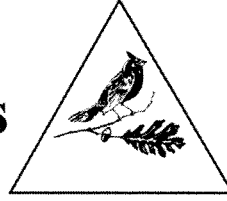


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Announcement of Special Meeting

The Illinois Nature Preserves Commission (INPC) and staff will be holding a special meeting on Monday, January 28, 2013 at 1:30 p.m. at the Rochester Public Library, 1 Community Drive, Rochester, Illinois.

1. Welcome and purpose of today's meeting (David Thomas, Randy Heidorn)
2. Natural Areas Stewardship Update (Kelly Neal)
3. Natural Areas Defense Update (Jenny Skufca)
4. Protection Processes: Legal Descriptions (Randy Heidorn)
5. Illinois Natural Areas Update: Status and Future (John Wilker, Don McFall)
6. Natural Areas Acquisition Fund Situation (Randy Heidorn)
7. Illinois Department of Natural Resources (IDNR) /INPC Coordination (IDNR Director Marc Miller)
8. 50th Anniversary Celebration Discussion (Dave Thomas, Randy Heidorn)
9. 2013 Natural Areas Conference, October 1-4, 2013, Chicago (Randy Heidorn)

The Commission will hold its regularly scheduled meeting on the following day, January 29, 2013 at the Rochester Public Library, 1 Community Drive, Rochester, Illinois. In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, the special meeting of the Commission will be open to the public. However, the Commission does not anticipate being able to address any items brought from the floor during this special meeting. If anyone has reason to address the Commission, those items will be discussed at its regular meeting on January 29, 2013.