

**Meramec River Partnership – sponsored by East-West Gateway Council of Governments, Meramec Regional Planning Commission, Our Missouri Waters**

**Meeting:**

**Wednesday, April 13, 2016 at Wurdack Farm, Crawford County,** 164 Bales Rd, Cook Station, MO 65449. *Located two miles SE of Cook Station, the Farm is a Research Center for the University of Missouri in cooperation with University Extension.*

***AGENDA***

- 12:30 pm:** Farm Tour - Please arrive promptly. Tour will depart on Tractor pulled Wagon at 12:35.  
See examples of good stewardship in bottomland pasture and forest land.
- 2:00 pm:** Introductions, followed by discussion of activities of the agricultural research center
- 2:30 pm:** Overview of St. Louis Regional Food Network – Farm to Table initiative – Melissa Vatterott
- 2:45 pm:** Discussion of various farm support programs offered by federal and state agencies including  
Soil and Water Conservation District – Jake Wilson,  
Missouri Department of Conservation – Jeff Dierking, Mark Johanson  
Natural Resource Conservation Service (NRCS) – Renee Cook
- 3:45 pm:** Other issues
- 4:00 pm:** Adjourn