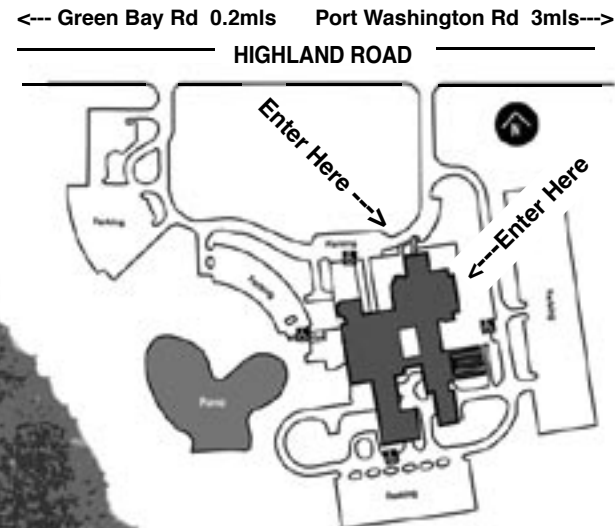


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2603 E. Newberry Blvd
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Milwaukee Audubon Society
presents the
**25th Annual
Natural Landscapes
Conference**

**Natural Landscapes:
Beyond the Backyard**

Saturday, February 12, 2005
8:15 am – 4:00 pm
MATC North Campus - Mequon



MATC North Campus
5555 West Highland Road
Mequon, WI 53092-1143

From the South: North on I-43, EXIT 85
MEQUON RD, LEFT on MEQUON RD,
immed. RIGHT on Port Washington Rd.,
go north 2 miles, LEFT at Highland Rd.,
3 miles west to Main Bldg entrance.

From the North: South on I-43, EXIT
west at County C / Pioneer Rd, immed.
South at Port Washington Rd, 2 miles,
and then turn RIGHT at Highland Rd,
west 3 miles to Main Bldg entrance.

*A thing is right
when it tends to
preserve the integrity,
stability, and beauty of
the biotic community.*

It is WRONG when it tends otherwise.
— Aldo Leopold



SILENT AUCTION Limited Edition Print

Tallgrass Prairie, 1860, Southeastern Wisconsin

Signed & numbered 30" x 22" giclee color print from
an oil painting by Babette Kis, *Prairie Ecologist & Artist*

Image above shows a detailed section of original.

CONFERENCE VOLUNTEERS-THANK YOU!

CITY OF GLENDALE NATURAL AREAS GROUP
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7:00-8:15 **REGISTRATION** Main Campus Bldg., First Floor Lobby
 8:15-8:30 **OPENING THOUGHTS** Steve Mahler, President, Milwaukee Audubon
 8:30-9:45 **KEYNOTE** Jim Uhrinak, Restorationist & Consulting Arborist
Living with Natural Treasure: Conservation Subdivision & Our Last Chances
 Presentation of Milwaukee Audubon Outstanding Conservationist Awards:
 – *Conservation Pioneer*
 – *Visionary Landscape Project*



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Name(s): _____

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Telephone: _____

Organization or Profession: _____

Email (for Audubon Conference mailings): _____

\$25 Pre-registration before February 8th

\$35 after February 8th and at the door

Number of persons registering: _____

Checks payable to: **Milwaukee Audubon Society**

Mail to: Milwaukee Audubon Society Registrations:
 2603 E. Newberry Blvd, Milwaukee, WI 53211

For more information please **call 414-332-4884**.

Registration information may also be found at:

milwaukee.uwex.edu/mg/natland.pdf

or write to **MilwaukeeAudubon@wi.rr.com**

Parking is free. Complementary Continental Breakfast. Lunch available for purchase in the campus cafeteria.

Bring posters, photos & handouts about your project or organization.

Vendor/Exhibitor table reservations:
 Call 414-332-4884.

Pick up tickets on the day of the conference after 7:15 am at the pre-registered table.

Help spread the word! Share this with friends!

