

Subwatershed Committee

Thursday, October 14, 2021 | 2:00 PM – 3:30 PM

Zoom Agenda

1. Welcome and Introductions

- a. Ben Jordan
- b. Courtney Marek
- c. Josh Arnold
- d. Gerry Koning
- 2. Watershed Management Plan
 - a. Social Pinpoint
 - LGROW showed the committee updates for the resilience plan and Social Pinpoint
 - ii. maps. People have been filling out the map, but LGROW would like everyone from the group to fill out their portion also. LGROW can also provide marketing materials for the groups to promote Social Pinpoint.
 - b. Review Watershed Summary and Map
 - LGROW would like each group to review their Watershed Summary and Map. www.lgrow.org/lgrwmp Please email Courtney (Courtney.Marek@GVMC.org) with the corrections to your Watershed Summary.
 - ii. Ben will reach out to groups not present to update their maps
 - iii. What to add, what to change?
 - Please check the previous maps and let Courtney know what updates to your maps would be useful. Either to your Watershed Group or to all Watershed Groups.
 - 2. Examples of updates
 - a. Wetlands
 - b. Green Space
 - c. Impervious Land
- 3. Groups Goals for 2022

- e. Marie Snyder
- f. Pete Lewandoski
- g. Amber Snow



- a. Hosting Events
 - Please let LGROW know what events you will be hosting in the year 2022. We would like to help promote and support each Watershed. We would like to keep the LGROW calendar up to date with River Clean Ups, Drain Cleaning Events or Watershed Meetings.
- b. Future Events
 - i. Isaac Walton Salt watch
 - ii. LGROW will create an event for the beginning of the winter. LGROW and other groups who would like to be involved with go out on the same day to start the sampling. A mini blitz to keep the community and volunteers involved with our watershed groups in the winter.
- c. 2022 Jamboree
 - i. Tentatively the afternoon of September 24th, 2022
 - ii. Hosted by Rush Creek and The Refuge (Formerly Trinity Reformed Church)
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4. Upcoming

- a. Grants
 - i. EGLE 319 Ben working on Bass River Deer Creek
- b. Trainings
 - i. MiCorp training is posted online for those interested
 - ii. *Start side note create google drive to share important files between groups

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- c. Conferences
 - i. National watershed coalition
 - 1. Nov 16-17



2. Ben to send link about conference

5. Other Discussion

- a. Subwatershed Updates
 - i. Ben
 - 1. OCD: sand creek and crockery creek 319 grant signed
 - 2. Replacing septic tanks, cover crops, other BMPs
 - 3. Over 50 farmers with BMP by the end of the year
 - ii. Gerry, Rush Creek
 - 1. Work on updating Trinity Reformed Church and neighboring stream
 - iii. Amber Snow
 - 1. Flat river is in a redo period
 - Hoping to host an Open House in 2022. They are hopping to have different groups table at their event; Meap tech, District Employees, Falt River Watershed, and Entomologist.
- 6. Adjourn
 - a. Next Meeting: January 13, 2021