

March 25, 2020

Bois de Sioux Watershed District Board of Managers 704 Hwy 75 South Wheaton, MN 56296

Dear Board of Managers:

The Minnesota Board of Water and Soil Resources (BWSR) is pleased to inform you it approved the Bois de Sioux Watershed District's (District) Overall Plan Amendment at its regular meetings held on March 25, 2020. Attached is the signed Findings of Fact, Conclusion, and Order that documents approval of the plan amendment and indicates it meets all relevant requirements of law and rule.

The plan amendment enables the District to establish water management districts to provide additional funding options, as well as, to create a specific water management district for the Lake Traverse Water Quality Improvement Project No. 1 pursuant to Minn. Stat. 103D.729.

The District is to be commended for developing the Lake Traverse Water Quality Improvement Project and ensuring the local public support for the Project, as per the testimony heard during the January 16, 2020 public hearing conducted by BWSR and appreciative applause at the close of the hearing in Wheaton. The Board looks forward to working with you as you implement the plan and document its outcomes.

Sincerely,

Gerald Van Amburg, Chair

Minnesota Board of Water and Soil Resources

Enclosures

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BOARD ORDER

Amendment of the Bois de Sioux Watershed District Watershed Management Plan

PURPOSE

Approve an amendment to the Bois de Sioux Watershed District Watershed Management Plan pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Sections 103D.411 and 103D.729.

RECITALS /FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. The Bois de Sioux Watershed District (District) filed a petition for an amendment to the Watershed Management Plan (Plan) dated, August 2, 2019, with the Board of Water and Soil Resources (Board). A subsequent revised amendment (Amendment) was received on October 16, 2019 (Exhibit 1).
- 2. A watershed district is required to revise their watershed management plan at least once every ten years pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 103D.405, Subd. 1 (a). The current Plan was approved by the Board in May 2003. On September 26, 2012, the Plan was extended to April 2017 to allow synchronization of the Mustinka and Bois de Sioux Rivers Watershed Restoration and Protection Strategies report processes. On January 13, 2017, the Plan was extended to December 31, 2020 in order to transition to comprehensive watershed management plans through the One Watershed, One Plan program. However, the current extended Plan does not include the establishment of water management districts.
- 3. The purpose of the Amendment is to enable the District the ability to establish water management districts to provide additional funding options, as well as, to create a specific water management district for the Lake Traverse Water Quality Improvement Project No. 1 pursuant to Minn. Stat. §103D.729. The Amendment (Exhibit 1) profiles the establishment of a water management district that would provide a funding mechanism to assist in the implementation of the Lake Traverse Water Quality Improvement Project No. 1. As proposed, the water management district will fund a portion of the project and additional funding will also be pursued.
- 4. The petition for the Amendment to the Plan is valid in accordance with Minn. Stat. §§ 103D.411 and 103D.729.
- 5. Legal notice of the public hearing on the petition, pursuant to Minn. Stat. §103D.411, was published in the Wheaton Gazette (Exhibit 5) and the Northern Star (Exhibit 6). Further, a copy of the hearing notice was mailed to several addressees notifying them of the public hearing (Exhibit 4). No written comments were received during the notice period.
- 6. A public hearing was held for the Amendment on January 16, 2020 at 2:30 PM, at the American Legion, 303 5th Street North in Wheaton, Minnesota. The proceedings were recorded. The hearing panel consisted of the following Northern Regional Committee (Committee) Board members: Neil Peterson, Gerald Van Amburg, Tom Schultz, Jeff Berg, Theresa Ebbenga, Nicole Blasing and Rich Sve. Board staff in attendance were Ryan Hughes and Pete Waller. Ryan Hughes entered Exhibit 1 through Exhibit 7 into the record. No written comments were provided from interested parties at the hearing. Oral comments were heard by the Committee and recorded. The following list of exhibits comprises the hearing record:
 - Exhibit 1. Amendment to Watershed Management Plan Petition for the Bois de Sioux Watershed District, dated August 2, 2019. A subsequent revised amendment was received on October 16, 2019.
 - Exhibit 2. December 18, 2019 Board of Water and Soil Resources' Order for public hearing to be held on the amendment to watershed management plan petition for the Bois de Sioux Watershed District.

Exhibit 3. Email dated October 28, 2019 from Ryan Hughes, Board of Water and Soil Resources, to the Board of Water and Soil Resources' Northern Regional Committee on the petition, hearing date and location.

Exhibit 4. Memorandum dated December 23, 2019 from Annie Felix-Gerth, Board of Water and Soil Resources to several addressees providing notice of the public hearing including legal notice, and list of addresses.

Exhibit 5. Affidavit of Publication dated December 31, 2019, of Legal Notice in the Wheaton Gazette on December 24, 2019 and December 31, 2019.

Exhibit 6. Affidavit of Publication dated August 26, 2019, of Legal Notice in the Northern Star on December 26, 2019 and January 2, 2020.

Exhibit 7. Committee meeting packet dated January 10, 2020 from Ryan Hughes, Board of Water and Soil Resources, to the Board of Water and Soil Resources' Northern Regional Committee on the petition, hearing date, location and supporting documentation (Exhibits 1, 2, 4).

