothing: Is Ecosystem Valuation Worth It? – Rachel Bouvier, Principal, rbouvier consulting

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Improving Wetland and Stream Mitigation Crediting – Michelle Mattson, US Army Corps of Engineers; Eric Stein, Southern California Coastal Water Research Project; Will Harman, Stream Mechanics

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Working with Wetlands to Increase Resilience: A Panel on Innovative State Program Practices – Stephanie Santell, US Environmental Protection Agency; Karen Menetrey, New Mexico, Office of Environment; John Genet, Minnesota Pollution Control Agency; Collis Adams, New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services

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Innovations in State Buffer Management – Kimberly Roth, Environmental Analyst, New England Pollution Control Commission; Trish Garrigan, Healthy Watersheds and Green Infrastructure Coordinator, EPA New England; Tom Gile, Buffers and Soil Erosion Program Coordinator, Minnesota Bureau of Water and Soil Resources; Danny Bennett, Wildlife Biologist, West Virginia Department of Natural Resources

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Long Term Financial Assurances for Wetland Mitigation and Voluntary Restoration – Steve Martin, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers; Palmer Hough, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA), Office of Wetlands, Oceans, and Watersheds; Robert Capriola, Westervelt Ecological Services; Angela Sturdevant, The Nature Conservancy's Indiana Chapter

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Ohio's VIBI-FQ: An Innovative Tool for Monitoring Natural and Mitigation Wetlands – Brian Gara, Ohio Environmental Protection Agency

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Financial Assurances and Compensatory Mitigation – Steve Martin, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

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Capitalizing on the Forthcoming Release of the National Wetland Condition Assessment Report to Promote Your Wetland Program – Brenda Zollitsch, ASWM Policy Analyst

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Wetlands and Nutrient Uptake in Agricultural Settings – Tom Harcarik, Ohio Environmental Protection Agency, Division of Environmental and Financial Assistance; Bill Schumacher, Ohio Environmental Protection Agency, Division of Surface Water; and Eric Saas, Ohio Environmental Protection Agency, Division of Surface Water

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Climate-Smart Conservation for Wetlands – Dr. Bruce A. Stein, Senior Director, Climate Adaptation and Resilience, National Wildlife Federation

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Solar Project Siting and Wetland Permitting Part 2: Panel Discussion on State Wetland Permitting Considerations – Lealdon Langley, Massachusetts DEP Wetland Program; Laura Lapierre, Vermont DEC Wetland Program; Beth Alafat, U.S. EPA Region 1; and Cori Rose, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, New England District

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Using Beaver as a Wetland Restoration Tool: Restoration Lessons Learned and an Introduction to the Beaver Restoration Assessment Tool (BRAT) – Joe Wheaton, Assistant Professor and Ecogeomorphology & Topographic Analysis Lab Director at Utah State University

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Findings from ASWM's New Status and Trends Report on State Wetland Programs in the United States – Brenda Zollitsch, Policy Analyst, Association of State Wetland Managers

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Assessment of Wetland Mitigation Success: Findings from a New Study on Massachusetts Wetland Replication Projects - Lisa Rhodes, Massachusetts Wetland Program, Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection and Scott Jackson, University of Massachusetts at Amherst

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Monitoring Results from the Big Spring Run Aquatic Ecosystem Restoration Project and Prospects for Addressing Watershed Impairments Related to Legacy Sediment – Jeff Hartranft, Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection

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Wetlands Supplement: Incorporating Wetlands into Watershed Planning – Kerry Ann Weaver, Life Scientist, US EPA Region 5

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ELI and The Nature Conservancy's Watershed Approach Handbook: Improving Outcomes and Increasing Benefits Associated with Wetland and Stream Restoration and Protection Projects – Nicholas Miller, Science Director, The Nature Conservancy in Wisconsin; Mark Smith, Deputy Director of the North America Freshwater Program, The Nature Conservancy; and Jessica Wilkinson, Senior Policy Advisor for Mitigation, The Nature Conservancy

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Ecosystem Service Valuation for Wetland Restoration: What it is, How to do it and Best Practice Recommendations – Marla Stelk, Policy Analyst, Association of State Wetland Managers

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- **Financial Planning and Resourcing** – Mathalie Bays, Oak Hammock Marsh

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Key Findings from ASWM's National Report on State Definitions, Jurisdiction and Mitigation Requirements in State Programs for Ephemeral, Intermittent and Perennial Streams in the United States – Brenda Zollitsch, PhD, Policy Analyst, ASWM

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Living Shorelines – Kevin Du Bois, Environmental Engineer, City of Norfolk, VA

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Developing a Wetland Management Plan for the White Oak Bayou Watershed – Scott Owen, Terra Aquatica Environmental, LLC

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Permitting Wetland Restoration Projects – Peg Bostwick, Association of State Wetland Managers

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Designing Wetlands for Rare Amphibians – Tom Biebighauser, U.S. Forest Service

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Emerging Legal issues with Wetlands and Climate Change – Pat Parenteau, Esq., Vermont Law School and Jon Kusler, Esq. Association of State Wetland Managers

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Wetlands, Carbon and Climate Change – Dr. William J. Mitsch, Director, Everglades Wetland Research Park

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Water Quality Standards for Wetlands – Jeanne Christie and Jon Kusler, Association of State Wetland Managers, and Jennifer Linn, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

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National Wetland Plant List – Dr. Bob Lichvar, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

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American Wetlands Month Webinar: The Importance of Wetlands to Tribal Communities – Nathan Dexter, Native American Liaison, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Columbia - Pacific NW Region; Roger LaBine, Water Resource Technician, Lac Vieux Desert Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Indians; Jessica Lewis, Environmental Scientist, Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians

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Wetlands, Flooding, and the Clean Water Act – Hannah Druckenmiller, Fellow, Resources for the Future; Co-Author: Charles A. Taylor, PhD Candidate, in Sustainable Development, Columbia University

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Risk Reduction for Mitigation Projects: Perspectives on Financial Assurances' Best Practices: Part 2 of 2: Casualty Insurance & Surety Bonds – Steve Martin, Mitigation Specialist, PWS; Alexander Dam, Director, Surety & Performance Security, Aon; Chris Baker, Principal, Conservation United; and Robert Spoth, President, Ecosystems Insurance

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Risk Reduction for Mitigation Projects: Perspectives on Financial Assurances' Best Practices: Part 1 of 2: Letters of Credit & Escrow Accounts – Steve Martin, Mitigation Specialist, PWS; Steve Moore, Vice President of Finance, Westervelt Ecological Services, LLD; and Amelia Savage, Environmental Attorney, Stearns Weaver Miller

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Mentoring the Next Generation of Wetland Professionals: A Collaborative Initiative with the Society of Wetland Scientists – Moderator: Marla Stelk, Association of State Wetland Managers

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Loo American Wetlands Month Webinar: Investing in Resiliency: Intersectional Perspectives of Wetlands, Infrastructure, and Healthy Communities – Stella Wilson, Florida, Alabama, & Mississippi Restoration Area Coordinator, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration; Elizabeth Habic, Environmental Protection Specialist, Federal Highway Administration; LaTonya Gilliam, North District Engineer, Delaware Department of Transportation; Becca Madsen, Senior Technical Leader, Electric Power Research Institute, and Nalini S. Rao, Ph.D., Senior Technical Leader, Electric Power Research Institute

