**2015 EWM CONFERENCE SCHEDULE**

**7:30-8:25 Conference Registration/Refreshments**

**8:25-8:40 Welcome and Introduction**

**8:40-9:00 Overview of EWM and EWM Management Alternatives – Dave Blumer, LEAPS**

**9:00-10:30 Individual Lake Association Presentations**

 Vermillion Lakes – Tom Margotto, President VLA

 Echo Lake – Henry Lahn, President ELA

 Horseshoe Lake – Pam Nelson, EWM Coordinator HLIA

 Others (Shallow/Duck Lakes) –

 Questions and Answers

**10:30-10:45 Break/Refreshments**

**10:45-12:00 Individual Lake District Presentations**

 Sand Lake – Jerry Schliemann, Secretary SLMD

 Beaver Dam Lake/Kidney Lake– Alan Carlson, Chair BDLMD

 Questions and Answers

**12:00-12:45 Lunch**

**12:45-1:25 Aquatic Plants and EWM – Matt Berg, ERS**

**1:25-1:35 Break/Afternoon Introduction**

**1:35-2:20 WDNR Grant Priorities/Future of Grants in Wisconsin – Carrol Schaal, WDNR**

**2:20-2:35 Break/Refreshments**

**2:35-3:20 Why a County-wide Lake Association**

 Polk County Association of Lakes and Rivers – Karen Englebretson

 Washburn County Lakes and Rivers Association – Wayne Sabatke

**3:20-3:55** **Cooperative EWM Organization - Dave Blumer, LEAPS**

**3:55-4:00 Transition to Panel Discussion**

**4:00-4:30 Panel/Round Table**

 Moderator-Dave Blumer, LEAPS

 Participants: All presenters from the day.

 Questions from Cards & Gallery

**4:30-4:45 Conference Wrap Up: What Next?**

 Future Conferences, Barron County Lakes & Rivers Association, EWM Cooperative

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