



Friends of the St. Joe River Association, Inc.
Board & Annual Membership Meeting Agenda
 Three Rivers Public Library – Three Rivers, MI
 Thursday, 8/22/19 – 1 p.m.

A. Introductions

Directors:					
Roxanne Barton '22	Carolyn Grace '21	VACANT '20	Danielle Meersman '21	Jeff Reece '22	Jeff Wenzel '21
Bill Courliss '22	Carol Higgins '20	Eric Kerney '21	Ron Niezgodski '20	Kim Sinclair '20	
Daragh Deegan '21	Dona Hunter '22	John Law '20	Grant Poole '22		

Watershed Council:					
Name	Representing	Name	Representing	Name	Representing
Kyle Alexander	MDEQ Water Bureau	Chris Svoboda	Indiana Michigan Power	Dave Foerster	Two Rivers Coalition
Jessica Faust	IDEM	Brian Campbell	Wood Land Lakes RC&D	Kathy Worst	Branch Co. CD
Brian Gunderman	MDNR Fisheries	Mike Hard	Branch County DC	AJ Brucks	Van Buren Co. CD
Marcy Hamilton	SWMPC	Matt Meersman	SJR Basin Commission	Korie Blyveis	Cass County CD
Ron Johnson	Fabius Township	Scott King	Friends of McCoys Creek	Tara Lee	Steuben Co. SWCD
Don Sporleder	Michiana Watershed	Pat Crowley	Kalamazoo County DC	Janice Ivkovich	St. Joseph Co. SWCD
Andy Welden	Hillsdale County BOC	Peter Ter Louw	SWMI Land Conservancy	Roney Marcon	LaGrange Co. SWCD
Joe Parman	Van Buren County DC	Leslie Raymer	LaGrange Lakes Council	Jim Hess	Elkhart Co. SWCD
Bruce Campbell	Cass County DC	Kim Haas	Friends of Cobus Creek	Don Stohler	Christiana Cr. Coalition
John McNamara	St. Joseph Co. DB				

Visitors:					

B. Minutes of the June Membership meeting

C. Treasurer's Report

D. Old Business

1. Strategic Planning
 - a. News Releases (FotSJR letterhead) – update?
 - b. Funding Request Guidelines Committee – update from Jeff Reece
2. 2019 Meeting Schedule/Locations
 - a. September 26, 2019
 - b. October 24, 2019

E. New Business

1. I&M/AEP Sponsorship – Jeff Reece
2. Parkville Dam Removal Grant – Carolyn Grace
3. Other???

G. Items from the Floor (Watershed Council and Visitors)

1. Announcements
2. **Next Meeting – September 27, 2019 – St. Patrick's Park in Harvest Room/White Barn (South Bend, IN)**
3. Other Comments, Questions, Concerns...