

Early June Greetings Everyone!

We hope this note finds your summers off to a safe and robust start - sans the rain and rough weather of earlier in the week in many locations - gee whiz! Following is an abbreviated newsletter for this week as I am on the road, and this format better fits travel.



Volume LV, Issue XXVI - June 6, 2014

2015 LEGISLATIVE WORK UNDERWAY

IACCB will be (and has already been) participating in strategy sessions for REAP and IWILL efforts for the 2015 Iowa legislative session. We will also be meeting with coalitions concerning the bottle bill and school start date in the weeks to come to ascertain our involvement. The IACCB Board of Directors will hold their summer meeting on July 9th, at which time any legislative issues are discussed for the upcoming session.

UPCOMING MEETINGS

June 11th - Visitor Protection Workshop - Winneshiek County
June 12th - District 5 Meeting - Louisa County
June 17th - IACCB Meeting - Ames
June 18th - District 6 Meeting - Iowa County
July 9th - IACCB Board of Directors Meeting - Ames
July 24th - District 1 Meeting - Marshall County
September 25-27 - IACCB Fall Conference - Sioux City
September 29 - October 1 - CCPOA Fall Workshop - Camp Dodge
November 5-7 - IAN Fall Workshop - Iowa County

EMAIL HARVEST IN IACCB PORTAL

Quick reminder to everyone that we will have a summer "harvest" of emails within the Portal shortly after June 16th or so. IF you wish that your CCB staff & board members receive communications directly from IACCB (including newsletters) - you need to insure that their email address(es) are present AND accurate within the CONTACTS module of the Portal. We currently have about 40 emails that bounce back to us that were harvested from the Portal this past spring. Please take a moment to visit your CONTACTS and assist us with their accuracy.....thanks!

2014 IACCB FALL CONFERENCE - Sioux City - September 25-27, 2014.

No time like the present to be making your lodging reservations for this fall's conference, as well as getting your conference registrations sent in to Woodbury CCB. We know that the event is on your minds as we have been receiving registration questions, etc. Look forward to your SILENT AUCTION REGISTRATION form later this month - be thinking of what packages/products you can offer up for bidding in Woodbury County! All the conference information and registration form is located at the following link - **LINK TO CONFERENCE INFO.** - <http://www.mycountyparks.com/Info/IACCB.aspx>

VISITOR PROTECTION WORKSHOP - June 11th - Winneshiek County

A reminder email was sent out to all CCB staff (on Portal record) yesterday, and that the **registration deadline is TODAY** to: IACCB@mycountyparks.com

JOB OPPORTUNITIES - <http://www.mycountyparks.com/Jobs/Default.aspx>

PERMANENT / FULL-TIME POSITIONS

1. Dickinson CCB - Recycling Technician
2. Winneshiek CCB - Natural Resource Technician
3. Monroe CCB - Technician/Naturalist
4. Cerro Gordo CCB - Natural Resource Biologist/ROW Vegetation
5. Louisa CCB - Naturalist
6. Scott CCB - Naturalist
7. Story CCB - Naturalist
8. Pottawattamie CCB - Environmental Educator
9. Monona CCB - Operations & Maintenance / Assistant Officer

SEASONAL / PART-TIME POSITIONS

10. Polk - Assistant Naturalist
11. Pottawattamie - HawkWatch Counter
12. Polk - Conservation Laborer
13. Buena Vista - Spray Truck Driver
14. Buena Vista - Maintenance Technician
15. Black Hawk - Seasonal Park Maintenance Worker
16. Hamilton - Campground Hosts
17. Buchanan - Naturalist Intern
18. Polk - Campground Aides
19. Polk - Stable Laborer
20. Buchanan - Seasonal Park Technician
21. Buena Vista - Campground Hosts

(NOTE: This newsletter is also posted online with all previous IACCB Newsletters at: <http://mycountyparks.weebly.com/>)

Have a great weekend!

Tom

Thomas F. Hazelton, CEO
Iowa's County Conservation System
IACCB@MyCountyParks.com