

# MINI-CONFERENCE

## IMPROVE YOUR PLANNING USING TODAY'S TECHNOLOGY

### A Geographic Information Systems (GIS) Primer for Decision Makers

Friday, January 27, 2006

- 8:30 a.m.     **Registration and Coffee**
- 9:00 a.m.     **Welcome and Opening Remarks**  
Patrick Nehring, Community Resource Development (CRD) Educator  
Waushara County University of Wisconsin Extension (UWEX)
- 9:05 a.m.     **The Basics of GIS for Decision Makers**  
William Huxhold, Professor UW-Milwaukee
- 9:30 a.m.     **National Level GIS Efforts & Resources**  
Dick Vraga, United States Geological Survey (USGS)  
Geospatial Liaison for Wisconsin and Illinois
- 9:50 a.m.     **State Level GIS Efforts & Resources**  
Ken Pabich, Calumet County Land Information Officer (LIO) and  
President of Wisconsin Land Information Association (WLIA)
- 10:10 a.m.    **Overview of GIS Related Decision Support Tools**  
Dreux Watermolen, WI DNR Section Chief,  
Science Information Services
- 10:30 a.m.    **Break**
- 10:40 a.m.    **Real Examples of GIS and Planning:**
- Regional:** Lake Michigan Ice Age Trail Planning in the Bay-Lake Region  
                  Tony Bellovary, GIS Coordinator: Bay-Lake Regional Planning  
                  Commission
- County:** GIS on the Web, An Integration of Maps, Property Records &  
                  Document Imaging  
                  Marilyn Mueller, Kewaunee County Register of Deeds / Land Information  
                  Officer (LIO)
- Local:** Town of Richford (Waushara County) Agricultural Preservation  
                  Policies  
                  Eric Fowle, Executive Director ECWRPC
- 11:50 a.m.    **Wrap Up and Closing Remarks**  
Eric Fowle, Executive Director ECWRPC  
Mark Walter, Executive Director BLRPC

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