



**Invitation to Attend –
Drought Conditions Update
Wednesday, January 13, 2021
10:00 am to Noon
Zoom Format Virtual Meeting**



2020 has been an unusual year for water resources in the State of Iowa, with drought conditions in the western part of the state having a significant impact. There is concern with the continuation of drought conditions into the start of 2021. Plan to join this virtual Drought Conditions Update to get a perspective looking back at 2020 as well as a look at projections for 2021.

Time	Segment Topic	Presenter
10:00	Introductions and Objectives	Tim Hall Hydrology Resources Coordinator Iowa Department of Natural Resources
10:10	Precipitation and Climatology of 2020 Precipitation Temperature US Drought Monitor 2020 compared to 2012	Justin Glisan, Ph.D. State Climatologist of Iowa Iowa Dept. of Ag and Land Stewardship
10:30	Streamflow Conditions for 2020 Major River Flows Interior Streams	Jon Nania Deputy Director for Operations USGS Central Midwest Water Science Center
10:45	Groundwater Conditions Shallow Alluvial Systems Regional Aquifer Systems	Chad Fields Water Allocation & Use Modeling Iowa Department of Natural Resources
11:00	Water Use Trends and Patterns Water Consumption Trends Irrigation Trends and Patterns Protected Flow Regulations	Mike Anderson Water Allocation & Use Iowa Department of Natural Resources
11:15	Climate Outlooks for 2021	Dennis Todey Director USDA Midwest Climate Hub
11:30	Questions and Discussion	

Topic: NW Iowa Drought Conditions Update

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