



AGENDA

Regular Meeting of the Board of Supervisors

<u>Wednesday, March 20, 2024 2:00 pm</u>

Location: 2008 Mahogany St Ste 3 Mora MN 55051

Purpose Statement: Meet regularly utilizing civic standards to organize ourselves, building capacity and infrastructure as needed to support our goals in leading toward better soil & water quality throughout Kanabec County.

The public is welcome to attend in-person at our SWCD office, 2008 Mahogany St Ste 3 Mora MN 55051. Note: We post our meeting material on our websites' homepage.

For those wishing to attend remotely:

Video call link: https://meet.google.com/gtp-gjsa-zff

Or dial: (US) +1 903-600-6432 PIN: 402 133 784#

More phone numbers: https://tel.meet/gtp-gjsa-zff?pin=6279057936310

- 1. 2:00 Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag
- 2. 2:05 *Approval of the Agenda
- 3. 2:10 *Consent Agenda (no discussion unless Supervisor requests)
 - 3.1. Financial receipts & disbursements, balance sheet, profit & loss reports
 - 3.2. Outcomes Document:

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- 3.3. Staff Reports
- 3.4. Upcoming Staff Meetings / Outreach / Training
- 3.5. AIS funding requests (routine within budget)
- 4. 2:20 *Approve Treasurer's Report
- 5. 2:25 NRCS Report (Steffen, Cole) Unfunded Cooperative Agreement
- 6. 2:55 Business Section
 - 6.1. Snake Watershed Partnership Update (Pomije)
 - *Kanabec SWCD approval on watershed statement of work (SOW) contracts, requesting District Mgr. signing authority
 - *Potential SOW for watershed-wide forest stewardship planning (seeking \$5,000 for Kanabec alone) Are we willing to contract this for the whole watershed?

Watershed Coordinator position, interviews being scheduled

- *Seeking approval for the personnel committee to offer the position, pending full board approval at our April board meeting.
- 6.2. *Draft 2024 Kanabec SWCD Annual Work Plan, seeking approval
- 6.3. *AIS Expenditures

Update of Boat Inspector positions

6.4. *Seeking funding approval on our 2024 spring Newsletter, projected ~\$3,000 expense

Last year 2023 expenses: Publishing \$1,250 (Printed 6,670) Mailing \$1,245

Only 38% (\$936) charged to District, grants covered most of the expense, also use Pokegama funds

7. 3:40 - **Public Input** (15 min.)

BREAK (5 min.)

8. 4:00 Projects Updates, in consent agenda – any questions

Seeking board input on Kanabec-SWCD staff servicing low-income septic installation, funding through the Snake Watershed WBIF funds

9. 4:15 Discussion Session:

(Items brought forward by Supervisors for board discussion. Please bring items for the agenda ahead of our meeting for full board consideration prior to the meeting.)

10. 4:30 Set Next Meeting Dates / Committee Reports

- 3/8 Snake/Kettle RIM Easement Tech. Committee (Mattson)
- 3/13 Day at the Capital (Belkholm, Sanford)
- 3/14 COLA / AIS Meeting, 5 pm (Larsen, Sanford)
- 3/14/24 Kettle PC Meeting, 9 am, Sandstone (Johnson)
- 3/15 Annual Grant Reporting to Website Deadline
- 3/21/24? Forestry Assn. Meeting, 10 am, McGregor (Carda or Sanford, Tank)
- TBD SRWMB Meeting, 9 am, Courthouse (Pomije, Belkholm)
- 3/25/24 Snake Watershed Partnership Meeting, 10:00 am, Courthouse (Pomije, Belkholm)
- 3/26-28 Leadership Training, St. Paul (Pomije)

- 3/27 TSA Area 3 Meeting, 10 am remote (Johnson, Larsen)
- 4/8 Snake Steering Meeting, as needed 9-11 am (Pomije)
- 4/17/24- Regular SWCD Board Meeting, 2 pm
- 4/22-26 Open House, Private Well Nitrate Testing (staff)
- 4/25 ? Rum RRWP Meeting, 4:30 pm, Milaca (Johnson)
- June 7 or 14 proposed dates for the Area 3 Resolution Meeting, Cloquet Forestry Ctr. any conflicts?

Seeking Supervisor report on meeting attended

11. 4:40 Evaluate the Meeting – What worked? What needs further discussion?

Agenda items for next month...

12. 4:45 Adjourn Regular Board Meeting

*Seeking Board Decisions