

**WORKING DRAFT OF
OUTLINE OF AD HOC ADVISORY COMMITTEE CHARGE
CHIPPEWA COUNTY LAND AND WATER RESOURCE MANAGEMENT
PLAN REVISION**

The ad hoc committee is advisory to the Chippewa County Dept. of Land Conservation & Forest Management, and is established to assist the Department to revise the current Chippewa County Land and Water Resource Management Plan.

The stated purpose of the plan is to:

1. Meet statutory requirements for County Land and Water Plan content, outlined in WI Stats. 92.19(6)1-8, as it applies to land conservation and nonpoint source pollution control.
2. Document procedures used to plan and coordinate land and natural resource management programs administered by Chippewa County departments.
3. Define local program objectives and activities that will be used to implement land conservation and resources management efforts administered by the County.
4. Compile information and recommendations that may contribute to the cultural, natural resource, and agricultural protection components of the Chippewa County Comprehensive Plan.

Duties and Responsibilities

The ad hoc committee is responsible for reviewing the content of the Chippewa County Land and Water Resource Management Plan and providing structured feedback on the plan goals, objectives, and proposed activities.

Specific duties and tasks are as follows:

1. Review natural resource conditions and issues, as defined in the current Chippewa County Land and Water Resource Management Plan. Review and provide comment on revised issue statements.
2. Review resource management goals and objectives, as defined in the current Chippewa County Land and Water Resource Management Plan. Review and provide comment on existing land and resource management goals and objectives.
3. Review and provide comments on proposed program objectives that have been developed to address environmental issues and to pursue resource management goals.
4. Review and provide comments on planned program activities, as proposed to achieve program objectives.

5. Review draft revisions to the land and water plan and solicit comments from stakeholder organizations on the public hearing draft of the plan.

Term of Ad Hoc Committee and Anticipated Meetings

The Committee will serve during the plan development, committee outreach, and plan adoption phase of the land and water planning process.

The anticipated meeting schedule and meeting focus is as follows:

March 1, 2014 – August 1, 2014

Meeting 1 (4/2/14) Duties 1, 2

Meeting 2 (4/16/14) Duties 3, 4

Meeting 3 As needed

Wrap up.

Public Information Meeting(s) – 6/25/14 (?)

Public Hearing

Agency Team Advisors

DNR

DATCP

NRCS

FSA

UWEX

Planning & Zoning Dept.

Citizen Advisory Group of Stakeholder Interests

Agricultural Interests

-Farm Bureau

-Farmers Union

Conservation Nonprofits/Land Trusts Interests

Woodlot Owners & Forestry Interests

Streams, Lake, and Water Interests

Non-Metallic Mining Interests

Outdoor Recreational Interests

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