

Iowa Rivers Revival's 2nd
RIVER CONGRESS

Iowans committed to river conservation.

Saturday, January 23, 2010

1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Story County Conservation Board

56461 180th St, Ames, Iowa

Agenda

12:30 p.m. Registration and social time

1:00 p.m. Welcome

1:15 p.m. Introduction to Iowa Rivers Revival

1. Background/History
2. Current Projects

River Congress Goals/Opportunities

1. Strengthening political will--build network of river advocates to engage Iowa legislators about river issues and conditions, and how we can work together to improve Iowa's rivers and water quality.
2. Develop key relationships that are crucial in protecting and preserving Iowa's rivers.
3. Facilitate an advocacy workshop on communicating with Iowa legislators.
4. Pass Senate File 263-a river discharge signage bill in the Iowa House during the 2010 session. Currently the bill resides in the House EPC.

1:45 p.m. Break

2:00 p.m. Learn about statewide river concerns and experiences

2:45 p.m. Legislator Discussion

3:30 p.m. Advocacy Workshop

4:30 p.m. Feedback/Closing

5:00 p.m. Adjourn

Our Vision

We envision clean, free-flowing Iowa rivers teeming with life, surrounded by diverse landscapes, and connecting vibrant communities.

Our Mission

Helping Iowans restore, protect and enjoy our rivers.

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