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Keeping Our Rivers Flowing Summit 2022

Date: Thursday 12 May 2022, 11.30 - 16.00

Venue: NAEC, Oak Tree Suite, Stoneleigh Park, Warwickshire, CV8 2LG

Hosts: ADA, CLA, Environment Agency, NFU

Sponsor: Aquatic Control Engineering (www.aquaticcontrol.co.uk)

Experts in water flow management and flood defence systems.

Integrating river and landscape is the theme of this year's Summit. With environmental land management sitting at the heart of future agricultural reform in England, the Summit will look at how flood storage and natural flood management can combine with the maintenance of our rivers to reduce the risk of flooding.

Agenda

- 11.30 Networking Lunch
- 13.00 Event welcome by Robert Caudwell, Chair, ADA

Evidence Presentations

- **13.10** Sam Burford, Team Leader ELM: Landscape Recovery, Defra
- 13.25 Richard Bramley, Chair, Environment Forum, NFU
- 13.40 Ian Hodge, Environment Agency
- 13.55 Joanna Knight, Estate Surveyor, Dyson Farming Ltd

- 14.10 Ian Warsap, Chief Executive, Black Sluice Internal Drainage Board
- 14.30 COMFORT BREAK

Discussion

- 14.40 Introduction to Q&A session by Robert Caudwell
- 14.45 Q&A session with panel representatives from ADA, CLA, EA, NFU

Panel:

- o Innes Thomson, Chief Executive, ADA
- Caroline Douglass, Executive Director of Flood and Coastal Risk Management, Environment Agency
- o Alice Green, Land Use Policy Adviser Climate and Water, CLA
- o Richard Bramley, Environment Forum Chair, NFU
- 15.50 Summing up and next steps by Robert Caudwell
- 16.00 SUMMIT CLOSE

