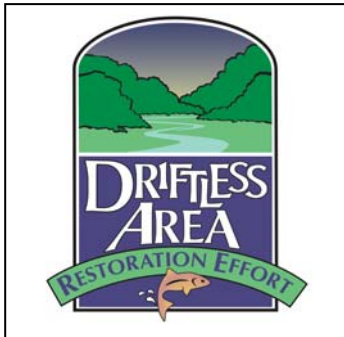


# 3rd Annual Driftless Area Symposium

Lanesboro, Minnesota  
October 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>, 2008



## *Announcement and Call for Papers*

**Deadline August 22nd, 2008:**

We would like you to join us at Eagle Bluff Environmental Learning Center, Lanesboro, Minnesota for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Driftless Area Symposium October 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>, 2008. The purpose of this annual forum is to share the results of research, management and monitoring work in the Driftless Area. The symposium is part of the Driftless Area Restoration Effort. The program will focus on research, management and monitoring being conducted: in-stream, riparian and watershed. The program committee is soliciting platform and poster papers for presentation. Invited papers should focus on the following topics:

- **In-Stream Ecology, management, research & monitoring**
  - Physical habitat, water quality or biological interactions
  - Invasive species
  - Community structure and relationships
  - Fish and invertebrate populations
  - Habitat enhancement and restoration
  - Research – genetics, macros,
  - Dam removal
  - Management for Threatened and Endangered Species
  
- **Riparian corridor restoration and management**
  - Invasive species
  - Riparian and in-stream interactions
  - Establishment & management of warm season grasses
  - Creating habitat for nongame species
  - Monitoring nongame species
  
- **Watershed**
  - Land use changes and best management practices
  - Community relationships
  - Ground water movement
  - Climate change
  - Land use planning

**Platform presentations:** All contributed papers (oral presentations) will be scheduled for 30 minutes. This includes 20 to 25 minutes for the presentation and 5 to 10 minutes for questions. Use of Microsoft PowerPoint is highly encouraged.

**Poster presentations:** Typical poster size should be 32" x 44" (81 cm x 112 cm) in a landscape or portrait format. There will be a special poster session Friday afternoon during the social.

## **Abstract preparation and submission instructions**

### **Form:**

- Please submit abstracts via e-mail to **Mark Ebbers** at [Mark.Ebbers@dnr.state.mn.us](mailto:Mark.Ebbers@dnr.state.mn.us) using MS Word (doc) file.
- Abstracts should be submitted in **Times New Roman:12 point** or Universal Scalable.

### **Format:**

Title of presentation

Presenter with affiliation, mailing address, telephone, and email address

Other authors and affiliations

Abstract

Brief bio to include in program

Please denote preference for Platform or Poster presentation. Due to limited time allotments, not all submitted abstracts may be selected for platform presentations. Please indicate willingness to convert from platform presentation to poster presentation if this occurs.