

ENVIRONMENTAL OUTREACH ACTIVITY SUMMARY

*November 17-December 2, 2015*

Jennifer Terry met with the following water quality stakeholder groups to identify areas of collaboration, as well as potential shared advocacy efforts, for clean water:

- Larry James, Jr., co-chair, Greater Des Moines Partnership Water Quality Task Force
- Iowa Citizens for Community Improvement – reporting on their manure management complaint to the Iowa Department of Natural Resources
- Representative Charles Isenhart, representing Iowa House District 100
- Craig Cox and Soren Rundquist of Environmental Working Group (phone conference) re: release of their new report, “Fooling Ourselves: Voluntary Programs Fail to Clean Up Dirty Water”
- Denny Linderbaum, President, UnityPoint Health Foundation
- Rich Leopold, Director, Polk County Conservation Commission
- Duane Sand, Iowa Natural Heritage Foundation.

Jennifer also attended the November Iowa Environmental Protection Committee meeting; Greater Des Moines Partnership Water Quality Task Force general meeting; SOIL (Sustaining Our Iowa Land) Conference at Drake University on soil and water policy; 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary annual conference of the Iowa Farmers Union (water quality is one of four policy priorities); and a day of required continuing legal education.