



**Water Quality Council Meeting**  
**March 12th, 2018 ♦ 1:30 p.m.-3:30 p.m.**  
**W.W. Knight Preserve - Hankison Great Room**  
29530 White Rd, Perrysburg, OH 43551

*MISSION STATEMENT*

*“Recommend positions on water quality issues and policies to the TMACOG Board of Trustees in an effort to improve and protect water quality in our region and Lake Erie.*

*“Plan best management practices with land and water resources to design and implement programs and projects that will reduce, control, or remove pollutants; improve drainage; and restore wetlands and floodplains within the region.”*

**AGENDA**

- i. **Welcome and Introductions**

Carol Contrada, Chair  
Lucas County Commissioner
  
- ii. **Approval of Meeting Minutes**

*Action Requested: Approve Today’s Agenda and Minutes from the previous Meeting*

Carol Contrada, Chair  
Lucas County Commissioner
  
- iii. **PRESENTATIONS:**
  - Innovative Water Technologies in the Great Lakes**
    - **Phosphorus Removal Structures: Fighting Small Battles to Win the War on Dissolved Phosphorus**

Chad Penn  
USDA Agricultural Research Service
  
    - **Israeli Water Technology Opportunities and the Ohio-Israel Ag & CleanTech Initiative**

Sarah M. Nassiri and Sarah Horowitz, Ph.D.  
Ohio-Israel Agricultural Initiative
  
- iv. **WQC BUSINESS:**
  - **Annual Work Plan 2019**

*Action Requested: Approve Water Quality Council Annual Work Program FY19*

Carol Contrada, Chair  
Lucas County Commissioner
  
- v. **Other Business**
  
- vi. **Public Comment**
  
- vii. **Staff Report**

Kari Gerwin, TMACOG  
Director of Water Quality Planning
  
- viii. **Future Meetings: 5/14, 7/9, 9/10, 11/5, 1/14/19**

All meetings begin at 1:30 PM in TMACOG Board Room unless otherwise announced
  
- ix. **Adjournment**
- x. **Attachments**
  - a) **Minutes from previous meeting**
  - b) **WQC FY19 AWP**