

V. Old Business

a. SLWCD Projects & Grants

i. SLWCD Flood Damage Reduction Planning Study (Miles Hebert)-

1. Met with NRCS, looking for action items.
 - a. Previous agreement in archive (2009), looking to find it
 - b. Request had already been given, could possible help with preliminary feasibility report. NRCS will go back to their superiors to come up with a plan to support SLWCD in some way.
 - c. Hebert discussed what he had expected and what was made clearer to him on what NRCS could do to help.
 - d. Hawthorne discussed the Lobdell Creek dump site and looking into funding to clean it up.
2. Need more time collaborating with the other consultants before meeting with USGS
3. Discussed writing letters to landowners to get on their properties to look at priority log jams.
 - a. Would give awareness, and get permission to go on property.
 - b. Soil and Water can help inform the landowners.

ii. Raccoon & Lobdell Creek Debris & Field Study and Snag & Clearing Grant (Kyle Seitz)-

1. Kyle discussed needing to contact landowners on flooding issues
2. Spoke with Sarah Glass and looking to get more information from the Army Corp.
3. Stated the debris field rating/scaling would be great to use to help with the log jam issues.
4. Kyle discussed working with Doug Spieles at Dennison University to do a preliminary 9-Element plan to gather information on the Headwaters of Raccoon Creek.
5. The Kirkersville HUC 9-Element Plan is coming along. Working on how to include E-Coli. Sebastian Teas stated Kyle should speak with Greg and to look over Chapter 3 of the Buckeye Lake 9-Element Plan.
6. Did first round of sampling on Union Ridge site (upstream and downstream) for water quality.

b. Watershed Update

i. Fairfield County SWCD (Johnathan Ferbrache)- no update

ii. Licking County SWCD (Kristy Hawthorne & Kyle Seitz)-

1. Hawthorne discussed the Commissioners entering into a contract with ms consultants for the 2D Model. Did not apply for the BRIC due to time restraints. Starting surveying on Monday.
 - a. Hawthorne met with ms consultants, Ken Oswalt, Carolyn Wells about the BRIC grant and the Commissioners decided on the HMPG grant, which will be more geared to the engineer side of things.
 - b. Hawthorne and Linda have been working on the pre-application. Application is due September 30th.
2. LCSWCD, SLWCD Directors and Craig Butler with the MWCD will be meeting with the City of New Albany (tomorrow at 3pm) to give them an overview on what projects are going on with SLWCD and concerns that SLWCD may have.

iii. Perry County SWCD (David Snider)- no update

VI. New Business

a. Fairfield County Emergency Management- Countywide All Hazard Mitigation Plan Update

- i.** Fairfield sent requests for what they needed. Elder discussed submitting what we would like to see in their hazard mitigation, primarily the Fairfield County portion of the South Fork of the Watershed.
- ii.** Channel maintenance and EMH&T's work should be included in the mitigation plan.
- iii.** Straub stated the South Fork Licking River is pretty well monitored.

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VII. Public Comment- no public comment

VIII. Motion to adjourn:

Daniel Blatter moved to adjourn at 6:55 pm, Linda Nicodemus seconded. Motion carried unanimously.

IX. Next Meeting: October 25, 2022- 6pm Hebron Municipal Complex

Respectfully submitted,

Britney Stuller, Secretary/Treasurer

Kevin Elder, Chair SLWCD

Linda Nicodemus, Director SLWCD