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Lead in Drinking Water Workgroup Next Meeting Scheduled for August

MEETING NOTICE

FRANKFORT, Ky. (July 8, 2016) – Due to a schedule conflict, the Kentucky Division of Water's Lead in Drinking Water Workgroup will not meet in July.

The next scheduled meeting of the Lead in Water Workgroup will be August 17 at 1:30 p.m.

A meeting notice and agenda will be posted prior to the meeting in accordance with state law.

Storm Damage Debris Could Affect Public Health

With a statewide emergency declared by Gov. Matt Bevin due to flooding in western parts of the state, it's a good time to remind citizens the Kentucky Department for Environmental Protection (KYDEP) can assist with information about storm cleanup.

Severe weather struck parts of western Kentucky, and left thousands of residents without electricity. Heavy rains and harsh winds blew through the area on Wednesday, knocking down power lines and damaging buildings in the far western part of the state, including Paducah...[CONTINUE READING](#)

Kentucky's Drinking Water Continues Excellence in Quality, Reliability, Annual Report Shows

FRANKFORT, Ky. (July 1, 2016) – Data from Kentucky's 441 public water systems shows they consistently produce excellent quality water in compliance with the Safe Drinking Water requirements, according to the Kentucky annual Drinking Water Report. The report summarizes the compliance data and status of public water system compliance monitoring results...[CONTINUE READING](#)

Summer Edition of Land, Air and Water Available Online

The summer 2016 issue of Land, Air & Water is available online now at <http://eec.ky.gov/Pages/LandAirWater.aspx>. The cover features an Eastern Tiger Swallowtail and was photographed by Chris Oelschlager of Madisonville, Kentucky.

Oelschlager works in the Division of Forestry.

Peruse the pages as we touch on topics from Forestry, Water, Natural Resources, Air, Energy and Nature Preserves.

Please check out these positive stories and let us know if you have any ideas for articles or photographs you would like to submit.

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