



Bassett Creek Watershed Management Commission

Technical Advisory Committee Meeting

Wednesday, March 4, 2026

10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Wirth Lake Room, Brookview

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. COMMUNICATIONS & UPDATES

A. REVIEW UPDATED TABLE OF AVAILABLE CHANNEL MAINTENANCE FUNDS – see attachment

B. REMINDERS

- i. Looking for multi-family housing property in environmental justice/socially vulnerable location for small WQ project and resident engagement
- ii. Looking for properties of Low Salt, No Salt MN outreach

C. REQUEST FOR ANNUAL CHECK-IN MEETINGS WITH INDIVIDUAL CITIES

3. BUSINESS

A. DISCUSS NEW TIMELINES FOR DNR'S PROJECT TO UPDATE FLOOD RISK

On February 24th, watersheds and cities received an email from the MnDNR with new information on the status of the Twin Cities Watershed FEMA project. Jeff Weiss with the DNR will be at this meeting to provide more information, receive feedback, and answer questions.

B. REVIEW 5-YEAR CIP AND REQUEST FOR COST SHARE FOR STREET SWEEPER – see attachments

The TAC should discuss the next 5-year CIP (2026 – 2030). The attached 5-year CIP includes current and previously approved projects in black text. Red text shows new projects that are listed in the 10-year CIP in the 2026 Watershed Management Plan. This includes the proposed cost share of a high efficiency street sweeper for Crystal which is in line with project #30 in the 10-year CIP.

There are several additional projects included in the 10-year CIP that are not included in this 5-year CIP that should be discussed by the TAC and/or Commission as Plan implementation gets underway and the 2027 levy is considered. These include annual activities such smaller shoreline restorations, private developer cost share, chloride reduction cost share, etc. See the attached 10-year CIP excerpt.

C. REVIEW UPDATED SCOPE AND BUDGET FOR BCWMC H&H MODEL UPDATE AND CONVERSION PROJECT – see memo

The TAC should review and consider recommending approval of an updated scope and budget for this project. Please see the attached memo for additional information. Staff will bring an update on funding options to the meeting.

D. RECEIVE UPDATE ON DEVELOPMENT OF CHECKLIST FOR LINEAR PROJECTS

The updated BCWMC development requirements go into effect on May 1st and include a requirement for cities or others to document the amount of stormwater management provided during linear projects and rationale on how the BCWMC linear project requirements were applied, including the documentation of any site constraints encountered on the project (e.g., lack of right-of-way, poor soils, contamination) and efforts made to overcome those as part of design. Commission Engineers are developing a checklist that could serve as that documentation. They will provide an update at this meeting.

4. FUTURE MEETINGS

Generally, first Wednesday 10:30 – 12:00

Next meeting: April and May meetings need to be rescheduled

Future meeting topics:

- Approve linear project checklist for Commission consideration
- Finalize 5-year CIP for Commission consideration
- Policies related to spending public funds on private properties including CIP projects, small grant program for residential projects, public-private partnership projects

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