

**Lower St. Croix Comprehensive Watershed Management Plan (CWMP)  
Implementation Policy Committee**

**Policy Committee**

**Meeting #3**

**May 24, 2021  
4:00-6:00 PM**

**Zoom Virtual Meeting**

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**Vision**

The St. Croix River, groundwater, lakes, streams, rivers, wetlands, and upland habitat in the Lower St. Croix watershed sustain healthy ecosystems, recreation, public health, tourism, agriculture, the economy, and quality of life in our communities.

**Mission**

Guide protection and restoration of priority natural resources in the Lower St. Croix watershed over the next ten years through implementation of the Lower St. Croix Comprehensive Watershed Management Plan.

**Facilitator:** Angie Hong

**Note taker:**

**Invited:**

Anoka SWCD: Sharon LeMay  
Brown's Creek WD: Craig Leiser  
Carnelian Marine St Croix WD: Wade Johnson  
Chisago County: Chris DuBose, Lance Petersen, and Mike Mergens  
Chisago SWCD: Jim Birkholz  
Comfort Lake Forest Lake WD: Jackie Anderson  
Isanti County: Susan Morris  
Isanti SWCD: Jerry Schaubach  
Middle St. Croix WMO: John Fellegly  
Pine County: Steve Hallan  
Pine SWCD: Doug Odegard  
South Washington WD: Kevin ChapdeLaine  
Sunrise River JP WMO: Janet Hegland  
Washington County: Fran Miron  
Washington SWCD: Diane Blake  
Valley Branch WD: Ed Marchan

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Policy Committee alternates; Advisory Committee members

**Meeting packet:**

- 3-22-21 Policy Committee Meeting minutes
- BWSR Approved Work Plan

## Agenda Items

Topic	Purpose	Lead	Time
Introductions; Approve agenda Roll-call vote	DECIDE	Policy Committee	5 min
Approval of March 22 Meeting Minutes Roll-call vote	DECIDE	Policy Committee	5 min
Update on BWSR approved work plan for 2021-22	INFO	Craig Mell	5 min.
Financial Update	INFO	Craig Mell	5 min.
Subcommittee Updates <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <u>Agronomy Outreach</u> – Jay Riggs</li> <li>2. <u>Urban and Agricultural Projects</u> – Craig Mell and Mike Isensee</li> <li>3. <u>Watershed Education</u> – Angie Hong</li> <li>4. <u>Wetland Restoration</u> – Becky Wozney</li> <li>5. <u>Internal Analyses</u> – Susanna Wilson-Witkowski</li> <li>6. <u>Targeting Analyses</u> – Jay Riggs</li> </ol>	INFO	Planning Team	20 min.
Progress Update – cumulative progress toward water quality goals	INFO	Angie Hong	5 min.
Overview of additional, locally-led projects	INFO	Angie Hong	15 min.
Discussion: Meeting format and topics for future meetings	DISCUSSION	Policy Committee	10 min.
Adjourn	DECIDE	Policy Committee	5 min.