

TMACOG Water Quality Council  
February 12, 2024 1:00 – 2:30  
BGSU at Levis Commons  
[1655 N Wilkinson Way, Perrysburg, OH 43551](https://www.bgsu.edu/locations/levis-commons)

**Welcome**

Nichole Fifer, PhD., Director, Center for Regional Development BGSU

**Call to Order**

Melissa Hopfer, Chair, Bowling Green State University  
Kevin Laughlin, Vice Chair, City of Northwood

**Approval of November Meeting Minutes**

*Action Requested: Approve meeting minutes.*

**2024 Water Quality Council Roster**

*Action Requested: Approve 2024 WQC Roster*

**FY25 Water Quality Annual Work Program**

*Action Requested: Approve FY25 AWP*

**Presentations and Discussion –**

The future of nutrients in the WLEB and potential local approaches

**Legal Defects in Ohio EPA’s Maumee Watershed Nutrient TMDL**

Rob Michaels, Managing Attorney, Environmental Law & Policy Center (Presenting remotely)

**Lucas County’s Next Steps on Nutrients**

Fritz Byers, General Counsel, Board of Lucas County Commissioners

**Member and Partner Reports**

Austin Serna, Congresswoman Marcy Kaptur’s Office

**Reports from Watersheds and Infrastructure Planning Groups**

**Public Comments**

**Adjourn**

*2024 Meeting Schedule - February 12, May 13, August 12, November 4 (Quarterly, 2<sup>nd</sup> Mondays at 1:00, adjusted for holidays)*

***All items presented for approval and the Water Quality Committee and Staff Report were emailed to members. Please review prior to the meeting. Printed materials will not be provided.***