

# WETLANDS WORKING FOR YOUR COMMUNITY

*PLANNING AND ZONING FOR CLEAN WATER*

**Thursday, June 18**

**4:00 pm - 5:30 pm - Optional Walking Tour of the Wetlands  
at Harbor Shores, Jack Nicklaus Signature Golf Course**

**\*Note-** For the tour please meet/park at M-TEC [400 Klock Rd, Benton Harbor, MI 49022](http://www.m-tec.com)

**5:30 pm - 9:00 pm - Workshop**

**[The Inn at Harbor Shores, 800 Whitwam Drive, St. Joseph, MI](http://www.theinnatshores.com)**

**Cost: \$15 includes light dinner and meeting materials (\$20 after June 12).**

**Registration is required in advance! Register and view full agenda at**

**[www.swmpc.org](http://www.swmpc.org) or call (269) 925-1137 x 1521.**

Master Citizen Planner credits are available. AICP CM credits are pending.  
The county or municipality within the St. Joseph River Watershed (Lake Michigan)  
with the most attendees will receive custom wetland maps. The GIS shapefiles for the  
wetland function assessment will be available.

*Learn about the status of wetlands (existing and historic), the benefits and functions wetlands provide in your community, new wetland data that is now available for informing planning and zoning decisions, zoning techniques for protecting wetlands and water quality. Bring your master plan and zoning ordinance to review if wetlands and water quality are addressed!*

**Come to this workshop to learn how to keep your community's rivers, streams, lakes, wetlands and drinking water clean and healthy!**



This workshop is hosted by **Friends of the St. Joe River Association** and the **Southwest Michigan Planning Commission** in partnership with:

- Michigan State University Extension, Citizen Planner
- St. Joseph River Basin Commission
- Southwest Michigan Land Conservancy
- Southcentral Michigan Planning Council
- Two Rivers Coalition
- Berrien County Community Development/Harbor Authority
- The Inn at Harbor Shores
- Sarett Nature Center