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Looking Back, Looking Forward: A Review of Trump Administration Rulemakings and Charting a Path Forward – Julia Anastasio, Association of Clean Water Administrators; Royal Gardner, Professor of Law and Director of the Institute for Biodiversity Law and Policy Stetson University College of Law; James M. McElfish, Jr., Senior Attorney, Environmental Law Institute; Donna Downing, Senior Legal Policy Advisor, Association of State Wetland Managers; and Marla Stelk, Executive Director, Association of State Wetland Managers

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Exploring the Nexus Between Wetlands, Agriculture, and Ecosystem Benefits – Amy Kaleita, Iowa State University and Nestoria L. Wright, Kickapoo Tribe in Kansas

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Wetlands from the Nebraska Sandhills to Iowa's Restored Ag Lands – Steven Hall, Assistant Professor, Department of Ecology, Evolution and Organismal Biology, Iowa State University and Andrew Dzialowski, Associate Professor, Department of Integrative Biology, Oklahoma State University

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Impact of the COVID-19 Pandemic on State Wetland Programs and Early Adaptations – Brenda Zollitsch, Association of State Wetland Managers; Patrick Ryan, New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection; Stacia Bax, Missouri Department of Natural Resources; and Audra Martin, NEIWPC

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American Wetlands Month Hot Topics Webinar: Importance of Wetlands in Floodplain Function and Ecosystem Services – Dave Fowler, Association of State Floodplain Managers Brian Ritter, Nahant Marsh Education Center Shelly Morris, The Nature Conservancy

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Indigenous Perspectives on Wetland Science and Management – Todd Mitchell, Swinomish Tribe and Ryan Emanuel, Ph.D. of North Carolina State University

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American Wetlands Month Webinar: Can We Keep Up with Changing Estuaries? Moving from Science to Action in San Francisco Bay – J. Letitia Grenier, PhD, San Francisco Estuary Institute

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Integrated Wetland and Stormwater Program – Brian Wolff, Surface Water, Operations and Enforcement Branch Chief, Indiana Department of Environmental Management

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Incorporating Wetlands into Reservoir Rehabilitation Projects for Fisheries and Other Benefits in Nebraska – Ted LaGrange, Wetland Program Manager, Nebraska Game and Parks Commission

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Addressing Barriers to Integration of Ecosystem Service Data into Wetland Management Programs – Elizabeth Byers, Senior Wetland Scientist, West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection

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Waters of the U.S.: Interpreting Geographical, State Program and Legal Impacts of Past, Current and Future Definitions – Andy Robertson, Executive Director of Geospatial Services at Saint Mary's University of Minnesota; Les Lemm, Wetlands Section Manager for the Minnesota Board of Water and Soil Resources; and Royal Gardner, Professor of Law and Director of the Institute for Biodiversity Law and Policy at Stetson University College of Law

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Underwaters: Rising Seas, Chronic Floods and the Implications for US Coastal Real Estate – Kristina Dahl, Union of Concerned Scientists and Shana Udvardy, Union of Concerned Scientists

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ASWM American Wetlands Month Webinar: Measuring the Economic Benefits and Cost Effectiveness of Coastal Wetlands and Ecosystems – Michael Beck, The Nature Conservancy and University of California, Santa Cruz and Siddharth Narayan, University of California, Santa Cruz

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Migratory Bird Treaty – What's Next? – Kim Connolly, University at Buffalo School of Law

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Mapping Wetland and Floodplain Functions in Vermont – Mike Kline and Laura Lapierre, Vermont Department of Environmental Conservation

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Assessing Stream Functions for Watershed Management in Oregon – Dana Hicks, Oregon Department of State Lands

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Focusing Restoration Where It Matters – Caroline Chan, Kentucky Division of Water

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Exploring Opportunities for Integrated Mapping and Functional Assessment of Riverine and Coastal Floodplains and Wetlands – Andy Robertson, Saint Mary's University of Minnesota

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What's next for Waters of the U.S. (WOTUS)? – Royal Gardner, Stetson University College of Law and Stephen Samuels, Retired from the U.S. Department of Justice

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Partnering with Beaver to Benefit Sage Grouse and Working Lands: Restoring Emerald Islands in the Sagebrush Sea – Jeremy Maestas, Sagebrush Ecosystem Specialist, USDA-NRCS West National Technology Support Center, Portland, OR and Dr. Joe Wheaton, Professor, Watershed Sciences Department, Utah State University, Logan, UT

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How to Connect with the Public to Protect Wetlands: Findings from ASWM's Wetland Communications Case Study Project – Marla Stelk, Policy Analyst, Association of State Wetland Mangers; Brenda Zollitsch, Policy Analyst, Association of State Wetland Mangers Ted LaGrange, Wetland Program Manager, Nebraska Game and Parks Commission

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What's Next for Clean Water Act Jurisdiction – Jan Goldman-Carter, National Wildlife Federation; Virginia Albrecht, Hunton and Williams, LLP; Royal C. Gardner, Stetson University, College of Law

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The Basics of Wetland Plant Identification – Joe Ely, University of Central Missouri

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What's Next for Clean Water Act Jurisdiction: Maintaining - or Draining - the Swamps? The Future of the Clean Water Rule – Stephen Samuels, Retired, formerly with Department of Justice

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Nationwide Permit Rule Webinar: Low-head Dam Removal: Technical Issues and Considerations for State/Tribal/Federal Review – Serena McClain, American Rivers and James MacBroom, Milone & MacBroom

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Overview of the Final Rule on Issuance and Reissuance of the §404 Nationwide Permits – Dave Olson, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

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Wetlands & Climate Change: A Summary of Current Wetland Scientific Findings – Gillian Davies, PWS, Senior Ecological Scientist, BSC Group, Inc. and President, Society of Wetland Scientists

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Nationwide Permit Rule Webinar #2: Panel on State Processes for Reviewing the Proposed Nationwide Permits and Lessons Learned from States – Jeff Boyles and Joni Lung, Ohio Environmental Protection Agency; Tyler Brown and Steven Smailer, Delaware Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control; Vena Jones, Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation; Heather Preston, South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control

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Nationwide Permit Rule Webinar #1: The New Nationwide Permit Rule – What You Need to Know – David Olson, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

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American Wetlands Month: What you can do to protect and restore wetlands – Kathleen Kutschenreuter, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA); Susan-Marie Stedman, NOAA Fisheries; Mitch Bergeson, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service; Dr. Abbey Tyrna, University of Florida, IFAS Extension; Dr. Bianca Wentzell, Passaic River Institute, Montclair State University

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Legal Challenges to the Clean Water Rule: Which Court? What Questions? What Timeframe? – Roy Gardner, Professor of Law and Director, Institute for Biodiversity Law and Policy and Kim Diana Connolly, Professor, Director of Clinical Legal Education, Vice Dean for Legal Skill, SUNY Buffalo New York

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Understanding Legal Challenges and Next Steps for the Clean Water Rule – Roy Gardner, Professor of Law and Director, Institute for Biodiversity Law and Policy and Kim Diana Connolly, Professor, Director of Clinical Legal Education, Vice Dean for Legal Skill, SUNY Buffalo New York