Exhibit 8. Public Hearing Speaker List dated January 16, 2020.

Exhibit 9. Public Hearing Mailing List dated January 16, 2020.

- 7. Staff participated with the District and their consultant through the amendment process, providing guidance, comments and recommendations. The Amendment will be inserted in the plan under "Part V Projects." The final proposed Amendment conforms to the requirements of Minnesota Statute 103D.411. Therefore, staff recommends approval of the proposed amendment.
- 8. The Northern Regional Committee deliberated on January 16, 2020, following the close of the public hearing, at the American Legion, 303 5th St N, Wheaton, Minnesota. Based on the public hearing record, the proposed Amendment meets the requirements of Minn. Stat. §§103D.411 and 103D.729, and staff recommends approving the Amendment. After discussion and based on the entire record, the Committee unanimously recommended approval of the Bois de Sioux Watershed Plan Amendment.
- 9. All relevant, substantive and procedural requirements of law and rule have been fulfilled.
- 10. The Board has proper jurisdiction in the matter of approving an amendment of a watershed management plan.
- 11. The attached Amendment to the Plan as proposed in the petition would be for the public welfare and public interest and the purpose of Minn. Stat. Chapter 103D would be served.

ORDER

Date: March 25, 2020

The Board hereby:

1. Approves the attached Plan Amendment received on October 16, 2019, as a formal amendment to the 2003 watershed management plan for the Bois de Sioux Watershed District.

Dated at St. Paul, Minnesota, this 25th day of March 2020.

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Gerald Van Amburg, Chair

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Minnesota Board of Water and Soil Resources

Attn: Travis Germundson 520 Lafayette Rd N St. Paul, MN 55155

Re: Petition to MN Board of Water and Soil Resources

Mr. Germundson:

On behalf of the Bois de Sioux Watershed District ("BdSWD"), please find the Petition to the Minnesota Board of Water and Soil Resources ("BWSR") for review and approval of an Amendment to the BdSWD Watershed Management Plan pursuant to Minn. Stat. §§ 103D.411 and 103D.729.

In summary, the amendment allows the BdSWD to create water management districts to provide an additional funding option for the BdSWD. In addition, the amendment creates the Lake Traverse Water Management District. The BdSWD respectfully requests BWSR's review and approval of the amendment pursuant to Minn. Stat. §103D.411. The BdSWD also requests notice of the hearing on the proposed amendment.

Enclosed please find the Petition Creating Water Management Districts and Engineer's Report for Lake Traverse Water Quality Improvement Project No. 1. If you have any questions or would like to discuss this matter further, please contact me.

Sincerely,

OHNSTAD TWICHELL, P.C.

Lukas Croaker, BdSWD Attorney

LWC:cms Encl.

STATE OF MINNESOTA Before the Bois de Sioux Watershed District

In the Matter of the Bois de Sioux Watershed District's Establishment of Lake Traverse Water Quality Improvement Project No. 1

Petition to MN Board of Water and Soil Resources for Amendment to Watershed Management Plan Pursuant to Minn. Stat. §§ 103D.411 and 103D.729

The Board of Managers of the Bios de Sioux Watershed District (the "District"), at its regular meeting on Thursday, July 18, 2019, considered the attached proposed amendment (the "Amendment") to the District's Watershed Management Plan to support the establishment of Lake Traverse Water Quality Improvement Project No. 1 (the "Project"). Based on review of the Amendment and the Project proceedings, Manager Noto moved, seconded by Manager Schmoot to adopt the following Findings and Petition for approval of the Amendment of the District's Watershed Management Plan:

FINDINGS

- 1. On January 17, 2019, the District held a preliminary resolution hearing, pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 103D.601, on the preliminary resolution to consider the status of constructing a water quality enhancement project in the area where Traverse County Ditch No. 52 outlets into Lake Traverse, Traverse County, Minnesota, at their regular meeting held in Wheaton, Minnesota.
- 2. The Project is planned to be constructed in phases due to the scale of the Project. Phase No. 1 of the Project includes a new channel design grade, side slopes altered to a more stable 3:1 grade, and rock riffles to provide channel protection, aquatic habitat, and fish passage for the outlet reach of the Traverse County Ditch No. 52 downstream of MN Highway 27. Subsequent phases will focus on stabilizing the channel upstream of Phase No. 1, including the portion of the channel from the West watershed that runs along MN Highway 27 and Traverse County Ditch No. 52 in Sections 23 and 24 of Windsor Township.
- 3. After reviewing the District Engineer's preliminary report and hearing public comment on the Project, the Managers determined that the Project promotes the public interest and welfare and is practicable and in conformity with the District's Watershed Management Plan.
- 4. At the January 17, 2019, meeting, the Managers adopted the Final Resolution Creating Lake Traverse Water Quality Project No. 1, attached as Exhibit A. The Managers also directed the District Engineer to prepare surveys, maps, and an engineering report on the Project pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 103D.711.

