



CONFERENCE AGENDA

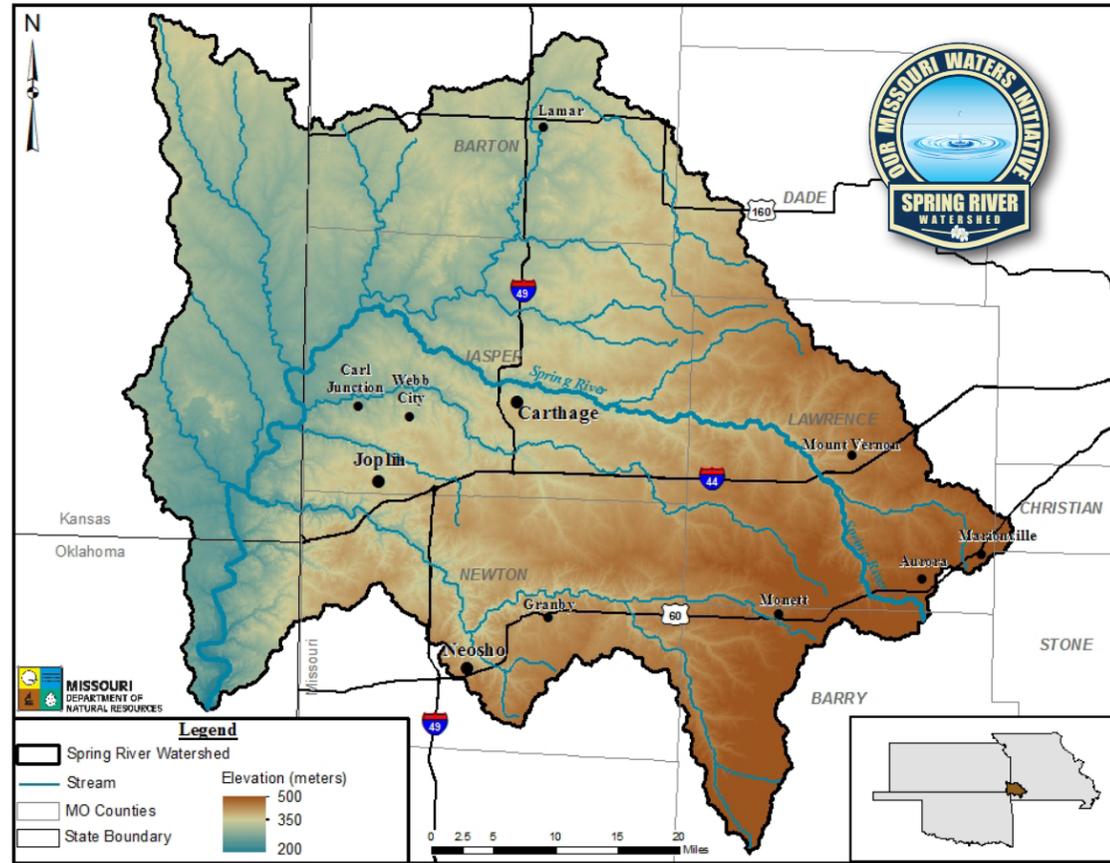
Thursday, May 30, 2013

7:30 to 8:30 a.m.	Registration	
8:30 a.m.	Call to Order	Ginny Wallace Missouri Department Of Natural Resources
8:40 a.m.	Welcome	Sara Parker Pauley, Director Missouri Department of Natural Resources
9 a.m. to 1:45 p.m.	The State of the Spring River Watershed	
9 a.m.	SocioEconomic Considerations	Drew Holt Harry S Truman Coordinating Council
9:20 a.m.	Watershed Characteristics and Ecological Setting	Keri Teal Missouri Department of Conservation
9:40 a.m.	Stream Water Quality and Watershed Activities	Michael Kruse Missouri Department of Natural Resources
10:15 a.m.	Break	
10:30 a.m.	Overview of Missouri Department of Conservation's Comprehensive Conservation Strategy in the Spring River Watershed	Ronda Headland Missouri Department of Conservation
11 a.m.	Long Term Water Supply & Drought Planning	Ryan Mueller, Missouri Department of Natural Resources' Water Resources Center Gail Melgren, Tri-State Water Resources Coalition
11:45 a.m. to 1 p.m.	Complimentary Lunch Buffet and Networking in Exhibit Hall	
1 p.m.	The State of Wastewater and Drinking Water Infrastructure and A Vision for the Future	Phil Walsack Missouri Public Utility Alliance
1:30 p.m.	Assessing Watershed Issues	

1:45 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.	Local Watershed Community Perspective	
1:45 p.m.	An Interstate Watershed Perspective	Jim Triplett, Grand Lake O' Cherokee Watershed Alliance Foundation
2:10 p.m.	Local Projects and Opportunities	Tony Moehr and Eric Ferrell Environmental Task Force of Jasper and Newton Counties
2:35 p.m.	Mining Remediation in the Oronogo-Duenweg Mining Belt Site	Mark Doolan U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 7
3 p.m.	Break	
3:15 p.m.	Springfield Plateau Restoration Plan and Natural Resource Damages	Tim Rielly Missouri Department of Natural Resources Scott Hamilton, US Fish and Wildlife Services
3:40 p.m.	Natural Resource Conservation Service Programs and Activities in the Spring River Watershed	Lynn Jenkins and Diana Sheridan Natural Resources Conservation Service
4:05 p.m.	Developing a Watershed Restoration and Protection Plan for the Spring River Basin	Robert Wilson and Josh Roe Kansas State University
4:30 p.m.	Introduction to Tomorrow's Agenda	Ginny Wallace Missouri Department of Natural Resources
5 p.m.	Adjourn	
5:30 to 7:30 p.m.	Networking Reception and Hearty Hors'd Oeuvres in the Exhibit Hall	

Friday, May 31, 2013

8 a.m.	Call To Order	Ginny Wallace Missouri Department Of Natural Resources
8:15a.m.	Spring River Watershed – Moving Forward	Karen Flournoy U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 7
8:45 a.m.	Resource Opportunities with the Missouri Department of Natural Resources	Jim Macy, Missouri Department of Natural Resources Financial Assistance Center
9:15	Charge to Breakout Groups	
9:45 a.m.	Break	
10 a.m.	Breakout Groups	
Noon to 1 p.m.	Complimentary Lunch Buffet	
1 p.m.	Breakout Groups	
3 p.m.	Breakout Group Reports and Wrap-Up	
3:45 p.m.	Call to action	Robert Stout Missouri Department of Natural Resources Jim Honey, Jasper County Commissioner
4 p.m.	Adjourn	



The **Spring River Watershed** is a critical inter-state watershed in southwest Missouri. Missouri shares this drainage basin with Kansas and Oklahoma, and it eventually discharges into Grand Lake O' the Cherokees, which represents a highly important recreational resource. The Spring River Watershed has some excellent water quality, but also has water quality impairments related to historical mining and agricultural runoff.

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