

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

RAMSEY-WASHINGTON METRO WATERSHED DISTRICT  
RAMSEY AND WASHINGTON COUNTIES, MINNESOTA

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, that the Board of Managers of the Ramsey-Washington Metro Watershed District will hold a public hearing at 6:30 o'clock p.m., **Wednesday, September 4, 2024**, at the Ramsey-Washington Metro Watershed District Office, 2665 Noel Drive, Little Canada, MN 55117, and online pursuant to Minn. Stat. §13D.02, to consider the proposed 2025 Fiscal Year General Fund Budget for the District. Access information can be found on the District's website. A summary of the proposed general fund budget includes the following expenditures:

Administrative Expenses	568,000
Salaries/benefits	2,100,000
Manager Per Diems & Expenses	10,000
Engineering	607,000
Attorney	45,000
Auditor/Accounting	80,000
Permit Process	80,000
Water Quality Monitoring	463,000
Other Programs and Studies	941,000
Miscellaneous	99,000
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$4,993,000</b>

Projected carry-over funds from 2024 and other income will reduce the total proposed levy to \$3,943,000.

All interested persons will have an opportunity to be heard at said time and place.

Dated: August 8, 2024.

/S/ VAL EISELE

Val Eisele, President

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**  
**REGARDING THE RAMSEY-WASHINGTON METRO WATERSHED DISTRICT**  
**CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PROGRAM**

Notice is hereby given that the Managers of Ramsey-Washington Metro Watershed District (“District”) are proceeding with its Capital Improvements Program (“CIP”) as provided by Minn. Stat. §103B.251.

**NATURE OF IMPROVEMENT:** The 2025 capital improvements are as follows:

Maplewood Mall SRF Loan Debt Service	92,543
Beltline and Battle Creek Tunnel Repair Debt Service	302,863
Targeted Retrofit Projects	1,170,000
Stewardship Grant Fund	1,250,000
Fish Creek Tributary Improvements	1,305,000
Project Repair and Maintenance	2,720,000
Wetland Restoration Projects	350,000
Flood Risk Reduction Fund	5,585,000

**AD VALOREM TAXES:** The costs of these improvements will be paid by ad valorem taxes on all property in the District, as provided by Minn. Stat. §103B.251. The proposed budget will be \$12,775,406. Projected interest funds, grants and carry over funds will reduce the total proposed levy to \$4,115,406.

**TIME AND PLACE OF HEARING:** The District will hold a public hearing on **Wednesday, September 4, 2024** at 6:30 p.m. at the Ramsey-Washington Metro Watershed District Office, 2665 Noel Drive, Little Canada, MN 5517, and online pursuant to Minn. Stat. §103B.251 and §13D.02. Access information can be found on the District’s website. Comments may be submitted in writing prior to said hearing or during said hearing.

**ALL INTERESTED PARTIES MAY APPEAR BEFORE THE MANAGERS AT SAID TIME AND PLACE AND PRESENT THEIR COMMENTS, CONCERNS, AGREEMENTS OR OBJECTIONS, IF ANY.**

Written comments mailed to the District Office and received prior to the hearing will be reviewed at the meeting.

**AUTHORITY:** The District is acting pursuant to Minn. Stat. §103B.251 and §13D.02.

**BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF MANAGERS OF THE RAMSEY-WASHINGTON METRO WATERSHED DISTRICT.**

By           /S/ VAL EISELE            
Val Eisele, President