



Meeting Announcement and Agenda Quad Cities Riverfront Council (QCRFC)

Tuesday, May 24, 2022 – 12:00 p.m.

Chill Eats
Freight House
421 W River Drive
Davenport, IA 52801

QCRFC Representatives

Chris Mathias, President (Rock Island County)
Jeff Reiter, Vice President (Scott County)
James Peterson, Secretary/Treasurer (New Boston/Mercer County)

Mr. Steve Ahrens/Mr. Bruce Berger (Davenport, IA)
Mayor James Boone (Cordova, IL)
Mayor Christopher Bornhoeft (Hampton, IL)
Mayor Barb Cray (Port Byron, IL)
Col. Jesse Curry/Lt. Col. John Fernas
(U.S. Army Corps of Engineers)
Ms. Ann Geiger (National M.R.P.C.)
Mayor Dennis Gerard/Mr. Justin Graff (LeClaire, IA)
Mr. John Gripp (Rock Island, IL)
Mayor Anthony Heddlesten (Riverdale, IA)
Mr. Ralph H. Heninger (Quad Cities Chamber of
Commerce – Iowa Rep) **
Mr. Joel Himsl (Rock Island Arsenal)
Shelly Hoffman (Andalusia, IL)
Ms. Missy Housenga (Rapids City, IL)

Mr. Carl Hoyt (LeClaire Chamber of Commerce)
Mr. Tim Kammler (East Moline, IL)
Mayor Kevin Kernan/Roger Woomert (Princeton, IA)
Mr. Tim Knanishu (QC Chamber of Commerce- IL Rep.)
Mr. Geoff Manis (Moline, IL)
Mr. Chris Mathias (Scott County, IA)*
Mr. Olin Meador (Buffalo, IA)
Mr. James Peterson (New Boston/Mercer County, IL)*
Mr. Jeff Reiter (Bettendorf, IA)*
Dr. Rodney Simmer/Mr. Larry Burns (Rock Island County, IL)
Brittany Wells (Visit Quad Cities)
Ms. Kathy Wine (River Action, Inc.)

* Current *QCRFC Officers*

** *QCRFC representative to BSRC*

1. **Call Meeting to Order**
2. **Approval of the Quad Cities Riverfront Council (QCRFC) March 22, 2022 Meeting Minutes** (A copy of the meeting minutes is included with the agenda packet.)
3. **2021 Certificates of Appreciation Presentation**
4. **Presentation on Riverboat Tourism in the Quad Cities** – Nicki Brus and Steve Ahrens
5. **Individual Riverfront Reports (Representatives/Alternates)**

- o Andalusia
- o Bettendorf
- o Buffalo
- o Cordova
- o Davenport
- o East Moline
- o Hampton
- o Interstate RC & D
- o LeClaire
- o LeClaire Chamber of Commerce

- o Moline
- o National Mississippi River
- o New Boston
- o Port Byron
- o Princeton
- o Quad Cities Chamber of
Commerce – Illinois Rep.
- o Quad Cities Chamber of
Commerce – Iowa Rep.
- o Visit Quad Cities

- o Rapids City
- o River Action, Inc.
- o Riverdale
- o Rock Island
- o Rock Island Arsenal
- o Rock Island County
- o Scott County
- o U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

6. **Next Meeting:** Tuesday, July 26, 2022
7. **Other Business**
8. **Adjournment**

Note: Members are encouraged to designate an alternate representative from their community or organization to attend in their absence.

IMPORTANT REMINDER:

Whether planning to attend or not,
Please R.S.V.P. by phone or e-mail to:

Bryan Schmid
(309) 793-6300, Ext. 1123

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No later than Friday, May 20, 2022

2022 MEETING SCHEDULE

4th Tuesday – every other month

July 26

September 27

November 22