

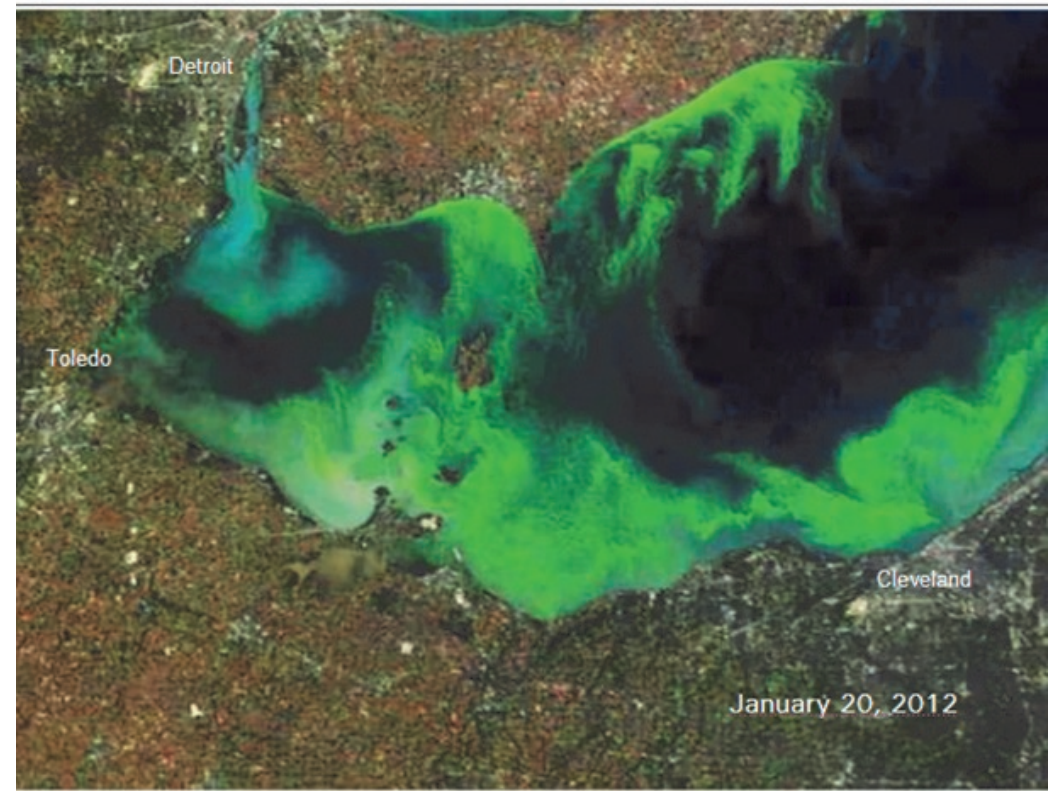
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Lake Erie Watershed Crop Nutrient Retailer's Meeting

February 29, 2012

Holiday Inn - French Quarter
Perrysburg, OH



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Lake Erie and Ohio Agriculture needs your help. Harmful Algal Blooms have been the worst ever in the Lake Erie Western Basin. Farming practices may require changes to reduce the contribution of dissolve reactive phosphorus from agriculture. Learn how implementation of the 4R Nutrient Stewardship principles of Right Source, Right Rate, Right Time and Right Place can help Lake Erie. Get the latest update on the Director's Agricultural Nutrient and Water Quality Working Group's effort. You will hear direct from the Ohio Department of Agriculture, Ohio Department of Natural Resource, and Ohio EPA. If you are part of management, sales, agronomy or a nutrient applicator, plan to attend and get factual information about this serious problem. Keep Phosphorus in the Soil.

- 9:30 a.m. **Registration**
- 10:00 a.m. **What we know about Phosphorus loading of Lake Erie**
Dr. David Baker, Heidelberg University
- 11:00 a.m. **Overview of "Director's Agricultural Nutrients and Water Quality Working Group's" Recommendations**
Mike Bailey, Ohio Department of Agriculture
Karl Gephardt, Ohio Department of Natural Resources
Scott Nally, Ohio Environmental Protection Agency
- 12:00 p.m. Lunch
- 1:00 p.m. **What do the 4 R's really mean?**
Tom Bruulsema, International Plant Nutrition Institute
- 2:00 p.m. **Putting it all Together**
Greg LaBarge, OSU Extension
- 2:45 p.m. **National 590 Nutrient Management Standard**
Mark Scarpitti, Natural Resource Conservation Service
- 3:30 p.m. **Adjourn**

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