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Understanding the Final Clean Water Rule and Changes to CWA Jurisdiction Included in Senate Bill 1140 – Roy Gardner, Professor of Law and Director, Institute for Biodiversity Law and Policy and Kim Diana Connolly, Professor, Director of Clinical Legal Education, Vice Dean for Legal Skill, SUNY Buffalo New York

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American Wetlands Month National Webinar: The Ramsar Treaty/Convention on Wetlands – Barbara De Rosa-Joynt, Chief of Biodiversity, U.S. Department of State; Roy C. Gardner, Chair, Ramsar Scientific and Technical Review Panel; William J. Mitsch, Chair, US National Ramsar Committee; Chris Rostron, Head, Wetlands Link International/Member, Ramsar CEPA Oversight Panel; Lind Friar, Chief of Public Affairs, Everglades National Park, Florida; and Nathalie Bays, Manager of Interpretive Center Operations, Oak Hammock Marsh, Manitoba

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- **Running Programs at Wetland Centers** – Katelin Frase, Environmental Concern
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- **Nested Financing** – Amanda Punton, Oregon Department of Land Conservation and Development
- **Options for Financing Environmental Enhancement at the Local Level in Oregon** – Glenn Barnes, Environmental Finance Center at the University of North Carolina School of Government

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Wetland Link International North America – Sandra Hails, CEPA Manager, Ramsar Secretariat; Cully Shelton, International Crane Foundation; Suzanne Pittenger, Selar, Environmental Concern; Nathalie Bays, Oak Hammock Marsh; and Kris Scopinich, Massachusetts Audubon Society

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Water Quality Standards for Wetlands – Jeanne Christie and Jon Kusler, Association of State Wetland Managers, and Jennifer Linn, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

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– Andy Robertson, Saint Mary's **Mapping a Path to Wetland Functions: Leveraging NHD and LLWW to Enhance the National Wetland Inventory** University of Minnesota; Mark Biddle, Delaware Department of Natural Resources; and Sara Owen, University of Montana

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Automating the Detection of Disturbances to Aquatic Resources – Melanie Vanderhoof, U.S. Geological Survey, Geoscience and Environmental Change Science Center

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NWI Data in Support of Conservation Efforts and Habitat Modeling – Rusty Griffin, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

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Wetland Inventory of Canada Using Optical and RADAR EO Data and Google Earth Cloud Computing – Bahram Salehi, PhD, PEng, Assistant Professor of Remote Sensing Engineering, State U of New York, College of Environmental Science and Forestry

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National Land Cover Database 2016, General Overview and Applications to Wetland Assessment – Dr. Collin Homer, U.S. Geological Survey and Dr. George Xian, U.S. Geological Survey

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National Riparian Areas Base Map: Development & Applications – Sinan Abood, U.S. Forest Service; Daniel Rosenbaum, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency; and Rebecca Lilja, U.S. Forest Service

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Lessons Learned from the Minnesota NWI Update – Steve Kloiber, Minnesota Department of Natural Resources; Robb Macleod, Ducks Unlimited; and Keven Stark, Saint Mary's University of Minnesota

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Mapping Wetland Inundation Dynamics and Wetland Change using Google Earth Engine – Qiusheng Wu, PhD, University of Tennessee and Melanie Vanderhoof, PhD, U.S. Geological Survey

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Mapping Thirty Years of Wetland Surface Water Dynamics Using Landsat Satellite Imagery: Implications for Climate Change and Species Management – Meghan Halabisky, Ph.D., Lead Scientist with Conservation Science Partners and Amanda Kissel, Ph.D., Lead Scientist with Conservation Science Partners

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Mapping Innovations at the Michigan DEQ: New approaches, tools and technologies – Chad Fizzell, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality; and Jeremy Jones, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality

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Developing a Spatially Enabled Wetland Program Website to Communicate the Importance of Tribal Land Management Data – Andy Robertson, Executive Director, GeoSpatial Services, Saint Mary's University of Minnesota

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Mapping Wetland Inundation Dynamics Using Multi-Source Satellite Data – Ben DeVries, Post-Doctoral Research Associate, Department of Geographical Sciences, University of Maryland

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Moving Wetland Restoration into Recommendations into Action: New Mapping/Monitoring Program Trends

- **National Wetlands Inventory Wetland Mapping Targeting Tool and Data Use Trends** – Megan Lang, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
- **A Collaborative Approach to Establishing Wetland Management Priorities in Northcentral New Mexico** – Andy Robertson, Saint Mary's University
- **Wetland Functional Assessment in West Virginia** – Elizabeth Byers, West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection

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Recent Updates to the EnviroAtlas Tool: Mapping Ecosystem Goods and Services – Anne Neale, EnviroAtlas Project Lead, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

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Maps of Potential Wetland Extent for Selected Streams in Indiana – Kathleen Fowler, U.S. Geological Survey

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Mapping Coastal Storm Surge Flooding and Marsh Structure – Elijah Ramsey III, U.S. Geological Survey and Amina Rangoonwala, U.S. Geological Survey

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Uses of the Soil and Water Assessment Tool (SWAT) – Grey Evenson, PhD, Post-Doctoral Fellow, Virginia Tech and Visiting Scientist, U.S. EPA; Sangchul Lee, PhD Candidate, University of Maryland; Greg McCarty, PhD, Research Soil Scientist, USD

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Defining Wetland Gems in North Central New Mexico – Andy Robertson, Saint Mary's University of Minnesota and Kevin Benck - Saint Mary's University of Minnesota

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Working towards an Automated Wetlands Mapping Process: Successes, Failures, and Potential for the Future –Robb McLeod, Ducks Unlimited

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Updated Data Collection Procedures and Requirements for Meeting FGDC Wetland Mapping Standards – Rusty Griffin, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service's, National Standards and Support Team

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Changes in the FGDC Wetland Classification Standard – Cowardin 2.0 – Rusty Griffin, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service's, National Standards and Support Team

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Minnesota's "Restoration Wetland Prioritization Tool" – Mark Gernes, Minnesota Pollution Control Agency

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WMC Workshop: "Accessing, Analyzing and Communicating Digital Wetland Data to Stakeholders for Decision-making"

- **Wetlands Spatial Data 101: How to Access Data on NWI Mapper and Other Resources** – Mitch Bergeson, USFWS, National Standards Support Team

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Marsh Analysis and Planning Tool Incorporating Tides and Elevations (MAPTITE): A Geospatial Tool for Estuary Restoration – Lijuan Huang and Chris Paternostro, NOAA

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Mapping With Ecological Site Descriptors – Richard A. Weber, P.E., Wetland Hydraulic Engineer, NRCS

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State Offsite Methods for wetland determinations in the Prairie Pothole Region of IA, MN, ND and SD – Jason Outlaw, USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service

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- **Part 2: Applications of SSURGO soil attributes to potentially restorable wetlands** – Kevin Stark, Saint Mary's University

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Surface Waters and Wetlands Inventory: A More Comprehensive Dataset of the Nation's Water Resources – Mitch Bergeson, GIS Specialist, National Standards and Support Team, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

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Wetland Landscapes – Techniques for Spatial Definition and Ecological Assessment Using SSURGO, HGM, and GIS tools – Richard A. Weber, P.E., Wetland Hydraulic Engineer, Wetland Team, CNTSC

