

14th Minnesota River Congress, Public Invited
Wednesday June 15th , 2022
Kato Ballroom, 200 Chestnut St., Mankato MN
Agenda

6:15 PM open doors, coffee, water, cookies, and a cash bar, welcoming introductions and acknowledgements of any elected officials and dignitaries.

6:30 PM Opening statements, Scott Sparlin, Minnesota River Congress Water Storage Initiative, Dave Zentner, IWLA, UMRI Co-MC Hosts, each give history and explain. David Minge, UMRI Minnesota River Team actions. Ted Suss intro the Governor

7:00 PM Governor's statement on water storage and the Minnesota River

7:15 PM John Jaschke Ex. Dir BWSR, general overview water storage and why etc.

7:25 Rita Weaver BWSR, Chief Engineer, more detailed program info on water storage

7:35 Mark Dittrich Ag Marketing and Development, MDA as relates to water storage

7:45 MNDNR Commissioner Sarah Strommen as relates to water storage

7:55 MPCA Commissioner, Katrina Kessler as it relates to water storage

8:05 SWCD Regional Representative Mark Schnobrich as relates to water storage

8:15 Facilitate planning for next steps for MRC based on questionnaire provided
Post next steps after event within a few days after compiled.

9:00 Announce fall date for 15th Minnesota River Congress