

Agenda

Bonanza Valley Groundwater Management Area Planning Project

Project Advisory Team (PAT) Meeting

Wednesday, July 23rd, 2014 – 9:00 a.m. – noon

American Legion Club, 770 W State Highway 23, Paynesville, Minnesota

Meeting Purpose: Review project progress and solicit feedback on Strategy #2 and #3

Team Leader: Mark Hauck, DNR Division of Ecological and Water Resources

Facilitator: Charlie Petersen, Management Analysis & Development

Invitees: Project Advisory Team (PAT) and open to other stakeholders

Agenda Items:

9:00 Welcome and Introductions of Project Advisory Team

9:15 Overview of the Groundwater Management Area Process

9:20 Updates

9:30 Continue Discussion on Management Strategy #2a “Improve information available for groundwater management decisions”

Greg Kruse, MN DNR Water Monitoring and Surveys Unit Supervisor – Improve statewide and Bonanza Valley monitoring network

Tom Hovey, MN DNR Water Regulations Unit Supervisor – Improve the management of groundwater appropriation permits

10:30 Break

10:40 Small Group Discussion and Reporting – Strategies #2a and #3

11:40 Other Stakeholder questions – Strategies #2a and #3

11:50 Project Advisory Team Meeting Conclusion & Summary

Next Advisory Team Meeting

August 27th, 2014, 9:00 a.m. – noon

Location: Classic Company Dinner Theater, 120 Central Avenue, Brooten, Minnesota 56362.

Topic:

Continue discussion of Management Strategy #3 - Improving management of groundwater appropriation permits and discussion of Strategy #6 – Effectively address specific groundwater management challenges in areas of high groundwater use and /or limited groundwater supply.

