



WTA 2024 DISTRICT MEETING IN PERSON & VIRTUAL

IN PERSON AGENDA

- 8:15am-8:45am** **Registration**
Morning Refreshments sponsored by Scott Construction, Inc.
- 8:45am-9:00am** **Call to Order, Introductions, and Announcements**
- 9:00am-11:30am** **Board of Review (BOR) Certification Training**
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- A break will be provided within this timeframe.*
- 11:30am-12:00pm** **Agricultural Road Improvement Program (ARIP) Overview**
ARIP is a one-time, \$150 million, grant program created as part of the 2023-2025 state budget. The purpose of ARIP is to support the improvement of deteriorating agricultural roads. This session will provide an overview of ARIP including a review of WisDOT's requirements for program participation. This is a great opportunity to learn about a new program that can help your town get funding for its agricultural roads.
- 12:00pm-1:00pm** **Lunch**
Lunch sponsored by Thunder Road
- 1:00pm-1:45pm** **Shared Revenue Update**
The 2023-2025 state budget provided a historic change in shared revenue funding to local governments. Beginning in 2024, local governments will begin to receive larger distributions of shared revenue due to new supplemental aid payments. Come learn about how the shared revenue program has changed, and what this means for your town's future finances.
- 1:45pm-2:00pm** **Break**
Afternoon Refreshments sponsored by Rural Mutual Insurance
- 2:00pm-3:00pm** **Small Bridge/Culvert Program Details, Options, and Town Responsibilities**
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VIRTUAL AGENDA

MARCH 18TH

9:00am–10:00am

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