

Partnering For Watershed Restoration

Monthly Update



November 2016

PWR Members:

Welcome to the monthly PWR e-mail update. We hope you find it useful. If you have updates under any of these categories (**Assistance, Funding, Events, Tools, News**) please pass them along and I will include them in future PWR e-mails. Meanwhile, please do not hesitate to contact me if you are in need of assistance with a project, have any questions, suggestions or updates related to the Partnering for Watershed Restoration (PWR). Thanks.

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PWR Updates

October meeting and workshop in Alberta, MI:

Again, I want to sincerely thank the 20 people from 12 organizations who attended the October 12th meeting and provided valuable input during the workshop portion of the day.



The information that was shared will help direct future activities in PWR as we work together to protect and restore the watersheds of south central Lake Superior.

The October 12th PWR meeting and workshop notes have been posted at: [PWR Meeting Notes October 2016](#)

Meeting archives of all of the Power Points, attendance sheets and photos can be accessed at: [PWR Meeting Archives](#).

PWR FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

National Forest Foundation Matching Awards Program

The National Forest Foundation (NFF) Matching Awards Program (MAP) provides funding for results-oriented on-the-ground projects that enhance forest health and outdoor experiences on National Forests and Grasslands. This opportunity closes January 17, 2017.

[National Forest Foundation Matching Awards Program](#)

PWR PARTNERS IN THE NEWS

Yellowdog Watershed Preserve:

MARQUETTE - The Yellow Dog Watershed Preserve, as of Sept. 29, has taken ownership of more than 688 acres of northern forest along the Yellow Dog River in the Upper Peninsula. Two public workshops have been scheduled for Nov. 1 and Dec. 6 at the Peter White Public Library in Marquette to solicit public input on the new Yellow Dog River Community Forest. The YDWP spearheaded a campaign to create the community forest, which will ensure permanent public access to the ecologically significant area, fend off development pressures and maintain the property as a natural forested landscape.

[Link to Mining Journal News Story](#)

PWR PROJECT SPOTLIGHT

The Superior Watershed Partnership (SWP) Great Lakes Conservation Corps (GLCC) will begin a two year project in 2017 that will include planting 3000 trees in three great lakes cities. 1000 of those trees will be planted within the PWR focus area inside the city limits of Ontonagon to restore riverine and coastal habitat. The project is a collaborative effort between the Michigan DNR Forest Resource Division, SWP, and the city of Ontonagon.



REMINDER: Please send me your updates for the next PWR newsletter!

Safe travels to you and your families during the Thanksgiving Holiday, and good luck to the deer hunters!

