

Illinois Nutrient Loss Reduction Strategy Annual Partnership Conference Agenda November 5, 2025

In person: Illinois Ballroom A I Hotel & Illinois Conference Center 1900 S 1st St, Champaign, IL 61820 Doors Open at 9 am.	
Remote via Zoom: https://go.illinois.edu/NLRSConferenceLink Password: 2025	
9 am (30 min.)	Light Refreshments <i>Sponsored by: Illinois Farm Bureau and Association of Illinois Soil and Water Conservation Districts</i>
9:30 am (5 min.)	Welcome <i>Todd Gleason, University of Illinois Extension</i>
9:35 am (5 min.)	Opening Comments <i>Acting Director James Jennings, Illinois Environmental Protection Agency</i>
9:40 am (20 min.)	Illinois NLRS Portal Preview and Developments <i>Joan Cox, University of Illinois Extension</i>
10:00 am (15 min.)	USGS Statewide Nutrient Loads Update <i>Luis Garcia, United States Geological Survey</i>
10:15 am (10 min.)	HUC 8 Nutrient Load Dashboard <i>Jenny Murphy, United States Geological Survey</i>
10:25 am (15 min.)	BREAK
10:40 am (30 min.)	Understanding Nutrient Trends: Flow-Normalized TP and N <i>Bin Peng, University of Illinois</i>
11:10 am (20 min.)	Issues Regarding Nutrient Water Quality Standards <i>Albert Ettinger, Mississippi River Collaboration and Sierra Club</i>
11:30 am (15 min.)	Illinois NLRS: Point Source <i>Rick Manner, Champaign and Urbana Sanitary District</i>
11:45 am (15 min.)	Nutrient Assessment Reduction Plans <i>Scott Twait, Illinois Environmental Protection Agency</i>
Noon (1 hr.)	Taco Bar and Refreshments <i>Sponsored by: Illinois Farm Bureau and Association of Illinois Soil and Water Conservation Districts</i>

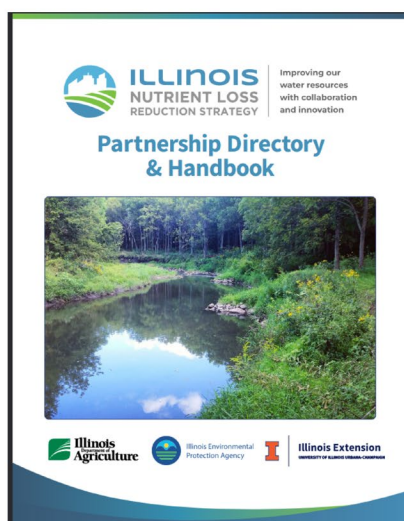


1:00 pm (5 min.)	Welcome Back <i>Todd Gleason, University of Illinois Extension</i>
1:05 pm (15 min.)	Illinois NLRs: Stormwater <i>Eliana Brown, University of Illinois Extension</i>
1:20 pm (15 min.)	Illinois NLRs: Agriculture <i>Michelle Curby, Illinois Department of Agriculture</i>
1:35 pm (15 min.)	Ag Retail Survey <i>KJ Johnson, Illinois Fertilizer and Chemical Association</i>
1:50 pm (30 min.)	Stream Bank Erosion Study <i>Andrew Margenot, University of Illinois</i>
2:20 pm (15 min.)	Science Team Update <i>Andrew Margenot, University of Illinois</i>
2:35 pm (15 min.)	BREAK
2:50 pm (20 min.)	Nutrient Research and Education Council <i>Julie Hewitt, Illinois Nutrient Research and Education Council</i>
3:10 pm (45 min.)	Farmer Facing Programs <i>Members of Illinois Sustainable Ag Partnership</i>
3:55 pm (5 min.)	Closing Comments <i>Director Matthew Vann, University of Illinois Extension</i>

For questions or accessibility accommodations, please contact nlrs@illinois.edu

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