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CHISAGO COUNTY WATER PLAN POLICY TEAM MEETING NOTICE

MONDAY, March 11, 2024

3:00 – 4:30 pm

In-Person and Virtual Meeting

Conference Room 150B, Chisago County Government Center, Center City

*****Notice of Participation via Teams*****

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 13D.02, Water Plan Policy Team member John Eret and Annalise Wiger will remotely attend the Policy Team meeting on Monday, March 11, 2024 at 3:00 pm via Microsoft Teams. Policy Team member Eret will be seen and heard via electronic means and will participate from 79 Avenue Vicente, Sagres, Portugal, a location open and accessible to the public. Policy Team member Wiger will be seen and heard via electronic means and will participate from the 26133 Newton Ave., Chisago City, MN 55013, a location open and accessible to the public.

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 13D.02, Subd. 3, persons interested in monitoring the meeting electronically from a remote location may view the meeting through the Microsoft Teams meeting link below.

Virtual Meeting Attendance Instructions

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Agenda

- 1) Call to Order
- 2) Roll Call – Determination of a Quorum
- 3) Introduction of Team Members and Visitors
- 4) Approval of Meeting Minutes from January 8, 2024
- 5) Approval of Agenda – Any Items to Add
- 6) Annalise Wiger and David Kern – New Team Members

Mission, Water Plan Policy Team

<https://www.chisagocountymn.gov/465/Water-Plan-Policy-Team>

7) Upcoming Presentations

- a. Washington County Groundwater Plan (March 11, 2024)
- b. Drinking Water in Chisago County (July 8, 2024)

8) Presentation – 2024 Annual Reports

- a. Chisago County - Aquatic Invasive Species & Water Resources
- b. Chisago Lakes Lake Improvement District
- c. Water Quality Monitoring

9) Lower St. Croix, Comprehensive Watershed Management Plan (1W1P)

- a. Amendment Request to FY23 Watershed Based Implementation Funds - County Board Approval

10) American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Updates and Survey Results

- a. AIS Treatment and Education Grants Applications 2024 - Policy Team Review and Recommendations
- b. Lake Management Planning

11) Consulting Services – General Services Agreement

12) Rush Lake Funding Letter of Support

13) Noxious Weed and Invasive Plant Grant Application

14) Wild Rivers Conservancy – 2023 Invasive Phragmites Monitoring

15) Minnesota DNR, Invasive Phragmites Plant Classifications

<https://www.dnr.state.mn.us/invasives/invasive-species-program-2022-prohibited-invasive-species-rulemaking.html>

16) Aquatic Invasive Species Program Updates

- a. Zebra Mussel Veliger and Spiny Waterflea Tow Results
- b. Sunrise and South Center Lake Aquatic Plant Surveys
 - i. Sunrise Lake Web Map Link: <https://arcg.is/1jCm1y>
- c. Watercraft Inspections and Decontaminations
- d. AIS Workshop (April 23, 2024)
- e. Wild Rivers Conservancy, Purple Loosestrife Volunteers Needed

17) Minnesota Draft 2024 Impaired Waters List

<https://www.pca.state.mn.us/air-water-land-climate/minnesotas-impaired-waters-list>

18) East Metro Water Resources Education Program (EMWREP) Annual

Report <https://www.mnwcd.org/s/2023-Annual-Report-nb5c.pdf>

19) Carlos Avery Wildlife Management Area Master Plan Update

<https://www.dnr.state.mn.us/news/2024/02/08/minnesota-dnr-seeks-public-input-updates-carlos-avery-wma-master-plan>

20) We Are Water MN Exhibit Updates

- a. Open House Kick-Off, March 19 from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m.

21) Agency Updates

22) July 8, 2024 Meeting – any Changes

23) Members Comments or Questions

24) Adjourn

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