

Ohio Watershed Leaders Conference 2022

Thursday and Friday, September 8 - 9

AGENDA

Day 1 – Thursday, September 8

9:00-10:30 AM – Registration and Check-in

10:30-11:00 AM – Opening Remarks – Kurt Keljo, President, Ohio Watershed Professional Association and Boris Slogar, Chief Engineer, Muskingum, Watershed Conservancy District

11:00-11:45AM – Keynote Speaker – Elaine Marsh, Watershed Specialist, Summit Metro Parks

11:45AM-12:30PM – Lunch & Networking

12:30PM – Board Charter Bus for Field Trip to Watershed Restoration Sites

6:00-7:00PM – Dinner

Day 2 – Friday, September 9

8:00-8:30 AM – Breakfast

8:30-9:00 AM – Concurrent Sessions:

Session A – In-Lake Treatments – Heather Raymond, Water Quality Initiative Director, The Ohio State University

Session B – Muskingum Watershed Conservancy District Programs – Matt Thomas, Conservation Chief, Muskingum Watershed Conservancy District

9:00-9:30 AM – Concurrent Sessions:

Session A – Buckeye Lake – Pete Thomas, President, Buckeye Lake for Tomorrow

Session B – Building Stream Ecosystems – Brian Zimmerman

9:30-9:45AM - Break

9:45-10:15AM – Concurrent Sessions:

Session A – Portage Lakes – Stephanie Deibel, Watershed Coordinator, Summit Soil and Water Conservation District

Session B – Walhonding Watershed Study – Ozeas Costa, Associate Professor, The Ohio State University

10:15-10:45AM – Concurrent Sessions:

Session A – Indian Lake – Tom Langhals, President, Indian Lake Watershed Project

Session B – Citizen Science – Max Herzog, Program Manager, Cleveland Water Alliance

10:45-11:15 – Concurrent Sessions:

Session A – TBD

Session B – Launching the Ohio River Way – Frances Mennone, Steering Committee,
Ohio River Way

11:15AM-12:15PM () – Ohio Department of Agriculture Watershed Managers - TBD

12:15-1:00PM – Lunch and Legislative Update – Ohio Environmental Council

1:00-1:30 – Closing Remarks and Evaluations