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Using Land Cover Change Data to Better Understand Wetland Trends – Nate Herold, Physical Scientist, NOAA Coastal Services Center

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- **The Minnesota NWI Update: A Case Study of Quality Assurance** – Steve Kloiber, P.E., Ph.D., Wetland Monitoring Coordinator, Minnesota Dept. of Natural Resources
- **The Minnesota NWI Update: Integrating Semi-automated Mapping Techniques into Production Level Wetland Mapping** – Robb Macleod, National GIS Coordinator, Ducks Unlimited

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Mapping Forested Wetland Inundation with the Landsat historic Record – Megan Lang, Senior Research Scientist with Science Systems and Applications, Inc. and Coordinator of the U.S. Department of Agriculture Mid-Atlantic Wetland Conservation Effects Assessment Project

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The Evolution of NWI and How It Has Changed: A Comparison of Old and New Methodologies, Strengths and Weaknesses – Andy Robertson, Saint Mary's University of Minnesota

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Creating a Value-Added Wetlands Layer: Enhancing the Utility of Wetland Mapping in Montana – Karen Newlon, Montana Natural Heritage Program

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NWI+ Data What It Is and How It's Being Used – Ralph Tiner, Regional NWI Coordinator, Northeast Region, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

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- **Mapping "Natural" Floodplains** – Kevin Coulton, cbec, eco engineering, inc.
- **Soil Survey Information for Floodplain Mapping** – Dave Hoovers and Sharon Waltman, Natural Resources Conservations Service

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Iowa Wetland Assessment and Restorable Wetland Inventory – Chris Ensminger, Iowa Department of Natural Resources

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- **How has Wetland Training been Presented, What is Available, and How Might Innovative Technologies be used in the Future to Present Information to the Public and to Professionals** – Dr. John M. Galbraith, Virginia Tech
- **Documenting the Uses and Applications of the National Wetlands Inventory** – Jeanne Christie, Association of State Wetland Managers

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National SURRGO Wetland Soils Project – John Galbraith, Virginia Tech

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Wetlands Assessment and Level I Mapping Techniques – Andy Robertson, St. Mary's University of Minnesota

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Wetlands Data in the National Atlas – Annie Neale, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

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- **Scalable Mapping as a Tool to Complete the Wetlands Data Layer** – Tom Dahl, Chief, National Standards and Support Team, National Wetlands Inventory, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
- **Scalable NWI Mapping Initiatives in Alaska** – Julie Michaelson, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

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Sea Level Affecting Marshes Model (SLAMM) and SLAMM View

- **Origins of SLAMM** – Bill Wilen, National Wildlife Service
- **Sea Level Affecting Marshes Model (SLAMM)** – Jonathan Clough, Lead Modeler, Warren Pinnacle Consulting
- **SLAMM-View** – Jeff Ehman, Senior Analyst, Image Matters

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- **Saint Croix Headwaters Wetland Mapping Project** – Chad Richtman, Saint Mary's University of Minnesota
- **Development of CARI (California Aquatic Resources Inventory)** – Kristen Cayce, San Francisco Estuary Institute

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Protecting and Restoring Urban Wetlands for Community Benefits – William Dooley, Association of State Wetland Managers; Laurie Gilligan, Colorado Natural Heritage Program; Jesse Barham, City of Olympia Public Work

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Disaster Recovery Lessons Learned: Achieving the Best Possible Outcomes for our Communities and Stream Corridors – Jeffrey Sickles, Engenuity Engineering Solutions; Katie Jagt, Watershed Science and Design; Michael Blazewicz, Round River Design

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The Geography of Risk – Gilbert M. Gaul, Author

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Focusing on Pre-Event Resilience Building—The Zurich Flood Resilience Alliance Approach – Michael Szönyi, MSc, MAS Natural Hazards Management ETH, Flood Resilience Program Lead

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Engineering with Nature for Flood Risk Management – Todd Bridges, PhD, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

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Reducing Flood Risk and Restoring Ecosystems through Science and Planning – Kris Johnson, PhD, Associate Director for Science & Planning, North America Agriculture Program, The Nature Conservancy; Christine Shepard, PhD, Director of Science, Gulf of Mexico Program, The Nature Conservancy; and Lily Verdone, Director of Freshwater and Marine, The Nature Conservancy

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Floodplains and Green Infrastructure as Tools for Hazard Mitigation: Barriers and Funding Opportunities – Rowan Schmidt, Program Director, Earth Economics and Brad Gordon, Lapham Fellow at American Rivers

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Green Infrastructure Case Studies: How to Successfully Lower Risk in Your Community – Jennifer Henaghan, AICP, Deputy Research Director and Manager of the Green Communities Center at the American Planning Association; Dr. Tom Ballester, Associate Professor of Civil and Environmental Engineering, University of New Hampshire (UNH) and Director of the UNH Stormwater Center; and Jared Soares, Research Analyst, Earth Economics

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Floodplain Policies for Flood Survivors - A Conversation – Sarah Wilkins, Thriving Earth Exchange, American Geophysical Union; Virginia Wasserberg, Stop the Flooding NOW!, Virginia Beach, VA; Bob Jennings, Stop the Flooding Now, Virginia Beach, VA; Lori Burns, RainReady Chatham, Chicago, IL; Gabriella Velardi-Ward, Coalition for Wetlands and Forests, Staten Island, NY; and Ed Browne, Residents Against Flooding, Houston, TX

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Wetlands by Design: A watershed approach for Wisconsin – Tom Bernthal, Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources and Nick Miller, The Nature Conservancy

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Green Infrastructure Resources for Coastal Flood Risk Management – Maria Honeycutt, Ph.D., NOAA's Office for Coastal Management; Lauren Long, The Baldwin Group, NOAA's Office of Coastal Management; and Tashya Allen, The Baldwin Group, NOAA's Office of Coastal Management

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Reaching Across the Border to Improve Water Supplies for People and Nature: The United States, Mexico, and the Colorado River – Jennifer Pitt, Audubon

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Towards Resilient and Sustainable Floodplains – Larry Roth, Arcadis

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Minnesota's Overall and Watershed Approach to Flood Risk Reduction & Protection of Lakes & Streams – Ceil Strauss, State Floodplain Manager, Minnesota Department of Natural Resource

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The Iowa Watershed Approach: A New Paradigm for Flood Resilience – Allen Bonini, Iowa Department of Natural Resources; Dr. Craig Just, University of Iowa; Melissa Miller, Iowa Water Center; Breanna Shea, Iowa Flood Center, University of Iowa; Jake Hansen, Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship- Division of Soil Conservation and Water Quality; and Jessica Turba, Disaster Recovery Operations Bureau of Iowa Homeland Security and Emergency Management

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Integrated Stream and Wetland Restoration: A watershed approach to improved water quality on the landscape – Dr. Curtis Richardson, Duke University Wetland Center

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The Naturally Resilient Communities Project: Siting Guide and Case Studies Mainstreaming of Natural Infrastructure to Address Coastal and Riverine Flooding – Nathan Woivode, Risk Reduction and Resilience Project Manager, The Nature Conservancy

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The Value of Nature: Practical Applications for Managers – Elizabeth Schuster, Environmental Economist, The Nature Conservancy