	TIMES	LANDSCAPE THREATS A	REPORT 42: NATURAL AREAS A Comprehensive Guide to Natural Areas in Southeastern WI B	CULTURAL HERITAGE IN THE LANDSCAPE C	LANDSCAPING WITH NATIVE PLANTS D
I	10:00-11:00	WHEN WILDLIFE ARE VIEWED AS A NUISANCE And Other Threats to Native Wildlife Ricky Lien, <i>Urban Biologist, WDNR</i>	THE MOST IMPORTANT AND THREATENED NATURAL AREAS IN MILWAUKEE COUNTY Larry Leitner, <i>SEWRPC Biologist</i>	A LEOPOLD LEGACY: THE RESTORATION OF THE LANDSCAPE Curt Meine, <i>Author, Writer & the Biographer for Aldo Leopold</i>	5 STORIES FOR PROTECTING RARE SPECIES ON PRIVATE LANDS David Kopitzke, <i>Plant Biologist</i>
II	11:15-12:15	BIODIVERSITY LOSSES AND COMMUNITY HOMOGENIZATION IN SOUTHERN WISCONSIN WOODLANDS Dave Rogers, <i>Plant Ecologist, UW-Madison</i>	REGIONAL NATURAL AREAS OVERVIEW Andy Struck, <i>Ozaukee Co. Land Use Planner</i> <i>* Moderator*</i>	THREATENED PLANTS USED BY PREHISTORIC/HISTORIC INDIANS: THEIR STATUS TODAY Lee Olsen, <i>Ethnobotanist & Archaeologist</i>	MANAGEMENT CONCERNS FOR LARGE AND SMALL LANDSCAPES Evelyn Howell, <i>Chair, Dept. of Landscape Architecture, UW-Madison</i>
12:15-1:45 LUNCH BREAK Informal discussions on many conference topics will be offered during the lunch break. Further information will be posted at the conference.					
III	1:45-2:45	COMING SOON.... TO A NEIGHBORHOOD NEAR YOU: PLANT TERRORISTS Kelly Kearns, <i>Endangered Resources Biologist</i> <i>WDNR</i>	STATE NATURAL AREAS OVERVIEW Andy Struck, <i>Ozaukee Co. Land Use Planner</i> <i>*Moderator*</i>	MONUMENTAL SPIRITS OF EARTH: THE ANCIENT EFFIGY MOUND LANDSCAPES OF WISCONSIN Robert A. Birmingham, <i>State Archaeologist</i>	MILWAUKEE COUNTY PARKS: YOURS TO DISCOVER, NATURALLY! New Natural Areas Initiative Sue Black, <i>Director, Milwaukee County Parks</i>
IV	3:00-4:00	THE NEIGHBORHOOD HAS CHANGED: THREATS TO AQUATIC ECOSYSTEMS FROM INVASIVE SPECIES Nick Schmal, <i>Aquatic Ecologist, US Forest Service</i>	A LOCAL STATE NATURAL AREA Andy Struck, <i>Ozaukee Co. Land Use Planner</i> <i>*Moderator*</i>	THERE WAS NO WILDERNESS: THE OAK SAVANNA/PRAIRIE AS A CULTURAL LANDSCAPE Dr. Robert Jeske, <i>Archaeologist, Dept. of Anthropology, UWM</i>	RAIN GARDENS & STORMWATER MANAGEMENT FOR YOUR BACKYARD Cheryl Nenn, <i>Riverkeeper/Project Director, Friends of Milwaukee's Rivers</i>



An original Wisconsin prairie, replete with wildlife and summer flowers. Several animals, including a bumblebee, dragonflies, hover fly and hummingbird, fly toward the viewer. Other insects, typical of open sunny land, go about their business of finding food or avoiding predation. A row of prairie dock and compassplant divides the foreground from the distant oak opening. The land slopes gently away from the viewer in waves of prairie flowers, through the oak opening, to the horizon. At the top left, a perched pond of sedges is home to sandhill cranes. The painting is less vivid than the actual summer prairie would be, faded to respect the memory of the great Wisconsin prairie that was.

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