

AGENDA
Upper Black River Council
March 23, 2018

Atlanta Senior Center, 11780 M-33 North, Atlanta, 9:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

1. Welcome and introductions
2. Approval of Agenda
3. Financial report and project funding updates:
 - Huron Pines
 - USFWS
 - UBRC
4. River Work update
 - Review of 2017 season
 - Contractor - Ken Reed of Lewiston
 - Schedule for 2018
 - Plans to begin work on new Tin Shanty Bridge Permit
5. Canada Creek Ranch/Black River Ranch Report - Plans for 2018
 - Maintenance on existing LWD's
 - Continue on existing CCR permit
6. Road/Stream crossings, dams, erosion sites
 - Cheboygan River Watershed projects ahead - John Bailey
 - Other
7. Temp Loggers installation sites - proposed by MDNR Fisheries
 - Black Rv – Johnson Crossing/Sparr Rd - Jarecki/Cerveniak
 - Black Rv – Saunders Dam - Jarecki/Cerveniak
 - Black Rv – McKinnons Bend - Jarecki/Cerveniak
 - Black Rv – Tin Shanty Bridge - Jarecki/Cerveniak
 - Black Rv – Blue Lakes Rd - Rose
 - Black Rv – Clark Bridge Rd - Bandish
 - Black Rv – Crockett Rapids Bridge - Bandish
 - E Br Black Rv – Shingle Mill Bridge - Co Rd 622 - Rose
 - E Br Black Rv – Barber Bridge - Rose
 - McMasters Ck - Clute Road - Bandish
 - McMasters Ck - lower site (exploration) - Bandish
 - Canada Creek Ranch - South Wire, High Banks, Just below Montague confluence, Wadsworth Bridge, North Wire
 - Schedule for new temp loggers
8. Sand traps/Erosion site remediation
 - Public access site(s) throughout system
 - other
9. New permit(s)
 - Tin Shanty Bridge up and downstream
 - Next permit after this?
10. Statewide efforts to re-introduce Grayling into Michigan waters - updates

11. Volunteer opportunities
 - Huron Pines
 - UBRC/ Vanguard TU Volunteer Project - TBD
 - Headwaters TU - Macroinvertebrate sampling on Black May 12 - Tin Shanty Bridge and second site (possibilities: @ Bruot property or Blue Lakes Road or Crockett Rapids or E. Branch @ Barber Bridge). Will return the following year.
 - USFWS
 - Other - MUCC On The Ground (OTG) opportunities

12. Upper Black River, in the news:
 - [Journal of Freshwater Ecology](#) article
 - Trout Trails Article from AMERICAN ANGLER magazine
 - visit the www.upperblack.org site to see each article under UBRC In The News

13. Partner updates/issues

15. Web site/Social media

16. Other

17. Schedule next meeting