### North St. Louis Soil and Water Conservation District



505 3<sup>rd</sup> St N Suite A, Virginia MN 55792 Regular Meeting at 10:30 a.m. **February 8, 2023** 

# **MEETING AGENDA**

The meeting will be held in-person and over Zoom at the SWCD office Contact the District Administrator at least 2 hours in advance of the meeting to obtain codes to attend this Zoom meeting

### ESTABLISH QUORUM AND CALL MEETING TO ORDER, THEN ACT ON

- 1. Agenda
- 2. Minutes of Last Meeting
- 3. Accounts Receivable and Accounts Payable
- 4. Guest Introductions & Comments
  - a. Paul Sandstrom, Laurentian Resource Conservation & Development

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

- 5. Auditor Contract for 2022 Audit
- 6. Certificate of Deposit \$50,000 Reinvest for 9 months at 3.5%
- 7. Board of Water & Soil Resources
  - a. Cost Share Contract Amendment McIntire
  - b. Rainy River–Rainy Lake/Lower Rainy River Watershed Planning Area –
    Memorandum of Agreement & Policy Committee Appointment
- 8. Department of Natural Resources Grant Applications
  - a. Conservation Partners Legacy Grant Application(s) & Board Resolution 2023-03
    - i. Wildlife Management Areas Terrestrial Invasive Species Removal \$50,000
    - ii. Ely Municipal Golf Course Terrestrial Invasive Species Removal \$20,000
  - b. Emerald Ash Borer Grant Application and Board Resolution 2023-04
- 9. Minnesota Pollution Control Agency GreenCorps Application & Board Resolution 2023-05
- 10. National Association of Conservation District Urban and Community Conservation Grant Application and Board Resolution 2023-06
- 11. Staffing
  - a. Accounting and Human Resources Specialist Approval to Hire
  - b. AIS Interns Approval to Hire 2, pending SLC grant award
  - c. Phil Norvitch Annual Salary Adjustment effective 2/22/23
- 12. Truck Purchase Authorization to Purchase a Pickup & Board Resolution 2023-07
- 13. Upcoming Supervisor Meetings and/or Trainings
  - a. BWSR North Region Committee (SLR 1W1P) March 1
  - b. MASWCD Legislative Days March 7 & 8
  - c. Other

#### **REPORTS**:

- 14. District Administrator Report
  - a. TSA Hours for 4Q22
- 15. Aquatic Invasive Species Program Coordinator Report
- 16. Community Conservationist Report
- 17. District Forester Report
- 18. Regional Farm Bill Forester Report
- 19. Resource Conservationist Report
- 20. NRCS District Conservationist Report

# 21. Supervisor & Committee Reports

- a. Laurentian Resource Conservation & Development January 23
- b. MASWCD Legislative Briefing January 25
- c. SWCD Forestry Association January 19
- d. Technical Service Area III February 1

## **CLOSING:**

- 22. Schedule Next Meeting March 15?, 2023 at 10:30 a.m.
- 23. Adjourn