

INDIANA WATER SUMMIT

August 27 & 28, 2025



TOPICAL AGENDA

Day 1 - Wednesday, August 27

Keynote Remarks by Danielle Gallet “Collaboration is an Antidote for Uncertainty: Stewarding the Future of Water, Together”

ELEMENTS OF REGIONAL WATER ASSESSMENT & PLANNING

Indiana’s Water Monitoring Network: a New Report

Modern Technologies for Water Monitoring

Regional Water Studies Update

A Focus on the Ohio River Region

Small-Group Discussion about Regional Water Planning

REGIONAL WATER STRATEGIES – INFRASTRUCTURE & TRAINING

An Asset Management Project: Switz City, Indiana

Septics and Water Quality Impacts

Regional Sewers in the Lakes District

The “Farm Advisors” Mentoring Program and Conservation Practices

REGIONAL WATER STRATEGIES - RESTORATION

Indiana’s In-Lieu Fee Program and Wetland Conservation

Property Value Impacts from Cleanup Efforts in the Great Lakes Areas of Concern

The Busseron Creek Fish & Wildlife Area

Closing Discussion

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Day 2 - Thursday, August 28

Keynote Remarks by Bruno Pigott: “The Current Water Policy Landscape”

WATER POLICY & PLANNING ADVANCEMENTS

Featured Remarks by Suzanne Jaworowski, Secretary of Energy and Natural Resources, “The Governor’s Direction for Water Policy in Indiana”

Other States’ Experiences with Water Plan Development

The 2025 Legislative Session: Meet the Bill Authors

Reintroducing the Indiana Water Roadmap – a Hands-On Interactive Activity

STATEWIDE STRATEGIES FOR INDIVIDUAL CONSERVATION ACTION

Recent Surveys on the Public’s Valuation of Water

Agricultural Conservation – A Partnership Model

CURRENT & EMERGING WATER THREATS

The Statewide PFAS Assessment Report

Data Centers

Closing Discussion & Future Direction