



Meeting Information

Tuesday January 13th, 2026
1:30 pm

In-Person Location

Twin Ponds Nature Center
1811 240th St.
Ionia, IA 50645

Virtual Location/Zoom Link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84696921716>

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Agenda

WMA Board Meeting

Call to order

Roll call and Introductions

Approval of Agenda

Approval of the October 21st, 2025 Minutes

New Business

Water Quality Report 2025 - Dr. Martin St. Clair, University of Iowa IIHR

Presentation of Statewide surface water quality data for 2025 sampling season.

Partnership Opportunity - Andrew Rust, Freshwater Restoration Specialist with the Nature Conservancy in Iowa

TNC is currently preparing a NAWCA Standard grant proposal focused on wetland restoration and protection work in the Cedar, Wapsi, and Iowa River watersheds. Andrew will present the project in more detail and the potential role of the Upper Wapsi WMA.

American Flood Coalition Membership - Ross

Discussion if the Upper Wapsi WMA would like to be a part of the American Flood Coalition Membership.

Watershed Coordinator Update - Ross and Tori:

- Grant(s) Status
- WMA coordinator expense report
- WMA funding request for FY2027

Public Comment/ Other Partner Updates:

Opportunity for partners in attendance to update the WMA board on upcoming events or related projects.

Next Meeting Date

Next Meeting: April 2026