



**Ferson-Otter Creek
Watershed**
Moving Forward...

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Stakeholders determined that continued collaborative efforts would benefit the implementation phase of the Ferson-Otter Creek Watershed Action Plan.



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Moving Forward...

- Determine the tasks stakeholders want moving forward.
- Examine examples of models/structures and discuss benefits and drawbacks to each.
- Determine which type of model makes the most sense for Ferson-Otter Creek stakeholders.

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Determine Tasks:

1. Coordinate implementation activities among stakeholders.
2. Assist with coordinating funding and grant management.
3. Oversee data collection/ contractors.
4. Coordinate meetings.
5. Conduct education and outreach efforts on behalf of the watershed group.



Examine Models Structures

- All Volunteer
 - Tyler Creek Watershed Coalition
 - Aux Sable Creek Watershed
- Member-designated volunteer coordinator
 - Chicago Wilderness Task Forces

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Examine Models Structures

- Medium Group with paid PT coordinator
 - Lower DuPage Watershed Coalition
 - Hickory Creek Watershed
- Large Group with paid FT coordinator (+)
 - DuPage River Salt Creek Workgroup

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In terms of a continuum:

Watershed size, planned tasks and activities, coordinator's time, and number of members all impact the type of model or structure (or combination) a group might choose.



Tyler Creek

CW CC

Lower DuPage

DRSCW

Aux Sable

Task Forces

Hickory Creek

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