



# 2015 Midwest Chapter Meeting

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### *March 11-13, 2015*

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# Event Schedule

## Wednesday, March 11

**1630-1800 Registration**

**1800-2000 Opening Reception**



**Sediment Dewatering**

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## Thursday March 12

**730-815**

**Breakfast**

DoubleTree by Hilton

**815-820**

**Welcome**

James Wescott

WEDA Midwest Chapter

**820-830**

**Opening Remarks**

Tom Verna

WEDA Executive Director

**830-855**

**Extreme Winter Dredging**

Mike Russell

Russell Marine

**855-920**

**Designing Dredge Prisms to Remove Impacted Sediments While Protecting Infrastructure**

Mike Ellis

Barr Engineering

**920-945**

**Navigational Dredging in the Detroit Harbor, Washington Island, Wisconsin Permitting and Management**

Ken Potrykus

Foth Infrastructure and Environment





**945-1015 Break**

**1015-1040 Sediment Cleanout on a Small Retirement Community Detention Basin**

Bill Santelik

Integrated Lakes Management

**1040-1105 The Use of Geotextile Tubes to Create an Emergent Wetland Forebay**

Randy Pit

Geo-Synthetics LLC

**1105-1130 Building Habitat: Post-Dredging Restoration Design Considerations at Onondaga Lake**

Tony St. Aubin

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**1130-1155 Lincoln Park Phase 1 Habitat Restoration**

Huck Raddemann/Corey Wilcox CH2MHill

**1155-1300 Lunch & Business Meeting**

Jim Wescott

Hilton DoubleTree

**1300-1700 Technical Tour - Lincoln Park/Milwaukee River Channel Phase II**

Eric Bowman

EQM

**Industry Tour - Sprecher Brewing Co., Inc.**

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- 730-815 Breakfast**
- 815-820 Welcome**  
Karl Schmitz WEDA Midwest Chapter
- 820-845 Walz Volumetric Load Scanning**  
Matt Walz Walz Scale
- 845-910 Navigating the Vessel General Permit With Regards to EAL's**  
Scott Kovanda American Chemical Technologies
- 910-935 Innovations in Insitu Stabilization Treatment of Dredged Material Placement Areas for Redevelopment and Remediation**  
Charles Wilk ALLU Group
- 935-1000 Break**
- 1005-1030 Optimization of Arsenic Sediment Remediation in Lower Menominee River Area**  
George Hicks/Karl Olm CH2MHill/ECCS Mobile Labs
- 1030-1055 Implementing a Long-term Maintenance Dredging Program: Accomplishments and Lessons Learned**  
Mike Donahue/Boris Slogar  
URS/Muskingum Watershed Conservancy District
- 1055-1120 River Raisin Investigation- Field and Laboratory Verification Techniques for an Interim Sand and Organoclay in Situ Cap to Address PCB Contamination in the River Raisin.**  
Rich Weber Natural Resource Technology, Inc.
- 1120-1145 River Raisin NAPL Area - Where do we go from here?**  
Andrew Corbin AnchorQEA
- 1145-1200 Closing Remarks**  
Jim Wescott WEDA Midwest Chapter



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