
URBANWATERS

A Partnership for Restoring Urban Waterways and Revitalizing Communities

July UW meeting merged with EMPC Public Trust Presentation

Note Updated Time:

Thursday, July 11, 9 -12:00 Central at [NIRPC](#), Portage, IN

On July 11th NIRPC's Environmental Management Policy Commission (EMPC) is offering a special presentation on the public trust doctrine and lakefront access. Since this is a relevant Urban Waters topic, we've decided to merge it with the July Urban Waters meeting. We encourage our Urban Waters and EMPC partners to attend the EMPC presentation and stay for the Urban Waters meeting immediately to follow.

Tentative agenda:

9:00 - 10:30 - EMPC Special Presentation Past, Present, and Future of the Public Trust Doctrine

-featuring Jeffrey B. Hyman, PH.D., J.D., Senior Staff Attorney of the Conservation Law Center and Legal Council to Save the Dunes and State Senator Karen Tallian

10:30 - 10:45 - Break

10:45 - 12:00 - NWI Urban Waters meeting

The Northwest Indiana Urban Waters Partnership focuses on the Lake Michigan watershed in Lake, LaPorte and Porter Counties, Indiana.

Urban Waters works to connect urban communities, particularly those that are overburdened or economically distressed, with their waterways by improving coordination among federal agencies and state and local partners. The goals are to improve the Nation's water systems and to promote their economic, environmental and social benefits.