

Wetlands, Endangered Species, and Flood Plains Training
Thursday, May 11, 2006
Henry Wallace Building Auditorium

Agenda

- 10:00 Welcome: Hank Manning, CDBG Program Manager
- 10:15 Wetlands: Donna Jones, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
- 11:15 Endangered Species: Jody Millar, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
- 12:15 Lunch (on your own)
- 1:15 Flood Plains: Kelly Stone, DNR Flood Plains Management Programs
- 2:15 Implementation: Leslie Leager, CDBG Environmental Review Officer
- 3:15 Closing

Presenters:

Wetlands: Donna Jones is the Chief of the Enforcement Section in the Regulatory Branch of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Rock Island District

She attended college at Southern Illinois University in Edwardsville, Illinois where she earned her bachelor's of science degree in civil engineering in 1984. She completed her MBA in 2003 at St. Ambrose University in Davenport, Iowa.

Jones began working for the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers in 1984; she started as a Civil Engineer in the Enforcement Section of the Regulatory Branch. In 1988, she was promoted to Section Chief.

Jones is a licensed professional engineer in Illinois, and is a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers and the Society of Women Engineers.

Endangered Species: Jody Millar is the Assistant Field Supervisor of the Rock Island Field Office, US Fish and Wildlife Service in Rock Island, Illinois.

She serves as the endangered species and habitat conservation lead for Iowa and greater Illinois. She also serves as the Bald Eagle Monitoring Coordinator for the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service nationwide.

She holds a Masters of Science degree in biology from Western Illinois University and a Bachelor of Science from University of Minnesota.

Flood Plains: Kelly Stone is a senior environmental engineer with the DNR's flood plain management and dam safety programs. Kelly came to the DNR in 1995 after experience in industry, production agriculture, and engineering consulting and relies on those experiences on a daily basis to carry out his duties for the DNR.

He has a degree in Industrial Technology from UNI and both Bachelor and Master of Science degrees in Agricultural Engineering from Iowa State.

He is a Licensed Professional Engineer.