

Indian Creek Watershed Management Authority
Board of Directors
1:30 pm, October 11, 2023
Marion City Hall, 1225 6th Avenue, Marion
Virtual Zoom Meeting Option

Board Members Attending Zoom Meeting: Cedar Rapids – Alec Matthews; Linn SWCD – Bruce Frana; Marion – Steve Cooper; Robins – Mike Kortenkamp; Hiawatha – Jon Fitch

Others Present: Steve Erikson – resident; Thomas Doyle and Todd Steigerwaldt – Marion; Jon Gallagher – Linn County Soil Conservation; Leland Freien – resident; Martin Smith – resident; Rick Sandstrom – resident; Jennifer Fencl – ECICOG

Call to Order at 1:34 pm

FY23 Budget Update: Fencl provided the budget spreadsheet and reported that the FY24 invoices went out in late June.

Soil Health Partnership Project: Jon G. reported that Alyssa left the Soil Health Coordinator position and that she did a great job organizing several outreach events. Through the Cedar Rapids Clean Water Project there are 12 edge-of-field projects getting done in the watershed. Jon G. is working on a contract extension with NRCS for

Creekside Pride Water Trails / Greenways Master Plan: Thomas presented a sampling plan to better understand the water quality in areas identifies in the Plan for improvements.

Partner Updates:

- Recovery, Resilience & Restoration – Conservation Efforts in Linn County on August 30th at 9:30 am at the Indian Creek Nature Center
- Lower Cedar WMA Board of Directors meeting 6:30 pm on November 8, 2022

Announcements: none

Public Comments: none

Next meeting: The next ICWMA Board meeting 1:30 pm, October 12, 2022 location TBD

Adjourn: Meeting adjourn at 2:48 pm