

June 12, 2018

Laura Jester, Administrator Bassett Creek Watershed Management Commission 16145 Hillcrest Lane Eden Prairie, MN 55346

RE: Bassett Creek Watershed Management Commission - Plan Amendment (Minor)

Dear Ms. Jester:

On May 3, 2018, the Board of Water and Soil Resources (BWSR) received documentation of proposed changes to the Bassett Creek Watershed Management Commission's (Commission) Comprehensive Watershed Management Plan (Plan) submitted in accordance with the minor amendment process defined in MN Rules 8410.0140 Sup.2. The Commission also sent the minor amendment documentation to plan review authorities and other stakeholders for the required 30-day review and comment period. The Plan amendment includes the addition of the Ponderosa Woods Stream Restoration and the Bassett Creek {ark Water Quality Improvement Project.

BWSR staff had no comments. The Department of Natural Resources and Metropolitan Council stated that they had no comments. Hennepin County has requested an extension for review.

We commend the Commission for maintaining a current watershed management plan. Once the Commission adopts the changes, please print and forward them in the form of replacement pages for the Plan, to all plan review authorities and plan holders in accordance with 8410.140 Subps. 4 & 5. Refer to the Metro Plan Review Roster found on the BWSR website for the plan format review agencies have requested (BWSR requires hard and electronic copies). Feel free to contact me with any questions at 651-249-7519.

Sincerely,

Steve Christopher Board Conservationist

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From: <u>Drewry, Kate (DNR)</u>
To: <u>Laura Jester</u>

Cc: Christopher, Steve (BWSR); Spiegel, Jason (DNR); Daniels, Jeanne M (DNR)

Subject: RE: BCWMC Proposed Minor Plan Amendment

Date: Friday, June 8, 2018 12:04:44 PM

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Hello Laura:

Attachments:

DNR staff have reviewed the above referenced Minor Plan Amendment and have no specific comments at this time. As more detailed plans are developed, for any of these projects that may impact public waters we encourage early coordination with DNR Area Hydrologist Jason Spiegel to obtain his input during the preliminary design stage.

Thanks you for the opportunity to review.

Best Regards,

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Hi Steve-

The Metropolitan Council will have no formal comments on this amendment and is very supportive of the projects added to the CIP.

Thanks!

