

Wetland Task Force Meeting Agenda - 5.28.2025

8:30 AM - 9:30 AM @ RI City Hall

Wetland Task Force Members and Key Roles

Attended meeting

- Ashley Harris - RI Mayor
- Miles Brainard - RI Community Economic Development
- Thomas Flaherty - Assistant to RI City Manager & Economic Development Director
- Todd Thompson - RI City Manager
- Sarah Hayden - RI Community Engagement Manager
- Randy Hurt - RI Second Ward Council Member
- Tanner Osing - Planning & Zoning
- Missy Gasiorowski - General contractor with Hodge construction with the development
- Hannah Alexander - NTI Representative
- Mike Thoms - Resident
- Nina Struss - River Health & Resiliency Organizer with Prairie Rivers Network
- Tim Pressly - Land owner
- Jon Duyvejonck - Retired Wildlife Biologist (USFWS), Sierra Club
- Kathy Wine - Executive Director at River Action
- **Special Guest:** Kai Swanson - President of the Rock Island County Forest Preserve Commission

Agenda

A. Discussion with the Rock Island County Forest Preserve Commission (Kai Swanson)

B. Discuss Working Timeline

- a. **June 9 (Council Meeting)**- Update on Task Force to the public at council meeting? Press release?
- b. **June 11 (TF Meeting)** - Task force review & edit proposed presentation for easement options to council (submitted by Nina & NWF)
- c. **June 25 (TF Meeting)** - Final presentation for easement options to council approved by Task Force
- d. **July 14 (Council Meeting)**- Presentation of easement options & Task Force recommendation to council in Study Session
- e. **July 14 or July 28 (Council Meeting)** - Council vote on CE recommendation?

C. Other Agenda Items?

D. Next Meeting: June 11, 2025.