

## RCWTA/RCP Meeting Minutes

May 28<sup>th</sup>, 2014

### RCWTA-

- Treasury Report: RCWTA Total-\$1,837.66---Took \$20.00 for ½ of Paw Paw Booth
- **Canoe Reg., Tarp, Sales:**
- Monday Creek Canoe Float will be taking place on June 8<sup>th</sup>, meet at public put in on Hocking Parkway.
- ORSANCO Clean Sweep: June 21<sup>st</sup>, we will meet at the Vinton Park and busses will shuttle volunteers to Alice Rd. Ewington, from there we will canoe to the Village of Vinton, cleaning up the stream as we go. We will be meeting at 10AM. T-shirts and trash bags will be supplied. We will be sending out more information to the membership soon! RSVP!
- Map Sales: We need to check in with Lake Hope, Vinton SWCD, and ABC Bookstore to see how sales are going and if they need any more.

### RCP-

- Treasury Report: RCP- Total \$11,382.36
- KEEN Grant - \$ 2,211.99
- Ora Anderson Grant - \$2,392.73—spent \$637.67 on (2) REI Kayaks, \$978.00 on Water Quality Meter (Myron), \$391.60 on Dip Nets, we will also be purchasing 3 mobile data (GPS) units, a remote deployable Water Quality Sensor for Hewett Fork Monitoring, field packs, and signage. Must spend by 6.30.15! Logo should be used as much as possible, and lots of pics!
- General Funds: \$6,151.63 AEP Bill @ \$36.45
- Sub Acct. for Sarah Landers has been made - Water Quality Specialist (Sarah's \$) \$625.01-Paid \$375.00 for Seminar
- Quidell wants to help with Waterloo paint (\$2,000)
- Amy will check back in with Creeklife Funding Opp.
- We have 2 new interns from Hocking for the summer that need to log 120 hours for their academic practicum. 1. Dustin Gross 2. CJ Lane
- Jen Bowman has an apprentice (Kalen Robeson) who will be working 25 hours a week and will be available to help us with both sampling and camps.
- Steven Malueg (OU) will also be helping us much of the summer.
- Amy will be gone all next week for EPA Fish Certifications in Columbus.
- AmeriCorps Applications are due June 7<sup>th</sup>, we need people! Spread the word!
- AmeriCorps has received a federal grant and will now be holding 26 positions instead of our current 16.
- Carbondale Doser – in a nutshell, it's having major issues! The doser has been bridging (material getting stuck and not dispensing) almost daily for a month

now. This is bad because we need constant treatment to maintain good water quality downstream. We have been going out several times per day and checking the system and getting it to work if it is not.

- 319 Grants are due in July, we want to move forward with a lowhead dam project in Wellston. More info to come.
- MAIS Training is June 11<sup>th</sup>!
- We will discuss possible Raft Race ideas at our next meeting. The race is scheduled for Aug. 10<sup>th</sup>.
- We will be placing another order for T-shirts and ordering extras for upcoming festivals (Paw Paw, etc.)
- Waterloo Work Days: We need to replace some of the bulbs within the building, scrape the rest of the loose tiles from the floor, scrape / scrub walls both inside and outside, vinegar etch is needed on outside of building before painting can be done.
- We have scheduled work days on June 25<sup>th</sup> from noon-6 and June 26<sup>th</sup> starting at 9AM

\*\*\* Next RCWTA/RCP Meeting will be held June 25<sup>th</sup> from 6:30-8:30- at WAEC