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Comprehensive Local Planning and Programs: Charlotte-Mecklenburg's Approach – Tim Trautman, PE, CFM, Charlotte-Mecklenburg Storm Water Services, Engineering & Mitigation Program Manager

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October Federal Update: The FEMA Proposed Rule for FFRMS and Update on WRDA – Kim Matthews, RTI International; Jason Doll, Moffatt & Nichol; Kristine Cherry, Governors' South Atlantic Alliance (GSAA)

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Funding for Floodplain Restoration: Breaking Down Incentives to Develop Floodplains & Recent FEMA Policy Updates – Zachary Christin, Project Director, Earth Economics

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Living Shorelines: Lessons Learned and New Opportunities – Suzanne Sime, Strategic Programs Manager, Restore America's Estuaries; Bill Sapp, Senior Attorney, Southern Environmental Law Center; Tracy Skrabal, Southeast Regional Manager and Coastal Scientist, North Carolina Coastal Federation; Lee Anne Wilde, Living Shorelines Program Managers, Galveston Bay Foundation

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The Nature Conservancy's Emiquon: Restoring Functional Floodplain for Nature & People – K. Douglas Blodgett, Director of River Conservation, Illinois Chapter of The Nature Conservancy

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The Ecology, Engineering & Economics of Natural Coastal Defenses – Mike Beck, The Nature Conservancy and Adjunct Professor in Ocean Sciences, University of California Santa Cruz

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An Introduction to the Marsh Adaptation Strategy Tool (MAST) – Dr. Samuel Merrill, GEI Consultants, Inc.

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Stream-Wetland Restoration – Will Harmon, Stream Mechanics and Matt Daniels, River Design Group, Inc.

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Managing Water Where It Falls: Green Infrastructure in Milwaukee, Wisconsin – Kevin L. Shafer, Milwaukee Metropolitan Sewerage District (MMSD), Executive Director

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Square Peg, Round Hole –Maximizing Conservation in a Flood-Insurance Construct – Bonnie Shorin, NOAA

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EPA Adaptation Workbook: Lessons Learned in San Juan Bay, Puerto Rico – Michael Craghan, Climate Ready Estuaries Program, U.S. EPA

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Rooftops to Rivers: Lessons Learned from Tulsa, Oklahoma's Successful Floodplain Management Program – Ronald D. Flanagan, CFM & Principal Planner, R.D. Flanagan & Associates, LLC

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The Impact of Wetland Drainage on the Hydrology of a Northern Prairie Watershed – Dr. John Pomeroy, Centre for Hydrology, University of Saskatchewan

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ASCE Report on How to Address our Systemic Flood Problems – David Fowler, Senior Project Manager, Milwaukee Metropolitan Sewerage District

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Preventing Flood Disasters from Becoming Disastrous – Brian Varrella, Chair, Colorado Association of Stormwater and Floodplain Managers

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Restoration of the Mississippi Delta in a Post-BP Oil Spill Environment – Estelle Robichaux, Restoration Project Analyst, Mississippi River Delta Restoration Team and Whit Remer, Senior Policy Analyst & Attorney, Mississippi River Delta Restoration Team

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Beyond the 100-year floodplain: Experiences in European floodplains under the Flood Directive – G. Mathias Kondolf, Professor of Environmental Planning, University of California, Berkeley and Anna Serra-Llobet, Visiting Scholar Institute of Urban and Regional Development, University of California, Berkeley

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- **Part 1: New Developments in River Valley Floodplain Mapping: A Survey of FLDPLN Model Applications** – Jude Kastens, Kansas Applied Remote Sensing Program, Kansas Biological Survey
- **Part 2: TWIP and FLDPLN Applications for Watershed Restoration Activities** – Jeff Neel, Kansas Alliance for Wetlands and Streams

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Moving toward Floodplain Restoration at Scale on the Illinois River and Upper Mississippi Basin: Valuing Ecosystem Services, Demonstrating Flood Reduction, and Policy Implications – K. Douglas Blodgett, Director of River Conservation, The Nature Conservancy in Illinois and Charles E. Theiling, Large River Ecologist, US Army Corps of Engineers Rock Island District.

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Reforming Federal Support for Risky Development – David Conrad, Consultant, Water Resources Policy, and Edward A. Thomas, Esq. President, Natural Hazard Mitigation Association

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Informing Flood Mitigation with Ecosystem Service Valuation: An Introduction to the Ecosystem Valuation Toolkit – Zac Christin, Earth Economics

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Mapping Floodplains in Iowa Part II – Kris Johnson and Jan Slaats, The Nature Conservancy

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Iowa State Floodplain Mapping Program – Nathan Young, Iowa Flood Center

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Coastal Adaptation to Sea Level Rise Tool (COAST) – Sam Merrill, New England Environmental Finance Center

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Thinking Outside the Box Culvert Understanding Flood Management and Natural Floodplain Mitigation – David C. Fowler CFM

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- **Why Wetland Managers Should Care about Floodplains** – Lynda Saul, Montana Department of Environmental Quality
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- **Summary and Overview of the reauthorized National Flood Insurance Program** – Chad Berginnis, Executive Director, Association of State Floodplain Managers

Clean Water Act Webinars

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The Navigable Waters Protection Rule: Highlights & Initial Take-Aways– Royal Gardner, Professor of Law and Director of the Institute for Biodiversity Law and Policy, Stetson University College of Law; Mark Patrick McGuire, Association of Clean Water Administrators; Ken Norton, National Tribal Water Council; and Brenda Zollitsch, PhD, Senior Policy Analyst, Association of State Wetland Managers.
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A Legal Analysis of the Clean Water Act 401 Proposed Rule – Royal C. Gardner, Professor of Law and Director of the Institute for Biodiversity Law and Policy, Stetson University College of Law; Mark A. Ryan, Principal, Ryan & Kuehler PLLC; James M. McElfish, Jr., Senior Attorney, Environmental Law Institute

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In the Courts - What's next for Waters of the United States Rule? – Kim Diana Connolly, University at Buffalo School of Law and Steve Johnson, Mercer University School of Law

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What's next for Waters of the U.S. (WOTUS)? – Royal Gardner, Stetson University College of Law and Stephen Samuels, Retired from the U.S. Department of Justice

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What's Next for Clean Water Act Jurisdiction – Jan Goldman-Carter, National Wildlife Federation; Virginia Albrecht, Hunton and Williams, LLP; and Royal C. Gardner, Stetson University, College of Law

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What's Next for Clean Water Act Jurisdiction: Maintaining - or Draining - the Swamps? The Future of the Clean Water Rule – Stephen Samuels, Retired, formerly with Department of Justice

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Legal Challenges to the Clean Water Rule: Which Court? What Questions? What Timeframe? – Kim Diana Connolly, Professor, Director of Clinical Legal Education, Vice Dean for Legal Skills, SUNY Buffalo Law School; and Roy Gardner, Professor of Law and Director, Institute for Biodiversity Law and Policy, Stetson University College of Law

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Understanding Legal Challenges and Next Steps for the Clean Water Rule – Kim Diana Connolly, Professor, Director of Clinical Legal Education, Vice Dean for Legal Skills, SUNY Buffalo Law School; and Roy Gardner, Professor of Law and Director, Institute for Biodiversity Law and Policy, Stetson University College of Law

