



## Subcommittee on Minnesota Water Policy

Monday, July 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024

12:00 PM

Remote via Zoom

### Meeting Minutes

#### **Members Present:**

Sen. Weber, Co-Chair  
Rep. Hemmingsen-Jaeger, Co-Chair  
Sen. Hoffman  
Sen. Jacob  
Rep. Rehm  
Sen. Schultz  
Rep. Skraba  
Rep. Fischer  
Sen. Kupec  
Sen. Lang

#### **Members Excused:**

Sen. Putnam  
Sen. Wesenberg

#### **Call to Order**

Representative Hemmingsen-Jaeger called the meeting of the Subcommittee on Minnesota Water Policy to order at 12:00PM. A quorum was present.

#### **Approval of Minutes**

Rep. Fischer moved the approval of the June 10, 2024, meeting minutes. Representative Hemmingsen-Jaeger provided the second. The motion prevailed.

#### **Presentations**

Jim Stark, Director, provided an update on the Rapidan Dam failure.

Rob Sip, Executive Director of the Red River Watershed Management Board, provided a presentation on the Funding Water Storage in the Red River Basin of Minnesota.

Jason Moeckel with the Minnesota DNR, Ecological and Water Resources, gave an overview and update of the widespread flooding update across Minnesota.

Scott Sparlin, Executive Director of the Coalition for a Clean Minnesota River and Coordinator/Facilitator for the Minnesota River Congress gave an update on the Minnesota River Congress.

Dan Larson, Clarence Johnson, and Craig Wilson, with WaterQuality3D, provided a presentation on the Water Quality Treatment Innovation.

**Discussion**

Jim Stark, Director, and Crystal Mathisrud, Hubbard County SWCD District Manager, discussed the details and agenda of the field trip scheduled on August 19-20<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

Jim Stark displayed a video of the Straight River Project.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 1:37PM.