

**Minnesota River Integrated Watershed,
Water Quality and Ecosystem Restoration Study
Interagency Study Team Meeting
March 15, 2011**

PROPOSED AGENDA

Meeting Purposes: To reach consensus on recommendations coming out of the Planning and Modeling Group Workshops and agree on next steps.

Study goals: develop a watershed management plan and decision support system to assist those responsible for making land use and watershed management decisions.

- 12:30 Welcome and introductions/updates – John Wells (EQB)
- Study-related updates by members
- 12:45 Overview and status of the watershed study – John (EQB) and Rebecca Seal-Soileau (Corps)
- Planning meeting (March 2010)
 - Modeling meetings (April, May, September 2010)
 - Recommendations to IST
- 1:00 Discussion and IST Recommendations
- Planning questions
 - Nested watershed approach
 - Modeling suites
- 2:30 Study Next Steps
- Hydrology and water quality
 - Small watersheds for intensive study
 - Participants needed for sub-watershed selection
 - Socio-economic and biological issues
 - Participants needed
 - Communication and Outreach
- 3:00 Meeting Wrap up
- Review of decisions, actions and open items
 - IST member tasks
 - Corps and EQB tasks
 - Closing comments
- 3:30 Adjourn