- 5. As directed, the District Engineer prepared an engineering report, which is on file in the District's office, describing the feasibility of the Project and estimate of the cost of the Project. The engineering report was subsequently filed with the MN Department of Natural Resources and the MN Board of Water and Soil Resources.
- 6. In order to provide an additional funding source for the Project, the District desires to establish a water management district. The purpose of the Amendment is to allow the District to establish water management districts, the Lake Traverse Water Management District, and water management district charges which will provide additional funding for the Project.
- 7. The District believes that establishment of the Lake Traverse Water Management District and development of water management district charges are appropriate steps to ensure successful establishment and implementation of the Project.
- 8. The District Engineer and District Attorney developed the Amendment to the District's Watershed Management Plan, attached as Exhibit B, to provide for the establishment of water management districts, the Lake Traverse Water Management District, and water management district charges to support the Project.
- On July 18, 2019, the District approved the Amendment and petitions the MN Board of Water and Soil Resources for a watershed management plan amendment as contained herein.

Based on the foregoing Findings, the Board of Managers of the Bois de Sioux Watershed District petitions as follows:

PETITION

- 1. Pursuant to Minn. Stat. §§ 103D.411 and 103D.729, the Managers petition the MN Board of Water and Soil Resources to approve the Amendment to the District's Watershed Management Plan.
- 2. The District authorizes its Administrator to submit this petition and the Amendment to the MN Board of Water and Soil Resources for action pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 103D.411.

After discussion, the Pr foregoing Findings and I	esident called Petition and the	the question. re wereq_ y	The question weas, and n	as on the adoptions:	on of the
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Date: July 30	, 2019	Jan	hie Beyer, Adm	nistrator .	_

Exhibit A

FINAL RESOLUTION CREATING LAKE TRAVERSE WATER QUALITY PROJECT NO. 1

FINAL RESOLUTION CREATING LAKE TRAVERSE WATER QUALITY PROJECT No. 1

WHEREAS, the Bois de Sioux Watershed District (the "District") held a preliminary resolution hearing to consider the status of constructing a water quality enhancement project in the area where Traverse County Ditch No. 52 outlets into Lake Traverse, Traverse County, Minnesota, at their regular meeting held in Wheaton, Minnesota, on January 17, 2019; and

WHEREAS, the Managers of the District directed the District Engineer to prepare a preliminary report advising the Managers whether the proposed project is feasible and estimating the cost of the project; and

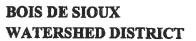
WHEREAS, the District provided notice of the preliminary resolution hearing informing persons interested in the proceedings that they may speak and be heard on the proposed project; and

WHEREAS, after reviewing the Engineer's preliminary report and hearing public comment on the proposed project, the Managers determined that the proposed project promotes the public interest and welfare and is practicable and in conformity with the watershed management plan of the District.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Managers of the Bois de Sioux Watershed District adopt this Final Resolution creating Lake Traverse Water Quality Project No. 1.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the proceedings to establish Lake Traverse Water Quality Project No. 1 will continue as provided under Minnesota Statutes Chapter 103D.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Managers direct the District Engineer to prepare surveys, maps, and a report on the proposed project pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 103D.711. Upon filing of the Engineer's report with the Managers, the District shall send copies of the Engineer's report to the Director of the MN Department of Natural Resources and the Board of Water and Soil Resources for their respective review.



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		Linda Vavra, President	
Attest:			
Date: 14 N. 17	2019	Jamie Beyer, Adminis	strator
The motion for the ad	option of the fo	regoing Resolution was	duly seconded by
Manager DAHLEN.	On roll call	vote the following man	nagers voted aye:
ALL PRESENT	The mo	tion carried unanimously,	and the Resolution
was duly adopted.			
Date Approved: JAN. 17	, 2019		

Ехнівіт В

AMENDMENT TO THE BOIS DE SIOUX WATERSHED MANAGEMENT PLAN

AMENDMENT

TO

BOIS DE SIOUX WATERSHED DISTRICT OVERALL PLAN (May 2003)

PART V. PROJECTS

G. WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

- 1. ESTABLISHMENT OF WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS UNDER MINN. STAT. § 103D.729
 - (a) **Overview**. The Bois de Sioux Watershed District (the "BdSWD") may establish one (1) or more water management districts (WMD) in the territory within the watershed, for the purpose of collecting revenues and paying the costs of projects initiated under Minn. Stats. §§ 103B.231, 103D.601, 103D.605, 103D.611, or 103D.730. The BdSWD may establish WMDs by amending its Overall Plan, dated May 2003. Before the BdSWD may use this funding method, Minn. Stat. § 103D.729 requires that the watershed district describe the area to be included in the WMD, provide the amount to be charged, describe the method(s) used to determine the charges, and specify the length of time the WMD is expected to remain in force.
 - (b) Procedure to Create Water Management Districts. The Board of Water and Soil Resources (BWSR) has provided draft guidance as to the procedure to create a WMD. This process involves eight (8) steps. The first two (2) steps are addressed through the revision of the Watershed Management Plan. The remaining steps must be completed prior to the watershed district collecting funds for the WMD. The following procedure is used to create a WMD:
 - (1) Amend the watershed district plan to create a water management district. The amendment must include the following:
 - Description of the area to be included in the water management district;
 - The amount of funds to be raised by charging the water management district (total amount is necessary if fixed time for the water management district to be effective, otherwise annual maximum amount);
 - The method that will be used to determine the charges; and
 - The length of time the water management district will be in force in perpetuity is acceptable.

