

ANNUAL STORM WATER POLLUTION PREVENTION PLAN PUBLIC HEARING



January 16, 2024



2023 STORM WATER ACTIVITIES

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- ▶ Catch basin and manhole repairs in Foxberry Farms neighborhood.
- ▶ General Permit implementation (2020 – 2025 period)

PROJECTS 2023 & BEYOND

- ▶ Complete the Stormwater Maintenance Policy and Procedures
- ▶ Incorporate new mandated MS4 permit requirements into our SWPPP and update ordinances as necessary

MINIMUM CONTROL MEASURES

▶ **Public Education & Outreach**

- ▶ Newsletter Articles
- ▶ Stormwater Utility Bill Inserts
- ▶ Literature Stand at City Hall and Public Works

▶ **Public Participation**

- ▶ Annual Public Hearing
 - ▶ Medina Clean-up Day
 - ▶ Medina Celebration Day
 - ▶ Incorporate new mandated MS4 permit requirements into the City's SWPPP including updating ordinances, standard operating procedures, various management plans, and enforcement response procedures.
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MINIMUM CONTROL MEASURES

▶ **Illicit Discharge Detection and Elimination**

- ▶ Two certified staff identify, investigate, eliminate and enforce discharges within the city stormwater system
- ▶ City Code Section 345 requires residents to clean-up after their pets

▶ **Construction Site Storm Water Runoff Control**

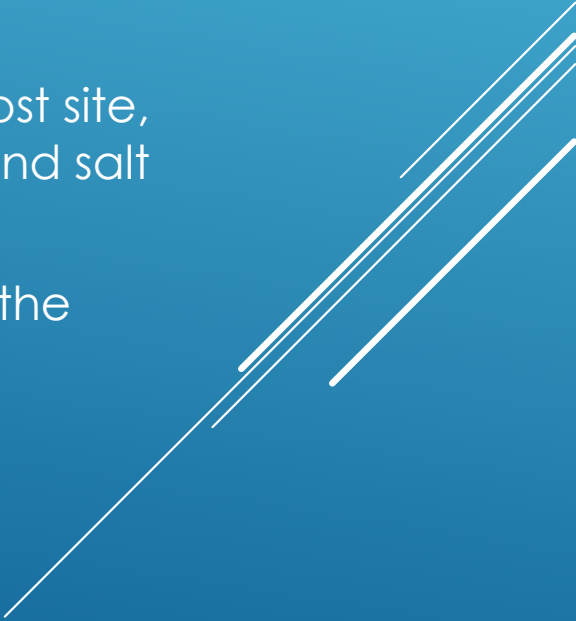
- ▶ Conducted all routine site erosion inspections (in-house)
 - ▶ In 2023, 49 construction sites were inspected for erosion control, 57 violation reports were written
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MINIMUM CONTROL MEASURES

▶ **Post-Construction Storm Water Management**

- ▶ Continuing to implement the policies of the City's Surface Water Management Plan

▶ **Pollution Prevention and Housekeeping**

- ▶ Snow and ice management control (Staff is Smart Salt Certified)
 - ▶ Street Sweeping
 - ▶ Pond maintenance
 - ▶ Inspections: road material stockpiles, brush and compost site, equipment storage facility, parks, public parking lots, and salt storage
 - ▶ Various annual employee training courses focused on the prevention of discharging pollutants
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- ▶ Three Rivers Park District
- ▶ Board of Water & Soil Resources (BWSR)
- ▶ Lake Independence Citizens Association (LICA) & Long Lake Creek Association
- ▶ Hennepin County Environmental Services
- ▶ Watersheds – Minnehaha Creek, Pioneer-Sarah Creek, & Elm Creek
- ▶ Homeowner Associations

PARTNERS IN WATER QUALITY IMPROVEMENT

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