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Understanding the Final Clean Water Rule and Changes to CWA Jurisdiction Included in Senate Bill 1140 – Roy Gardner, Professor of Law and Director, Institute for Biodiversity Law and Policy, Stetson University College of Law and Kim Diana Connolly, Professor, Director of Clinical Legal Education, Vice Dean for Legal Skills, SUNY Buffalo Law School

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Conducting Federal-State/Tribal Regulatory Crosswalks for Clean Water Act Section 404

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Findings from ASWM's Multi-Year Clean Water Act Section 404 Assumption Project – Kathy Hurd, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency; Brian Wolff, Indiana Department of Environmental Management; Laura Johnson, Nebraska Department of Environment and Energy; and Brenda Zollitsch, Association of State Wetland Managers

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Understanding Alternatives: State Programmatic General Permits and Assumption of the § 404 Program – Donna Downing, Association of State Wetland Managers; Eric Metz, Marsh MD Wetland Consulting; Barbara Poage, Oregon Department of State Lands; Timothy Rach, Florida Department of Environmental Protection; and Denise Clearwater, Maryland Department of the Environment

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Documenting Assumable Waters for Assumption for the CWA § 404 Program – Eric Metz, Oregon Department of State Lands; Randy Sounhein, Oregon Department of State Lands; Heather Mason, Florida Department of Environmental Protection; Camille Beasley, Florida Department of Environmental Protection; and Les Lemm, Minnesota Board of Water and Soil Resources – Wetland Section Manager

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Florida's Assumption Process - Planning, Decisions and Lessons Learned – Tim Rach, Florida Department of Environmental Protection and Heather Mason, Florida Department of Environmental Protection

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Mitigation Banking Considerations for States and Tribes Exploring Assumption of the CWA Section 404 Program – Joe Williams, Ecosystem Investment Partners; Les Lemm, Minnesota Board of Water and Soil Resources – Wetland Section Manager; Heather Mason, Florida Department of Environmental Protection; and Chris Tanner, Manson, Bolves, Donaldson, Varn

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Data Management for Assumption of the 404 Program – Andy Robertson, Saint Mary's University; Anne Garwood, Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy; Chad Fizzell, Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy; Heather Mason, Florida Department of Environmental Protection; and Eric Metz, Oregon Department of State Lands

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Assumption 101: Introduction to Assuming the CWA Section 404 Program – Kathy Hurd, US Environmental Protection Agency; Heather Mason, Florida Department of Environmental Protection; Anne Garwood, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality; Susan Lockwood, New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection; and Brenda Zollitsch, Association of State Wetland Managers

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Building State and Tribal Wetland Program Regulatory Capacity: Findings from ASWM's Multi-year Project – Brenda Zollitsch, Association of State Wetland Managers; Yvonne Vallette, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 10; and Matt Schweisberg, Wetland Strategies and Solutions

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Filling Wetland Regulatory Gaps: Approaches and Lessons Learned – Yvonne Vallette, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 10; Denise Clearwater, Maryland Department of the Environment; Richard Mraz, Washington State Department of Ecology; and Michelle Cook, Kentucky Division of Water

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Improving Enforcement in Wetland Regulatory Programs – Yvonne Vallette, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 10; Stacia Bax, Missouri Department of Natural Resources; Sara Slater, Oregon Department of Environmental Quality

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Conducting State/Tribal Review of the 2020 Nationwide Permits – David Olson, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers; Panel of State Wetland Program Managers – Dave Davis, Virginia Department of Environmental Quality and Richard Mraz, Washington State Department of Ecology

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Communications Strategies and Lessons Learned for Wetland Programs – Alison Rogerson, Delaware Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control; Laura Lapierre, Vermont Department of Environmental Conservation; and Mary Ann Tilton, New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services

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Building Capacity to Protect and Manage Wetlands through the Development of State Wetland Association – Erin O'Brien, Wisconsin Wetlands Association; Rick Savage, Carolina Wetlands Association; and Kim Matthews, Carolina Wetlands Association

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Sharing EPA's "Refresh" to the Enhancing State and Tribal Programs (ESTP) Framework – Rebecca Dils, EPA Office of Wetlands, Oceans and Watersheds; Michael McDavit, EPA Office of Wetlands, Oceans and Watersheds; Kerryann Weaver, EPA Region 5; Yvonne Vallette, EPA Region 10; and Eliodora Chamberlain, EPA Region 7

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Introduction to Wetland Program Plans (WPPs) – Yvonne Vallette, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 7; Stacia Bax, Missouri Department of Natural Resources; Richard Mraz, Washington State Department of Ecology; Brenda Zollitsch, Association of State Wetland Managers

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Funding Tribal Water Programs (Presented at EPA Region 7 ESTP Virtual Meeting) – Nestoria Wright, Kickapoo Tribe in Kansas; Yvonne Vallette, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 10; and Panel Discussion

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Advancing Tribal Wetland Programs Through Innovations in Monitoring & Assessment – Yvonne Vallette, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 10; Ferin Davis Anderson, Lead Environmental Scientist, Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community; and Eric Krumm, Water Resources Technician, Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe Water Resources Program

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Balancing Tribal Economic Development, Sustainable Cultural Uses and Wetland/Aquatic Resource Protection and Restoration – Tom Elliott, Biologist for the Yakama Nation Wildlife Program; Allison Warner, Wetland Ecologist/Wetland Program Coordinator for The Tulalip Tribes at Quil Ceda Village; and Kara Kuhlman, Water Resources Manager for the Lummi Nation

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Cultural Values Based Planning for Integrated Wetland Management on a Watershed or Reservation Scale – Jon Hall, Tulalip Tribes of Washington; Tom Elliott, Yakama Nation; and Andy Robertson, GeoSpatial Services at Saint Mary's University of Minnesota

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Webinar #4: Pipeline Permitting 101: An Overview of Basic Oil and Gas Pipeline Permitting Processes and Concepts for Wetland Regulators – Clifford Brown, West Virginia Department of Natural Resources; Robert Parker, Wetland Policy Consultant; and Brenda Zollitsch, Association of State Wetland Managers

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Webinar #3: Horizontal Directional Drilling: Understanding Context when Reviewing Oil and Gas Pipeline Permit Applications – Richard Dalton, New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection; Patrick Ryan, New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection; Rick Gitar, Fond du Lac Reservation; and Brenda Zollitsch, Association of State Wetland Managers

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Webinar #2: Cumulative Adverse Effects of Pipeline Development on Wetlands and Other Aquatic Resources – Wing Goodale, Biodiversity Research Institute

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Webinar 1: Improving the Information Pipeline: Working with Consultants During Oil and Gas Pipeline Permitting Processes – Clifford Brown, West Virginia Department of Natural Resources; Brenda Zollitsch, Association of State Wetland Managers; Evan Hansen, Downstream Strategies, LLC

Improving Wetland Restoration Success Webinars

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Long-term Management & Legal Protections for Voluntary Restoration – Ellen Fred, Esq., Conservation Partners; Ted LaGrange, Nebraska Game & Parks Commission; Jeff Williams, USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service; Andrew James, USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service

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Not Lost in Translation: How to Select the Right Wetland Restoration Team – Lisa Cowan, PLA, ASLA, Principal, Studioverde; John Bourgeois, Executive Project Manager, South Bay Salt Pond Restoration Project; and Matt Schweisberg, Principal, Wetland Strategies and Solutions, LLC