- (2) Approval of the plan amendment under Minn. Stat. § 103D.411 or as part of a revised plan under Minn. Stat. § 103D.405. The procedure for the amendment is as follows:
 - Revised plan or petition and amendment is sent to BWSR;
 - BWSR gives legal notice and holds a hearing, if requested;
 - BWSR orders approval or prescribes plan or amendment; and
 - BWSR notifies BdSWD Managers, counties, cities, and SWCDs.
- (3) Watershed district refines methodology for computing charges.
- (4) Watershed district determines and sets charges for all properties within the water management district after identifying the scope of the project and determines method(s) for funding the project.
- (5) Watershed district develops collection method. This collection method may be done by the county, private vendor, or by the watershed district.
- (6) Watershed district holds a hearing, orders the establishment of a project in the water management district, and initiates the charges.
 - Projects implemented must be ordered by the managers;
 - Order for the project must specify funding method(s); and
 - Watershed district must notify counties, cities, and towns within the affected area at least ten (10) days prior to a hearing or decision on projects implemented in accordance with Minn. Stat. § 103D.601.
- (7) Watershed district establishes a separate fund for proceeds collected from the method of charging.
- (8) Any disputes may be resolved by BWSR at the request of local government units pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 103B.101, Subd. 10.

2. APPEAL PROCEDURE FOR WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT CHARGES

- (a) **Purpose**. The purpose of this section is to allow owners of land in a WMD the opportunity to dispute the charges to be collected for their land in the WMD. This section does not apply to the validity of a WMD already established.
- (b) **Petition**. A petition may be made by an owner of land in a WMD appealing the charges being collected for their land in the WMD. A petition must be made in writing delivered to the BdSWD office. The petition must state the

name of the petitioner, address of the petitioner, parcel in question, and the reasons the WMD charges are calculated improperly for their respective parcel(s).

(c) **Petition Review Process**.

- (1) Within ten (10) days of receiving a petition, the BdSWD's staff, including its attorney or engineer, will respond in writing to the petitioner acknowledging receipt of the petition.
- (2) Staff will then complete an assessment of the petitioner's reasons the WMD charges are calculated improperly. Staff may request additional information, request meetings with the petitioner, conduct onsite investigations of the parcel(s) in question, and such other fact finding as staff deems necessary to evaluate and make a determination on the petition.
- (3) Upon completion of the assessment, staff will provide the petitioner the assessment and notification of a meeting with the BdSWD Managers to discuss the assessment and the petition. Notice under this section will be provided in writing at least ten (10) days before the meeting.

(d) **Decision**.

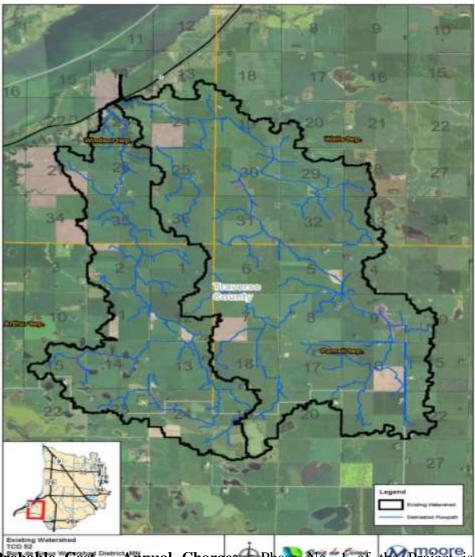
- (1) The BdSWD Managers will meet with the petitioner to discuss the results of staff's assessment and to hear testimony from the petitioner, or petitioner's attorney; the petitioner will be permitted to submit evidence to the BdSWD refuting staff's assessment. The petitioner will not be permitted to call on witnesses and the public will not be permitted to present testimony as this will not be considered a public hearing.
- (2) Upon receipt of any evidence and testimony from the petitioner and staff, the BdSWD Managers will then:
 - i. Advise staff to conduct additional fact finding it considers necessary and report back to the BdSWD Managers;
 - ii. Direct staff to attempt to resolve the matter and advise the BdSWD Managers further; or
 - iii. Issue a decision on the assessment and the petition.

- (3) The BdSWD Managers will make a decision on staff's assessment and the petition based on the evidence and testimony provided at the meeting and staff's findings and recommendation. The BdSWD Managers may approve, conditionally approve, or reject staff's assessment and the petition at the meeting or request additional information from the petitioner.
- (4) Upon making its decision, the BdSWD will provide written notice of its decision to the petitioner, or their attorney, within five (5) days of the decision.
- (e) **Appeal**. If the BdSWD Managers deny the petitioners request to recalculate charges, the petitioner may appeal the decision to BWSR or district court within thirty (30) days of the BdSWD Managers' decision.
- (f) **Limitations**. A petition may not be filed more than once in a five (5) year time period for a specific parcel unless significant land alterations or land use changes have occurred since the charges were calculated or since a previous petition was filed with the BdSWD.
- (g) **Withdrawal of Petition**. If an agreement is reached between the BdSWD and the petitioner, the petitioner may withdraw their petition and the BdSWD may revise the charges if needed.

