

Upper Mississippi River Meetings Announcement

Schedule

Tuesday, October 13

10:00 a.m. — 2:30 p.m. Upper Mississippi River Basin Association (UMRBA)
Quarterly Meeting

Meeting web page:

<https://umrba.org/event/umrba-quarterly-meeting/10-13-26>

Wednesday, October 14

8:30 a.m. — 12:00 p.m. Upper Mississippi River Restoration (UMRR) Coordinating Committee
Quarterly Meeting

Meeting web page:

<https://umrba.org/event/umrr-coordinating-committee-quarterly-meeting/10-14-26>

UMRBA Notice of Nondiscrimination:

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Logistics, Accommodations, and Public Comment

To Participate In-Person:

Quad-Cities Waterfront Convention Center
Meeting Room: Iowa Room
2021 State Street
Bettendorf, IA 52722

To Participate Remotely:

UMRBA is currently using the Zoom platform to enable remote participation in UMRBA's quarterly meetings.

For security purposes, remote participants are required to register through Zoom prior to connecting to the meeting. This action can be taken at any time, including right before joining the meeting. This information is available on the meeting web page (as provided on the first page).

The Zoom platform offers closed captioning and translates the captions in real-time to another language. Meeting participants can self-enable the captions and select the desired language. Instructions are available on [zoom.com](https://zoom.us). Please also contact UMRBA Nondiscrimination Coordinator, Natalie Lenzen, at umrba@umrba.org, for assistance in enabling the language translation capabilities in Zoom.

To Request Accommodations:

By **September 28, 2026**, submit a request to the UMRBA Nondiscrimination Coordinator, Natalie Lenzen, at umrba@umrba.org, for language assistance service, auxiliary aid or service, and/or another reasonable accommodation.

To Request Special Presentation:

By **September 25, 2026**, submit a request to the UMRBA Executive Director, Kirsten Wallace, at umrba@umrba.org, to reserve a special presentation time during the quarterly meeting of the Upper Mississippi River Basin Association or the Upper Mississippi River Restoration Coordinating Committee.

Questions/Comments: Contact the UMRBA Office at 651-224-2880 or umrba@umrba.org.



180th Quarterly Meeting Bettendorf, Iowa

Agenda October 13, 2026

Time	Topic	Presenter
10:00 a.m.	Call to Order and Introductions	Chris Wieberg, Missouri DNR <i>UMRBA Board Chair</i>
10:05	Approval of Minutes of August 4, 2026 Meeting	
10:10	Executive Director's Report	Kirsten Wallace, UMRBA
10:15	FEWscapes Scenarios for Policy and Management	TBD, University of Wisconsin-Madison
10:45	Agricultural Conservation for Aquatic Habitat Tool (Ag-CAB)	Bryan Piazza, The Nature Conservancy
11:10	NIDIS National and Midwest Strategic Plans	Molly Woloszyn, NOAA
11:40	MARAD Strategic Marine Highway Network Initiative	TBD, MARAD
12:00 noon	Lunch	
1:15 p.m.	UMR Master Plan: 45 Year Reflection	TBD
1:45	UMRBA Strategic Planning: Partner Perspectives	Kirsten Wallace, UMRBA
2:15	Administrative Issues — Future Meeting Schedule	Chris Wieberg, Missouri DNR
2:30 p.m.	Adjourn	



Quarterly Meeting
Bettendorf, Iowa

**Upper Mississippi River Restoration
Coordinating Committee**

October 14, 2026

Preliminary Agenda

Time	Topic	Presenter
8:30 a.m.	Call to Order and Introductions	Sabrina Chandler, USFWS, <i>Chair</i>
8:35	Approval of Minutes of August 5, 2026 Meeting	
8:40	Welcome and Opening Remarks	Lt. Col. Matthew Fletcher, USACE
8:45	FY 2026 Fiscal Report and FY 2027 Outlook	Marshall Plumley, USACE
9:00	FY 2026 Year-In-Review	Marshall Plumley, USACE
	• Programmatic Highlights • Key Accomplishments	LTRM and HREP Managers, USACE and USGS UMRBA
10:15	Break	
10:30	40 TH Anniversary Recognition	UMRR Coordinating Committee
11:15	UMRR 2025-2035 Strategic Plan	Marshall Plumley, USACE
11:40	A Community-Driven Definition of Ecosystem Health for the Mississippi River	Olivia Dorothy, One Mississippi
11:55	Other Business	Sabrina Chandler, USFWS
	— Future Meeting Schedule	
12:00 noon	Adjourn	