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Bottomland Hardwood Restoration – John A. Stanturf, PhD, U.S. Forest Service; John W. Groninger, PhD Southern Illinois University

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Gulf Coast Restoration Post-Katrina – Bren Haase, Planning and Research Division, Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority, State of Louisiana; William P. Klein, Jr. Ed.D., U.S. Army Corps of Engineers; John Andrew Nyman, PhD, Professor, School of Renewable Natural Resources, Louisiana State University; Denise J. Feed, PhD, Chief Scientist, The Water Institute of the Gulf

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Establishing Reference Conditions for Performance Standards & Long Term Monitoring Results: Soils, Hydrology and Vegetation – Dr. Robert Brooks, Professor, Pennsylvania State University and Director, Riparia; Dr. W. Lee Daniels, Professor, Virginia Tech; Dr. Eric Stein, Principal Scientist, Southern California Coastal Water Research Project

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Managing Invasive Species in Wetland Restoration Projects: Considerations for Common Reed, Reed Canary Grass, Purple Loosestrife, Nutria and Feral Hogs – Margaret (Marnie) Pepper, Wildlife Biologist and Project Leader, USDA-APHIS-Wildlife Services, Chesapeake Bay Nutria Eradication Project/Nutria Detector Dog Program; Wendy Anderson, Certified Wildlife Biologist and Assistant Program Manager, USDA-APHIS-Wildlife Service, National Feral Swine Management Program; Eric Hazelton, PhD Candidate, Smithsonian Environmental Research Center and the Department of Watershed Sciences & Ecology Center, Utah State University; Ben Peterson, Aquatic Noxious Weed Specialist, King County Noxious Weed Control Program, Washington; Craig Annen, Operations Manager and Director of Research, Integrated Restorations, LLC

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Water Rights & Wetland Restoration – Alan J. Leak, P.E., Program Manager, Water Rights and Infrastructure at RESPEC and Julie A. Merritt, Water Resources Specialist/Project Manager, WGM Group

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Evaluating the Ecological Performance of Compensatory Mitigation – Joseph A. Morgan, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Wetlands Division; Dr. Eric Stein, Southern California Coastal Water Research Project; and Dr. Siobhan Fennessy, Kenyon College

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Improving Wetland Restoration "Success": What We've Learned So Far – Jeanne Christie, Executive Director and Marla Stelk, Policy Analyst, Association of State Wetland Managers; David Olson, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers; Mary Kentula, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's, National Health and Environmental Effects Laboratory's, Western Ecology Division and Larry Urban, Montana Department of Transportation

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Novel Ecosystems and Restoration – Joy Zedler, Professor of Botany and Aldo Leopold Chair of Restoration Ecology, University of Wisconsin-Madison; and Marilyn Jordan, Former Senior Conservation Scientist, The Nature Conservancy on Long Island, NY

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Wetland Restoration in Urban and Highly Disturbed Landscapes – Tom Ries, Ecosphere Restoration Institute; Steven I. Apfelbaum, Applied Ecological Services, Inc.; and Alexander J. Felson, Yale University School of Architecture & School of Forestry and Environmental Studies

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Stream-Wetland Restoration – Will Harman, Stream Mechanics and Matt Daniels, River Design Group, Inc.

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Peat Land Restoration – Norman Famous & Marcia Spencer-Famous, Spencer-Famous Environmental Consultants; Richard Weber, NRCS Wetland Team; and Larry Urban, Montana Department of Transportation

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Riverine/Riparian Wetland Restoration – Richard Weber, NRCS Wetland Team, CNTSC and Larry Urban, Montana Department of Transportation

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Prairie Pothole Restoration – Sue Galatowitsch, University of Minnesota and Carter Johnson, South Dakota State University

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Vernal Pool Restoration – How to Restore the Landscape – Mick Micacchion, Midwest Biodiversity Institute; Christina M. Schaefer, Schaefer Ecological Solutions; and Aram J.K. Calhoun, The University of Maine

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Pacific Coast Wetland Restoration – Charles ("Si") Simenstad, University of Washington and John Callaway, University of San Francisco

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Playa and Rainwater Basin Restoration – Rich Weber, NRCS Wetland Team, CNTSC and Ted LaGrange, Nebraska Game & Parks Commission

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Temperate and Tropical/subtropical Seagrass Restoration: challenges for the 21st century – Robin Lewis, Lewis Environmental Services, Inc. & Coastal Resource Group, Inc. and Mark Fonseca, CSA Ocean Sciences

2014

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Atlantic Coast Coastal Marshes and Mangrove Restoration – Robin Lewis, Lewis Environmental Services, Inc. & Coastal Resource Group, Inc.; John Teal, Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution (Scientist Emeritus); Joseph Shisler, ARCADIS; Jim Turek, NOAA Fisheries Restoration Center

November 4, 2014 [View recording here](#)

How to Prepare a Good Wetland Restoration Plan – Richard Weber, NRCS Wetland Team, CNTSC; Tom Harcarik, Ohio EPA, Division of Environmental & Financial Assistance; John Teal, Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution (Scientist Emeritus); Lisa Cowan, Professional Landscape Architect, Studioverde; Mick Micacchion, Midwest Biodiversity Institute

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A History of Wetland Drainage: How They Pulled the Plug – Tom Biebighauser, Wetland Restoration and Training

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How Restoration Outcomes are Described, Judged and Explained – Joy Zedler, Aldo Leopold Chair of Restoration Ecology, University of Wisconsin; Robin Lewis, Lewis Environmental Services, Inc. & Coastal Resource Group, Inc.; Richard Weber, NRCS Wetland Team, CNTSC; Bruce Pruitt, USACE Engineer Research & Development Center; Larry Urban, Montana Department of Transportation

Invasive Species Webinars

2018

March 21, 2018 [View recording here](#)

Invasive Species Databases: An In-depth Look at EDDMapS, the USGS Non-Indigenous Aquatic Species Database, and NEMESIS – Chuck Barger, University of Georgia; Pam Fuller, U.S. Geological Survey, Nonindigenous Aquatic Species Program; and Gregory Ruiz, Smithsonian Environmental Research Center

February 21, 2018 [View recording here](#)

Phragmites australis: Current Research and Experiments in Control Strategies for Wetland Habitat Recovery – Karin Kettenring, Utah State University; Christine Rohal, PhD Candidate, Utah State University; and Andrea Davalos, State University of New York

January 11, 2018 [View recording here](#)

Managing Invasive Species in the Great Lakes: Establishing Goals & Objectives, Monitoring Programs, and Cooperative Management Areas in Michigan – Gregory J. Norwood, Michigan Department of Natural Resources; Dr. Don Uzarski, Central Michigan University; Ryan Wheeler, Michigan Department of Natural Resources

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Harvesting Invasive Species as a Management Strategy: Opportunities, Pitfalls and Lessons Learned – Jason Goldberg, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service; Susan Pasko, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service; and Matthew Barnes, Texas Tech University

November 30, 2017 [View recording here](#)