3. LAKE TRAVERSE WATER MANAGEMENT DISTRICT

- (a) **Purpose**. The purpose of this amendment is to allow the BdSWD to create a WMD to provide an additional funding option for the Lake Traverse Water Quality Improvement Project (the "Project").
- (b) Lake Traverse Water Management District Overview. The BdSWD hereby establishes the Lake Traverse Water Management District (Lake Traverse WMD) to provide an additional funding option for the Project. The Project is planned to be constructed in phases due to the scale of the Project. Phase No. 1 of the Project includes a new channel design grade, side slopes altered to a more stable 3:1 grade, and rock riffles to provide channel protection, aquatic habitat, and fish passage for the outlet reach of the Traverse County Ditch No. 52 downstream of MN Highway 27. Subsequent phases will focus on stabilizing the channel upstream of Phase No. 1, including the portion of the channel from the West watershed that runs along MN Highway 27 and Traverse County Ditch No. 52 in Sections 23 and 24 of Windsor Township.
- (c) **Lake Traverse WMD Area**. The area to be included in the Lake Traverse WMD is any area that lies within the watershed of the Project. The figure below provides an illustration of the watershed area of the Lake

Traverse WMD. In instances where the watershed boundary crosses portions of a parcel, only the area of the parcel that lies within the watershed will be included within the Lake Traverse WMD.



- (d) **Probable Cost Annual Charges**. Phase No. 1 of the Project is estimated to cost seven hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$750,000). The maximum assessment for the Lake Traverse WMD will be capped at seventy five thousand dollars (\$75,000) annually. The Lake Traverse WMD will be the primary funding source for the Project. Additional funding sources have been pursued and will continue to be pursued as the opportunity arises.
- (e) **Method to Determine Charges**. Multiple methods were considered in the process of calculating assessments for the Lake Traverse WMD. The assessment methods are further described as follows:

- (1) Simple Distribution of Cost: the total project cost equally distributed on a per acre basis to all parcels within the Lake Traverse WMD.
- (2) Distribution of Costs Based on Size of Contributing Watershed: the Lake Traverse WMD is separated into two (2) distinct watersheds, the Traverse County Ditch No. 52 watershed and West watershed, which meet together and utilize a common outlet into Lake Traverse. A method was proposed that distributes project cost to each watershed based on percentage of total contributing area. Each parcel in the two (2) watersheds is evenly assessed on a per acre basis.
- (3) Distribution of Costs Based on Sediment Loading: the assessments are based on the amount of sediment a parcel contributes to Lake Traverse.
- (4) Distribution of Costs Based on Runoff Volume: the assessments are based on the volume of runoff on a per acre basis that a parcel contributes to the outlet. The erosion and channel degradation experienced in the watershed has been exacerbated through the addition of man-made channels that allow previously non-contributing areas to discharge into Traverse County Ditch No. 52. This discharge accelerated the rate of erosion of Traverse County Ditch No. 52.
- (5) Lake Traverse WMD Method: a combination of methods 1, 2, and 4 were utilized in calculating assessments for the Lake Traverse WMD. Method 3 was not utilized as the purpose of the Project is to mitigate erosion, not sedimentation. The Lake Traverse WMD is further described as follows:

The distribution of charges is based on estimated runoff volume for the 10-year 24-hour rainfall event using depth from Atlas 14. Runoff is calculated utilizing SSURGO Soils and Land use data from the National Land Cover Database. Land use types are consolidated into four (4) categories including Developed, Cultivated Crops, Natural Areas (excluding wetlands/open water), and Wetlands/Open Water. Each of these land use types are assigned curve numbers based on the hydrologic soil group (A, B, C, D, A/D, B/D, or C/D). The table below shows the selected curve numbers for each combination of land use and hydrologic soil group.

Table 1 Curve Numbers by land use and hydrologic soil group data

	Hydrologic Soil Group						
Land Cover Type	Α	В	С	D	A/D	B/D	C/D
Developed	56	70	80	85	69.5	77.5	82.5
Cultivated crops	64	74	81	85	74.5	79.5	83
Natural Areas (excluding wetlands/open water)	39	61	74	80	59.5	70.5	77
Wetlands/open water	98	98	98	98	98	98	98

The Traverse County Ditch No. 52 watershed and West watershed were analyzed separately for contribution of flow to the shared outlet. When parcels contribute to both the Traverse County Ditch No. 52 watershed and West watershed, the parcel is split accordingly. Non-contributing areas were identified within each watershed for both the 10 and 100-year events. Areas that do not contribute during a 100-year event were removed from the assessment pool, while areas that do not contribute during a 10year event were included at half of the rate of areas that contribute for events smaller than the 10-year event. Based on the selected curve number, an average runoff depth per parcel is calculated. This calculation is used with the parcel area (with noncontributing areas taken into account) to get total runoff generated by each parcel in acre-feet. A reduction factor is applied to account for the estimated cost difference between the Traverse County Ditch No. 52 watershed and West watershed project costs, as well as a reduction based on the portion of the total area of each watershed. Parcel runoff volume with the reduction factors applied is then divided by the total sum of all runoff to get the percentage of the total distributed cost assigned to that parcel. In instances where a parcel contributes to both the Traverse County Ditch No. 52 watershed and West watershed, the cost assigned to the portion contributing to the West watershed is combined with the cost assigned to the portion contributing to the Traverse County Ditch No. 52 watershed.

