### Lower Minnesota River West-Comprehensive Watershed Management Partnership

## **Policy Committee**

Meeting #12

Date: 10/14/2021

Time: 10:00am -11:30am

Location: Commissioner's Board Room, Sibley County Courthouse, 400 Court Avenue Gaylord, MN 55334

Staff Support: Jack Bushman Note taker: Jack Bushman

Committee Members:	Member Organization	Committee Member		Alternate Member		
	High Island Creek WD	Jim Mueller – Secretary		Kevin Miller		
	McLeod County	Doug Krueger		Paul Wright		
	McLeod SWCD	Charles Mathews		Gary Templin		
	Nicollet County	Marie Dranttel – Vice Chair		John Luepke		
	Nicollet SWCD	Eric Annexstad		Don Hermanson		
	Sibley County	Steve Saxton		Joy Cohrs		
	Sibley SWCD	Paul Wiemann – Board Chair		Loren Evenson		
Staff:	High Island Creek WD		Allen Kerber			
	McLeod County		Marc Telecky, Sarah Young			
	McLeod SWCD		Ryan Freitag, Coleton Draeger			
	Nicollet County		Benjamin Rosburg			
	Nicollet SWCD		Kevin Ostermann, Blake Honetschlager			
	Sibley County		Marilee Peterson			
	Sibley SWCD		Jack Bushman			
	BWSR		Ed Lenz, Jenny Mocol-Johnson, Shaina Keseley			
Other	Barr Engineering Co.; SEH		Karen Chandler, Greg Williams, Rachel Pichelmann			
Please bring:	1W1P Binder, Agenda, Agenda Attachments					

## **Agenda Items**

	Topic	Purpose	Presenter	Time allotted
✓	Call to Order; Roll Call	DECISION	Chair	5 min.
<b>✓</b>	Review Meeting Agenda, Agenda Additions & Cancellations	DISCUSSION/DECISION	Chair	5 min.
✓	Approve Minutes from 08/05/2021	DECISION	Chair	5 min.
<b>✓</b>	Approve Invoice from Barr Engineering	DECISION	Chair with Support  – Jack Bushman	5 min.
<b>✓</b>	Clean Water Specialist Change	INFO	Support – Jack Bushman	5 min.
<b>√</b>	Draft Goals Discussion	DISCUSSION	Support – Greg Williams; Jack Bushman	60 min.
<b>✓</b>	Next Steps; Next Meeting	DISCUSSION/DECISION	Chair with Support  – Jack Bushman	5 min.

#### Attachments to Agenda:

- Minutes from 08/05/2021
- Invoice Barr Engineering
- Memorandum & Goals Documents

#### Policy Committee Ground Rules and Expectations

In addition to following the requirements of the Memorandum of Agreement and bylaws, Policy Committee Members will:

- 1. Actively prepare for, attend, and participate in all scheduled meetings of the Policy Committee.
- 2. Actively engage in the decision-making process for watershed-based planning with the understanding that goals, objectives, and action items of the water plan must be prioritized, targeted, and measurable.
- 3. Initiate and/or assist with providing opportunities for constituents to be appraised of updated progress of the watershed-based planning process.
- 4. Regularly update their respective Boards on the progress of the watershed planning process.
- 5. Utilize the technical resources of their respective entities to assist and inform their decisions in the water planning process.

# This meeting will be held in person at the Sibley County Courthouse (Commissioner's Board Room), a virtual option will also be available for those unable to attend in person.

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