



**PRE-WORKSHOP WEBINAR AGENDA
JUNE 29, 2023**

Organizations and initiatives that address multi-benefit conservation practices in the Upper Mississippi River basin

Purpose: Understand existing projects that are addressing gaps in financial, research, and communication/social science at different scales.

June 29 from 1 to 3 p.m. CST

| Time | Topic | Presenter |
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| 1:00 p.m. | Introductions | <i>Kirsten Wallace, UMRBA</i> |
| 1:05 | Webinar Overview | <i>Brian Stenquist, UMRBA</i> |
| 1:10 | Review of UMRBA November 9-10, 2022 Multi-Benefit Conservation Practice Workshop | <i>Lauren Salvato, UMRBA</i> |
| 1:15 | Cover Crop Incentives Directory and Illinois Sustainable Agricultural Partnership Initiatives | <i>Helen VanBeck, Illinois Sustainable Ag Partnership/American Farmland Trust</i> |
| 1:35 | A Guide to Water Quality, Climate, Social, and Economic Outcomes Estimation Tools | <i>Dr. Michelle Perez and Aysha Tapp Ross, American Farmland Trust</i> |
| 1:55 | Tools and Opportunities for Cultivating Watershed Leadership | <i>Jenny Seifert, UW Madison, Division of Extension</i> |
| 2:20 | Questions | <i>All</i> |
| 2:50 | Preview of September 13, 2023 Pre Workshop Webinar and October 3-4, 2023 Workshop | <i>Lauren Salvato, UMRBA</i> |
| 3:00 p.m. | Adjourn | |

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PRE-WORKSHOP WEBINAR AGENDA SEPTEMBER 13, 2023

Federal Funding for Conservation Practices with Multiple Benefits

Purpose: Understand the various federal funding mechanisms that can fund multi-benefit conservation practice implementation

September 13 from 1 to 3 p.m. CST

| Time | Topic | Presenter |
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| 1:00 p.m. | Introductions | <i>Kirsten Wallace, UMRBA</i> |
| 1:05 | Webinar Overview | <i>Brian Stenquist, UMRBA</i> |
| 1:10 | Overview of federal funding opportunities from the Inflation Reduction Act (IRA) and Bipartisan Infrastructure Law <ul style="list-style-type: none">• State Revolving Fund program• State Revolving Fund program support for the Mississippi River Basin• 604(b) Funding• IRA and Climate Smart Commodities• Water Infrastructure and Resiliency Finance Center | <i>Allison Souders, USEPA</i> <i>Becca Trueman, Quantified Ventures</i> <i>Joseph Ziobro, USEPA</i> <i>TBD NRCS</i> <i>Ellen Tarquinio, USEPA</i> |
| 2:20 | Discussion | <i>All</i> |
| 2:35 | Review of October 3-4, 2023 Multi-Benefit Conservation Practice Workshop Agenda | <i>Lauren Salvato, UMRBA</i> |
| 2:45 p.m. | Adjourn | |

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