- (f) **Duration of Lake Traverse Water Management District**. The Lake Traverse WMD will remain in existence in perpetuity. Annual assessment of charges may vary from no charges to the maximum amount of seventy five thousand dollars (\$75,000) per year. The calculation may be adjusted at the discretion of the BdSWD Board of Managers. After these phases are constructed, the funds will be used to maintain the Project.
- (g) **Use of Funds**. The primary use of the funds collected from charges within Lake Traverse WMD will support construction, implementation, operation, and maintenance of the Project.

	Parcel]
PIN	Darcol Area (ac)	S	T	R	Percent Contribution	2 Digits
01-0001000	Parcel Area (ac) 80	1	125	48	0.16492%	2 Digits 16.49
01-0001000	40	1	125		0.18275%	18.27
01-0001002	39.8	1	125		0.03010%	3.01
01-0002000	159.4	1	125		0.09697%	9.7
01-0003000	160	1	125		0.55817%	55.82
01-0004000	160	1	125	48	0.09794%	9.79
01-0005000	159	2	125	48	0.09707%	9.71
01-0006000	158.6	2	125	48	0.08479%	8.48
01-0007000	160	2	125		0.09561%	9.56
01-0008000	160	2	125		0.09250%	9.25
01-0044000	160	11	125	48	0.09653%	9.65
01-0045000	160	11	125	48	0.02893%	2.89
01-0046000	160	11	125	48	0.09631%	9.63
01-0047000	80	11	125	48	0.03362%	3.36
01-0048000	80	11	125	48	0.00176%	0.18
01-0049000	160	12	125	48	1.13375%	113.38
01-0050000	40	12	125	48	0.02390%	2.39
01-0050001	120	12	125	48	0.08078%	8.08
01-0051000	160	12	125	48	0.14403%	14.4
01-0052000	120	12	125	48	0.07108%	7.11
01-0052001	1.8	12	125	48	0.00102%	0.1
01-0052002	38.2	12	125	48	0.02256%	2.26
01-0053000	160	13	125		0.17996%	18
01-0054000	160	13	125	48	0.10037%	10.04
01-0055000	160	13	125	48	0.10015%	10.01
01-0056000	8.62	13	125		0.00506%	0.51
01-0056001	151.38	13	125	48	0.09338%	9.34
01-0057000	160		125		0.10880%	10.88
01-0058000	160	14			0.09691%	9.69
01-0059000	160	14			0.10132%	10.13
01-0060000	160	14			0.09563%	9.56
01-0061000	160	15 15	.		0.08632% 0.01883%	8.63
01-0062000 01-0062001	80 80	15	125 125		0.0017%	1.88 0.02
01-0062001	160	15			0.04547%	4.55
01-0063000	161.73	15	125		0.03470%	3.47
01-0085000	70	22			0.00723%	0.72
01-0083000	170	22	125		0.00082%	0.72
01-0089000	11.63	23	125		0.00672%	0.67
01-0089001	148.37	23	125		0.09594%	9.59
01-0090000	148.9	23			0.04877%	4.88
01-0090001	11.1	23			0.00170%	0.17
01-0091000	160	23	125		0.02788%	2.79
01-0092000	143.16	23	125	48	0.0009%	0.01

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01-0093000	80	24	125	48	0.03919%	3.92
01-0093001	30	24	125		0.00127%	0.13
01-0093002	10	24	125		0.00744%	0.74
01-0094000	40	24	125		0.00284%	0.28
01-0095000	80	24	125	48	0.04052%	4.05
01-0096000	16	24	125	48	0.00244%	0.24
01-0096001	40	24	125	48	0.03895%	3.9
01-0096002	76	24	125	48	0.06821%	6.82
01-0096003	28	24	125	48	0.01942%	1.94
01-0097000	40	24	125	48	0.00542%	0.54
01-0098000	133.04	24	125	48	0.07789%	7.79
01-0098001	68.63	24	125	48	0.06676%	6.68
01-0099000	160	25	125	48	0.00072%	0.07
01-0100000	80	25	125	48	0.00017%	0.02
09-0013000	157.34	4	125	47	0.16036%	16.04
09-0014000	163.13	4	125	47	1.02346%	102.35
09-0016000	80	4	125	47	0.00974%	0.97
09-0017000	160	4	125	47	0.91912%	91.91
09-0018000	13.69	5	125	47	0.09971%	9.97
09-0018001	150.31	5	125	47	1.09134%	109.13
09-0019000	165.95	5	125	47	1.24692%	124.69
09-0020000	160	5	125	47	1.17519%	117.52
09-0021000	160	5	125	47	1.21753%	121.75
09-0022000	165.09	6	125	47	1.25999%	126
09-0023000	175.65	6	125	47	1.36877%	136.88
09-0024000	160	6	125		1.21157%	121.16
09-0025000	174.71	6	125		1.32606%	132.61
09-0026000	160	7	125	47	1.14385%	114.39
09-0027000	175.08	7	125		1.26574%	126.57
09-0028000	155.76	7	125		1.11814%	111.81
09-0028001	4.24	7	125		0.03113%	3.11
09-0029000	7.74	7	125		0.05847%	5.85
09-0029001	2.12	7	125		0.01600%	1.6
09-0029002	70.14	7	125		0.52943%	52.94
09-0030000	92.49	7	125		0.61538%	61.54
09-0030001	2.51	7	125		0.01883%	1.88
09-0031000	10.22	8	125		0.07521%	7.52
09-0031001	149.78	8	125		1.11756%	111.76
09-0032000	6.3	8	125		0.05058%	5.06
09-0032001	87.95	8	125		0.63625%	63.62
09-0032002	65.75	8	125		0.52126%	52.13
09-0033000	155.74	8	125		1.18027%	118.03
09-0033001	4.26	8	125		0.03217%	3.22
09-0034000	155.74	8	125	47	1.12283%	112.28

