

AGENDA

Ohio Phosphorus Task Force

March 27, 2007 10:00 am – 3:00 pm

Riffe Center for Government and the Arts

19th floor, Room 1960

77 South High Street (map attached)

WELCOME, INTRODUCTIONS 20 -30 minutes

Ohio EPA Director Chris Korleski will be joining us briefly to welcome the Task Force.

- Purpose of the Task Force, logistics
- Overview of the day

AN OVERVIEW OF PHOSPHORUS 20-30 minutes - PRIMER

Dave Baker, Heidelberg College

- Forms of phosphorus: total, particulate and dissolved
- Bioavailability of the different forms
- Summary of total loadings to Lake Erie from external sources

AN OVERVIEW OF CURRENT RESEARCH IN LAKE ERIE 60 minutes

Presentations

- Phosphorus and Dissolved Oxygen monitoring – Paul Bertram, Great Lakes National Program Office, Chicago
- Trophic Level Study – an overview – Gerry Matisoff, Case Western Reserve University
- Maumee Bay and algal blooms – Tom Bridgeman, University of Toledo
- Discussion

12:00 Lunch

AN OVERVIEW OF TRIBUTARY MONITORING DATA 20 minutes

Pete Richards, Heidelberg College

- Trends in total, particulate and dissolved phosphorus loading to Lake Erie
- Discussion of other data sources for trend information

OPEN DISCUSSION

- Framing the topics and information needs for future meetings

WRAP UP; SET MEETING SCHEDULE
