



“To educate and provide opportunities for people of diverse interests to work together to improve the environmental, recreational, cultural, and economic resources of the Rock River Basin”

2016 Volunteer Stream Monitoring Gathering	
Saturday, March 5: 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM	
Fitchburg Community Center, 5510 Lacy Rd, Fitchburg, WI 53711	
9:00 AM	9:15 AM Registration
9:15 AM	9:30 AM Introduction
9:30 AM	10:20 AM Building Partnerships For Stream Health
	From Pilot Project to Full Scale Adaptive Management <i>Kathy Lake, Environmental Specialist, Madison Metropolitan Sewerage District</i>
	From Watershed Network Gatherings to Watershed Plan: Update from Dane County <i>Susan Sandford, Strategic Engagement Coordinator, Dane Co. Office of Lakes & Watersheds</i>
	Full Scale Adaptive Management: Update on RRC Volunteer Stream Monitoring Project <i>Nancy Sheehan, Stream Monitoring Program Coordinator, The Rock River Coalition</i>
10:20 AM	10:30 AM Break
10:30 AM	11:10 AM The Story Behind the Water Quality Data--Part I
	The 2015 Water Year: USGS Monitoring in the Yahara River Watershed <i>Todd Stuntebeck, Physical Scientist, Water Quality Assessments and Monitoring, USGS</i>
	Impact of Nutrients on Stream Biological Communities <i>Mike Sorge, Water Resources Management Specialist, WDNR</i>
11:10 AM	11:15 AM Break
11:15 AM	11:45 AM The Story Behind the Water Quality Data--Part II
	Volunteer Collected Data Trends <i>Nancy Sheehan, Stream Monitoring Program Coord., RRC</i>
	Monitoring Of Pheasant Branch In Focus <i>Herb Garn, retired USGS and volunteer stream monitor</i>
11:45 AM	1:00 PM Working Lunch
	Review of Monitoring Protocols, Sampling Methods and Data Entry Hand out equipment and supplies

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