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09-0034001	4.26	8	125	47	0.02982%	2.98
09-0035000	155.74	9	125	47	1.12250%	112.25
09-0035001	4.26	9	125	47	0.02984%	2.98
09-0036000	160	9	125	47	1.17377%	117.38
09-0037000	77.88	9	125	47	0.57429%	57.43
09-0037001	2.12	9	125	47	0.01565%	1.56
09-0038000	35.74	9	125	47	0.27507%	27.51
09-0038001	6.4	9	125	47	0.04758%	4.76
09-0039000	37.86	9	125	47	0.28251%	28.25
09-0040000	155.74	9	125		1.19071%	119.07
09-0040001	4.26	9	125		0.03301%	3.3
09-0042000	155.74	10	125	47	0.47031%	47.03
09-0042001	4.26	10	125		0.02241%	2.24
09-0045000	73.66	10	125		0.45416%	45.42
09-0045001	2.5	10	125		0.00878%	0.88
09-0045002	7.54	10	125		0.05377%	5.38
09-0045003	73.8	10	125		0.55121%	55.12
09-0064000	74	15	125		0.45228%	45.23
09-0064002	7.73	15	125		0.05758%	5.76
09-0064003	78.02	15	125		0.42186%	42.19
09-0067000	8.1	15	125	47	0.06129%	6.13
09-0067001	4.26	15	125		0.03231%	3.23
09-0067002	147.64	15	125		0.87559%	87.56
09-0068000	151.48	16	125	47	1.14681%	114.68
09-0068001	8.52	16	125	47	0.06230%	6.23
09-0069000	77.86	16	125		0.58314%	58.31
09-0070000	77.86	16	125	47	0.59106%	59.11
09-0070001	4.28	1	125		0.03211%	3.21
09-0071000	155.74	4	125		1.19276%	119.28
09-0071001	4.26	-	125		0.03228%	3.23
09-0072000	80	16	125		0.60412%	60.41
09-0073000	80	16			0.60893%	60.89
09-0074000	155.74	17	125		1.20923%	120.92
09-0074001	4.26	17	125		0.03201%	3.2
09-0075000	155.74	17	125		1.18061%	118.06
09-0075001	4.26	17	125		0.03144%	3.14
09-0076000	160	17	125		1.22223%	122.22
09-0077000	160	17	125		1.19799%	119.8
09-0078000	77.88	18	125		0.55957%	55.96
09-0079000	77.88	18	125		0.57616%	57.62
09-0079001	4.24	18			0.03131%	3.13
09-0080000	170.42	18			1.29211%	129.21
09-0080001	4.63	18	125		0.03504%	3.5
09-0081000	40	18	125	47	0.27662%	27.66

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09-0082000	40	18	125	47	0.28859%	28.86
09-0083000	120	18	125		0.65458%	65.46
09-0084000	135.25	18	125	47	0.69983%	69.98
09-0085000	160	19	125		0.69502%	69.5
09-0086000	80	19	125		0.01792%	1.79
09-0087000	47.61	19	125	47	0.02496%	2.5
09-0088000	47.48	19	125	47	0.02807%	2.81
09-0088001	45.65	19	125	47	0.01649%	1.65
09-0089000	125.35	19	125	47	0.00385%	0.38
09-0089003	41.27	19	125	47	0.00499%	0.5
09-0089004	9.25	19	125	47	0.00500%	0.5
09-0090000	80	20	125	47	0.42816%	42.82
09-0090001	80	20	125	47	0.29660%	29.66
09-0091000	80	20	125	47	0.58087%	58.09
09-0091001	80	20	125	47	0.34260%	34.26
09-0093000	160	20	125	47	0.03532%	3.53
09-0094000	7.74	21	125		0.06433%	6.43
09-0094001	4.23	21	125	47	0.03306%	3.31
09-0095000	148.03	21	125		1.14219%	114.22
09-0096000	80	21	125		0.60613%	60.61
09-0096001	80	21	125	47	0.61120%	61.12
09-0097000	155.76	21	125		0.84648%	84.65
09-0097001	4.24	21	125		0.02776%	2.78
09-0098000	160	21	125		1.03863%	103.86
09-0100000	155.77	22	125		0.83203%	83.2
09-0100001	4.23	22	125		0.03213%	3.21
09-0102000	10.82	22	125		0.05119%	5.12
09-0102001	4.24		125		0.02833%	2.83
09-0102002	144.94	22	125		0.72931%	72.93
14-0088000 14-0089000	194.75	18 19			0.16310% 0.12886%	16.31
14-0089000	160 173.45	19			1.03419%	12.89 103.42
14-0090000	160	19			1.08734%	103.42
14-0091000	172.53	19	126		1.26129%	126.13
14-0092000	80	20			0.03204%	3.2
14-0094001	160	20	126		0.69821%	69.82
14-0128000	160	-	126		0.31939%	31.94
14-0129000	116.81	28			0.00513%	0.51
14-0131000	80	28			0.56364%	56.36
14-0131001	80	28			0.52827%	52.83
14-0132000	160	29	126		0.60162%	60.16
14-0133000	15	29	126		0.02540%	2.54
14-0134000	145	29	126		0.84289%	84.29
14-0135000	80	29	126	47	0.59441%	59.44

