**Wisconsin Geographic Names Council Meeting**

November 18th, 2022, 1:00 – 2:00 pm

This meeting will be a video-teleconference using Microsoft Teams. See the bottom of this agenda for instructions on how to connect. Guests Michael Tischler, Jennifer Runyon and others from the USGS and Dept. of Interior will be on hand for discussion the Interior Secretary’s Executive Orders (Items 2 & 3) .

**1:00 PM**

1. Call to order. 5 minutes

Quick introductions, meeting purpose.

1. Status of SO3404 - Declaring “Sq\*\*\*” a Derogatory Term and Implementing Procedures to Remove the Term from Federal Usage. 20 minutes

Review federal decisions regarding Sq\*\*\* feature names in Wisconsin with an opportunity for the Council to ask questions and seek advice on next potential steps.

1. Status of SO3405 - Addressing Other Derogatory Geographic Names. 20 minutes

Understand processes, timeline, and opportunities for state participation in this broader “phase II” derogatory name review.

**1:45 PM**

1. Council Business
   1. Review name change proposals submitted in 2022 and review of next steps.
   2. Discuss 2023 meeting schedule and potential topics

**2:00 PM** Adjourn

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