Biological Control Strategies and Lessons Learned for Giant Salvinia, Water Hyacinth and Alligatorweed – Dr. Rodrigo Diaz, Assistant Professor, Louisiana State University Dept. of Entomology; Lori Moshman, Graduate Assistant, Louisiana State University Dept. of Entomology; and Nathan Harms, Research Biologist, U.S. Army Engineer Research and Development Center

August 17, 2017 [View recording here](#)

Invasive Species in Coastal Wetlands: Current and Future Challenges & Management Implications – Tom Hall, USDA, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, Wildlife Services Program and Anne Garwood, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality

USDA NRCS Conservation Planners Training Webinars

2019

May 6, 2019 [View recording here](#)

Webinar 9: Dealing with Changing Weather Patterns in Wetland Restoration Planning – Susan Galatowitsch, University of Minnesota, Ryan O’Connor, Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources, and Danielle Shannon, USDA Climate Hubs, Northern Institute of Applied Climate Science (NIACS)

August 5, 2019 [View recording here](#)

Webinar 8: What are the Choices and Benefits? Matching Objectives to Programs and Getting Additional Help – Andrew James, USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service, Karen Fullen, USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service, and Ted LaGrange, Nebraska Game and Parks Commission

December 2019 [View recording here](#)

Webinar 7: How to Talk about Wetlands with Landowners - Presentations Recorded (Non-Live Webinar) – Brittany Haywood, Delaware Department of Natural Resources and Andy Robertson, Saint Mary’s University of Minnesota

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Webinar 6: Identifying Resource Concerns and Determining Landowner Objectives – Presentations Recorded (Non-Live Webinar) - Ted LaGrange, Nebraska Game and Parks Commission and Bill Edwards, Natural Resources Conservation Service

February 15, 2019 [View recording here](#)

Webinar 5: Dealing with Reality: How to Work with Wetlands in Altered Landscapes – Ray Norrgard, Minnesota Department of Natural Resources; Rich Weber, NRCS retired; Mike McClure, Missouri Department of Conservation

2018

December 14, 2018 [View recording here](#)

Webinar 4: Wetlands Ecology for Planners - Examples of Variation Across the United States – Doug Norris, Wetland Program Coordinator, Minnesota Department of Natural Resources and Andy Robertson, Executive Director, Geospatial Services, Saint Mary’s University of Minnesota

November 14, 2018 [View recording here](#)

Webinar 3: Wetlands Ecology for Planners – How Wetlands Function – Stacey Clark, USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service; and Kendra Moseley, USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service

August 15, 2018 [View recording here](#)

Webinar 2: Wetlands in a Watershed at the Landscape Scale – Kendra Moseley, USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service; Lenore Vasilas, USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service; Stacey Clark, USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service

June 22, 2018 [View recording here](#)

Webinar 1: Introduction to Wetlands – Mary Manning, US Forest Service; Doug Norris, Minnesota Department of Natural Resources; and Karen Fullen, USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service

Beaver-related Restoration Webinars

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2021

March 10, 2021

Beaver Restoration for Climate Resiliency – Emily Fairfax, California State University Channel Islands

February 4, 2021

Coalition Building for Beaver Based Stream and Wetland Restoration Success – Chris Jordan, NOAA's Northwest Fisheries Science Center; Alexa Whipple, Methow Beaver Project; and Natalie Arroyo

2020

December 10, 2020

Addressing Common Barriers and Objections to Beaver Restoration Work – Wally MacFarlane, Utah State University and Justin Jimenez, Bureau of Land Management

October 13, 2020

Webinar #3: Case Studies of Long-term Changes from Beaver Restoration Activities – Ellen Wohl, Colorado State University and Nick Bouwes, Utah State University

September 24, 2020

Webinar #2: Identifying Where to Place Beavers and When to Use Beaver Mimicry for Low Tech Restoration – Joe Wheaton, Associate Professor, Utah State University

March 11, 2020

Webinar #1: The History of Beaver and the Ecosystem Services They Provide – Kent Sorenson, Habitat Restoration Biologist, Utah Division of Wildlife Resources and Amy Chadwick, Lead Ecologist, Great West Engineering

Compensatory Mitigation Training Webinars

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2020

February 20, 2020

Webinar 9: An Ecological Framework for Reviewing Compensatory Mitigation: How interests in property may affect mitigation projects – Paul Loftus, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers; Kara Hellige, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers; Robin Bedenbaugh, RES

2019

October 24, 2019

Webinar 8: An Ecological Framework for Reviewing Compensatory Mitigation: Oversight and Compliance –

Kristina Hall, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers; Sarah Woodford, Virginia Department of Environmental Quality; Ashley Zavagno, CA WRA, Inc.

June 27, 2019

Webinar 7: An Ecological Framework for Reviewing Compensatory Mitigation: Anticipating the Unexpected –

W. Lee Daniels, Thomas B. Hutcheson Professor of Environmental Soil Science, Virginia Tech; Shawn Chartrand, Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Vanderbilt University; Krystal Bell, Regulatory Program Manager, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

May 15, 2019

Webinar 6: An Ecological Framework for Reviewing Compensatory Mitigation: From Conceptual to Final Design – Matt Gause, Ecological Resources & Land Stewardship Director, Westervelt Ecological Services; Larry Urban, Wetland Mitigation Specialist, Montana Department of Transportation; and Jeanne Richardson, Mitigation Subject Matter Expert, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Norfolk District Regulatory Branch

April 18, 2019

Webinar 5: An Ecological Framework for Reviewing Compensatory Mitigation: Coherent Plans – Goals, Objectives, Performance Standards, Outcomes and Monitoring – Eric Stein, Principal Scientist, Southern California Coastal Water Research Project; Mick Micacchion, Professional Wetland Scientist and Restoration Ecologist, The Nature Conservancy; and Anthony Zemba, Environmental Specialist, Certified Ecologist/Soil Scientist, Fitzgerald & Halliday, Inc.

March 22, 2019

Webinar 4: An Ecological Framework for Reviewing Compensatory Mitigation Plans: Plan Review – Steve Martin, Environmental Scientist, Institute for Water Resources, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers; Michelle Mattson, Environmental Scientist, Institute for Water Resources, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers; Michael S. Rolband, P.E., P.W.S., P.W.D., Wetland Studies and Solutions, Inc.; and Karen Greene, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, National Marine Fisheries Service (NOAA Fisheries)

2018

August 29, 2018

Webinar 3: An Ecological Framework for Reviewing Compensatory Mitigation: Biotic Processes – Matt Gause, Westervelt Ecological Services; Mick Micacchion, The Nature Conservancy and Midwest Biodiversity Institute; Gretchen Coffman, University of San Francisco

July 16, 2018

Webinar 2: An Ecological Framework for Reviewing Compensatory Mitigation: Abiotic Processes

– Lenore Vasilas, USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service; Walter I. Priest, III, Wetland Design; Steve Eggers, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, St. Paul District

June 19, 2018

Webinar 1: An Ecological Framework for Reviewing Compensatory Mitigation

– Eric Stein, Principal Scientist, Southern California Coastal Water Research Project; Jeremy Sueltenfuss, Department of Forest and Rangeland Stewardship, Colorado State University; W. Lee Daniels, Thomas B. Hutcheson Professor of Environmental Soil Science at Virginia Tech; and Matt Schweisberg, Principal of Wetland Strategies and Solutions, LLC