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14-0136000	80	29	126		0.65939%	65.94
14-0137000	160	29	126		1.16314%	116.31
14-0138000	160	30	126		1.15078%	115.08
14-0139000	86.14	30	126		0.63843%	63.84
14-0139001	86.35	30	126	47	0.65207%	65.21
14-0140000	15	30	126	47	0.11531%	11.53
14-0141000	125	30	126	47	0.92109%	92.11
14-0142000	20	30	126	47	0.14880%	14.88
14-0144000	173.33	30	126	47	1.30534%	130.53
14-0145000	160	31	126	47	1.21328%	121.33
14-0146000	173.63	31	126	47	1.30896%	130.9
14-0147000	160	31	126	47	1.22711%	122.71
14-0148000	126.76	31	126	47	0.59183%	59.18
14-0148001	46.8	31	126	47	0.35144%	35.14
14-0149000	160	32	126	47	1.15248%	115.25
14-0150000	80	32	126	47	0.59926%	59.93
14-0150001	80	32	126	47	0.59902%	59.9
14-0151000	160	32	126	47	1.13906%	113.91
14-0152000	160	32	126	47	1.22651%	122.65
14-0154000	160	33	126	47	0.94536%	94.54
14-0155000	99.25	33	126	47	0.21171%	21.17
14-0156000	160	33	126	47	1.13617%	113.62
15-0013000	151.42	13	126	48	0.25499%	25.5
15-0013001	27.18	13	126	48	0.02574%	2.57
15-0015000	160	13	126	48	0.46983%	46.98
15-0017000	127.8	14	126	48	0.01866%	1.87
15-0018000	9.42	14	126		0.01800%	1.8
15-0018002	8.68	14	126	48	0.00828%	0.83
15-0019000	160	14	126		0.01896%	1.9
15-0090000	18.92	23	126		0.12256%	12.26
15-0091000	21.08	23	126		0.11485%	11.48
15-0092000	149.32	23			0.04771%	4.77
15-0092001	10.68	23			0.01275%	1.28
15-0092002	40	23	126		0.17175%	17.17
15-0093000	160	23	126		0.67451%	67.45
15-0094000	80.64	23	126		0.26913%	26.91
15-0095000	160	23			0.07785%	7.78
15-0096000	160	24			1.08458%	108.46
15-0096001	160	24	126		1.17084%	117.08
15-0097000	120	24			0.90927%	90.93
15-0098000	40	24	126		0.30348%	30.35
15-0099000	160	24			1.17673%	117.67
15-0100000	160	25	126		1.20194%	120.19
15-0101000	160	25	126	48	1.09285%	109.29

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15-0102000	160	25	126	48	1.20206%	120.21
15-0104000	160	25	126	48	1.00417%	100.42
15-0105000	113.37	26	126	48	0.07064%	7.06
15-0105001	46.63	26	126	48	0.02915%	2.92
15-0106000	80	26	126	48	0.03757%	3.76
15-0107000	80	26	126	48	0.04521%	4.52
15-0108000	29.71	26	126	48	0.02021%	2.02
15-0108001	130.29	26	126	48	0.07924%	7.92
15-0109000	160	26	126	48	0.09095%	9.1
15-0110000	161	27	126	48	0.06696%	6.7
15-0111000	160	27	126	48	0.00049%	0.05
15-0112000	160	27	126	48	0.04759%	4.76
15-0178000	160	34	126	48	0.00675%	0.67
15-0181000	60	34	126	48	0.00412%	0.41
15-0181002	20	34	126	48	0.00716%	0.72
15-0183000	160	35	126	48	0.09720%	9.72
15-0184000	160	35	126	48	0.09666%	9.67
15-0185001	160	35	126	48	0.09881%	9.88
15-0186000	160	35	126	48	0.09594%	9.59
15-0187000	160	36	126	48	1.21330%	121.33
15-0188000	160	36	126	48	1.06218%	106.22
15-0189000	80	36	126	48	0.59807%	59.81
15-0190000	80	36	126	48	0.53948%	53.95
15-0191000	80	36	126	48	0.36262%	36.26
15-0191001	80	36	126	48	0.13064%	13.06
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