

TMACOG WLEB Water Quality Advisory Group Meeting/ Site Tour

September 23, 2025

10:00 am – 12:00 pm

Magee Marsh Visitors Meeting

13229 State Rte 2

Oak Harbor, OH 43449

Business Meeting

Welcome and Introductions

Staff Update

Roundtable

- 2026 Annual Work Program

Partner Updates

Public Comments

Recommendations to Water Quality Council

Adjourn

Site Tour

Ottawa County and the Ottawa Soil and Water Conservation District have selected 2 sites for us to visit.

Hemminger Marsh— St. Rt. 19, Oak Harbor (Toussaint Wildlife Area Parking Lot use this link to navigate: <https://maps.app.goo.gl/YrUna5frhPfBdPgZ8>)

This marsh is one of the first ARTS (Ag Runoff Treatment System) projects in the county. The wetland treats the water before it is released back into the Toussaint River and flows a short distance to Lake Erie.

Tice Wetland – 10980 W. St. Rt. 2, Oak Harbor

This newly constructed wetland was enrolled in Lake Erie CREP with additional funding from a 319 grant, ODNR 816 funds, and the Partners for Fish and Wildlife program used to enhance the project. This 90 plus acre site was farmed but had to be diked and pumped to keep Lake Erie at bay. Construction began in July 2025.