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**CHISAGO COUNTY WATER PLAN POLICY TEAM MEETING NOTICE**

MONDAY, January 10, 2022

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 Craig Mell will remotely attend the Policy Team meeting on Monday, January 10, 2022 at 3:00 pm via Microsoft Teams. Policy Team member Mell will be seen and heard via electronic means and will participate from the Chisago Soil and Water Conservation District office, 38814 Third Avenue, North Branch, MN 55056, a location open and accessible to the public.

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 13D.02, Water Plan Policy Team member **Chris DuBose will remotely attend the Policy Team meeting on Monday, January 10, 2022 at 3:00 pm via Microsoft Teams. Policy Team member DuBose will be seen and heard via electronic means and will participate from 505 Park Island Road, Center City, MN 55012, a location open and accessible to the public.**

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 13D.02, Water Plan Policy Team member **Brian Sandel will remotely attend the Policy Team meeting on Monday, January 10, 2022 at 3:00 pm via Microsoft Teams. Policy Team member Sandel will be seen and heard via electronic means and will participate from 49448 Forest Blvd, Rush City, MN 55069, 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**

1. Please enter the link below to join the meeting:

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2. Or call in (audio only)

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**Mission, Water Plan Policy Team**

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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 November 8, 2021
- 5) Approval of Agenda – Any Items to Add
- 6) Water Plan Policy Team Citizen At-Large Term Expirations
  - a. Frank Storm, John Eret and Lawrence Nelson, Terms: 01-01-2019 to 01-01-2022
  - b. Dawn White, Term: 08-19-2019 to 01-01-2022
- 7) Lower St. Croix One Watershed One Plan (1W1P)
  - a. 2021 1W1P County Conservation Award, Association of Minnesota Counties and Board of Water and Soil Resources
  - b. Watershed Based Implementation Funding Work Plan and Budget 2021 – 2022 Updates
    - i. Activity 7: Internal Analyses Call for Project Updates and Applications
  - c. Changing Framework for Water Plan Policy Team, Purpose and Mission Review
  - d. Reviewing Interactive Map  
<https://maps.barr.com/LSCWD/1W1P/index.html#/-92.6959/45.2585/9>
- 8) Maps of Chisago County Geologic Atlas Available  
<https://www.chisagocounty.us/294/Geologic-Atlas>.
- 9) 2022 – 2024 East Metro Water Resource Education Program (EMWREP) and Partnership Update
- 10) Minnesota Aquatic Invasive Species Research Center (MAISRC) Research and Management Showcase Update (September 22, 2021)
- 11) Wild Rivers Conservancy – 2021 Invasive Phragmites Monitoring Summary
  - a. Phragmites Roadside Treatment Update
- 12) Aquatic Invasive Species (AIS) Program and Watercraft Inspections Update
  - a. East Rush, Linn and South Lindstrom Lakes Aquatic Plant Point Intercept Surveys (August 2021)
  - b. Zebra Mussel Veliger and Spiny Waterflea Tow Results

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- 13) Plan for 2022 Activities:
  - a. Aquatic Invasive Species Prevention
  - b. Children's Water Festival (September 2022 TBD)
  - c. Chisago Lakes Lake Improvement District Program Coordination
  - d. Lower St. Croix - Comprehensive Watershed Management Plan (1W1P)
  - e. Water Plan Policy Team Framework
  - f. Water Quality Monitoring
- 14) Upcoming Workshops/Conferences
  - a. Minnesota Department of Natural Resources, Floodplain/Shoreland Winter 2022 Virtual Trainings
- 15) Agency Updates
- 16) March 14, 2022 Meeting – any Changes
- 17) Members Comments or Questions
- 18) Adjourn