

# 2014 Regional Storm Water Summit

Friday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2014 at Lawrence Technological University

## Program Agenda

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| 8:00 - 9:00 AM | Registration - Continental Breakfast Served, Vendor Gallery Open   |
| 9:00 AM        | Welcoming Remarks: <b>President and CEO, Lawrence Technological University, Dr. Virinder Moudgil and Oakland County Water Resources Commissioner Jim Nash</b>  |
| 9:15 AM        | Keynote Speaker: <b>Kevin Shafer, Executive Director, Milwaukee Metropolitan Sewerage District</b>   |
| 10:00 AM       | <b>Valerie Brader, Senior Policy Advisor, Michigan Office of the Governor</b>  |
| 10:30 AM       | Break  |
| 10:45 AM       | <b>Drinking Water in Crisis: Is Toledo a Game Changer for the Great Lakes?</b><br><b>Joel Brammeier, President &amp; CEO, Alliance for the Great Lakes</b>   |
| 11:15 AM       | <b>Green Infrastructure Planning for the Clinton River Watershed Council's WaterTowns Initiative</b><br><b>Donald Carpenter, Ph.D. PE, LEED AP, Professor and Director, Great Lakes Stormwater Management Institute, LTU</b><br><b>Nina Ignaczak, Watershed Planner, CRWC</b><br><b>Rachel Pieschek, Graduate Assistant, LTU</b> |
| NOON           | Lunch - Breakout Sessions*   |

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- 1:00 PM **Midwest Urban Stream Restoration Panel Discussion**  
**Paul Kovalcik, Watershed Specialist, Northeast Ohio Regional Sewer District**  
**Brent Brown, PE, Hydrologist, CH2MHill, Milwaukee**  
**Ralph Reznick, PE, Nonpoint Source Division and MI Stream Team, MDEQ**
- 2:15 PM **Modeling Runoff GIS Tree Canopy Analysis**  
**William Ayersman, M.A., GIS Analyst, Davey Resource Group**
- 2:45 PM Break – Coffee and Snacks Available near Vendor Gallery
- 3:00 PM **Wetlands Special Banking Fund**  
**Michael Pennington, Wetland Mitigation Specialist, MDEQ**
- 3:30 PM **Erb Family Foundation, Innovative Partnerships in Green Infrastructure**  
**Jodee Raines, VP of Programs, Erb Family Foundation**
- 4:00 PM **Sustainable Landscapes, Tools for Homeowners**  
**Donald Carpenter, LTU**  
**Michele Arquette-Palermo, Program Director, CRWC**
- 4:30 PM Closing Remarks

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## \*Lunch Breakout Sessions/Options

- 1) **Jeff Edstrom, Senior Water Resources Manager of the Environmental consulting firm ECT**  
“Environmental Impacts of Water Use, Water Conservation and Storm Water Management”  
**ROOM – A200 Architectural Auditorium**
  
- 2) **Tom Bennett, Senior Scientist, Fishbeck, Thompson, Carr & Huber**  
“The Caddell Drain and Natural River Restoration”  
**ROOM – T410**
  
- 3) **Take a tour of Lawrence Tech University’s Low Impact Development Storm Water Management System and Green Infrastructure**
  
- 4) ***Tapped***: A 2009 documentary film by directors Stephanie Soechtig and Jason Lindsey, *Tapped* examines the role of the bottled water industry and its' effects on our health, climate change, pollution, and our reliance on oil. (Playing continuously from lunch until the end of the day.)  
**ROOM – T329 Lear Auditorium**
  
- 5) **Explore all of the Organizations and Vendors who have display booths set up**  
**ROOM – T210 University Gallery**