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DEPARTMENT: Laboratory Division

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Highlights

Date	Meeting	Purpose	Outcome
February 10 & 11, 2015	UW-Parkside College of Natural and Health Sciences	Discuss Governor's Proposed Budget	Governor Walker's budget will impose cuts on UW-Parkside. This may have an impact on the current agreement between the university and City of Racine for the operation of the REC Center and on this faculty's ability to support cooperative initiatives.
February 13, 2015	Marquette University	Lecture	Delivered a lecture on public health laboratory services to biology students.
February 18, 2015	Friends of Myers Park	Discuss Project	Provided updates on Samuel Myers Park project.
February 19, 2015	United States Geological Survey (USGS)	Discuss Upcoming Project	The laboratory will be awarded a contract to participate on a multi-year, multi-state USGS project to evaluate the immediate and long-term effectiveness of best management practices and restoration efforts at urban beaches on southern and western Lake Michigan.