



COON CREEK
WATERSHED DISTRICT

WBIF Recap & FY27 Kickoff

8/13/26 TAC Meeting



Watershed Based Implementation Funding (WBIF) Overview

Purpose: non-competitive grant funding to accelerate clean water activities towards achieving Minnesota's water resources goals through prioritized and targeted cost-effective actions with measurable water quality results

Eligible activities:

Prioritized, Targeted, & Measurable projects, practices, & programs with primary purpose of water quality improvement referenced in implementation section of eligible plan (i.e., CCWD Comp Plan)

- Each grant agreement >\$30,000
- 10% required match

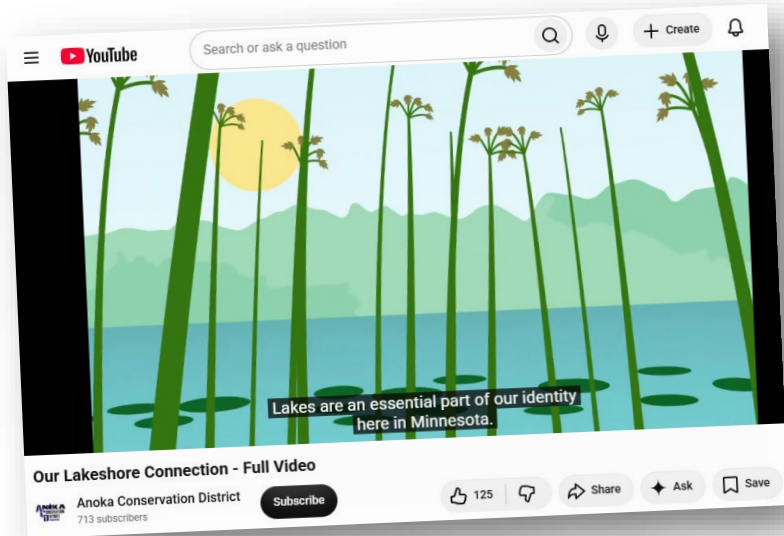


WBIF Recap

FYs	Allocation Area	Funding within CCWD
2018-19	Anoka County	\$191,973
2020-21	Mississippi East	\$93,042
2022-23	Coon Creek Watershed	\$216,377
2024-25	Coon Creek Watershed	\$294,100
2026-27	Coon Creek Watershed	\$294,099



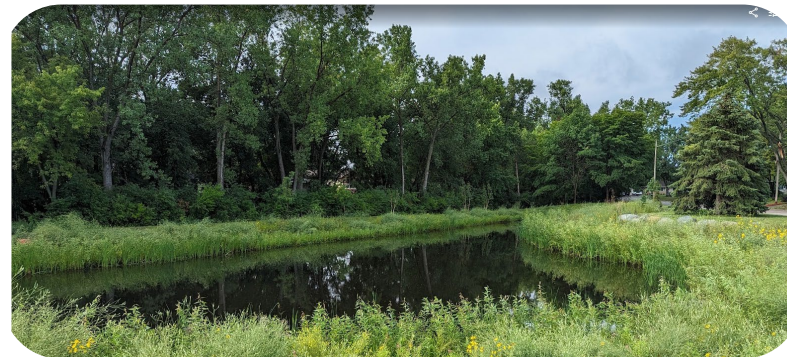
Past Funded Activities



Countywide Outreach & Educational Videos (ACD)



Pleasure Cr N Filter
(CCWD/Blaine)



Aurelia Park Pond (CCWD/Blaine)



D39, D60, D37
Subwatershed Plan
Development (CCWD)



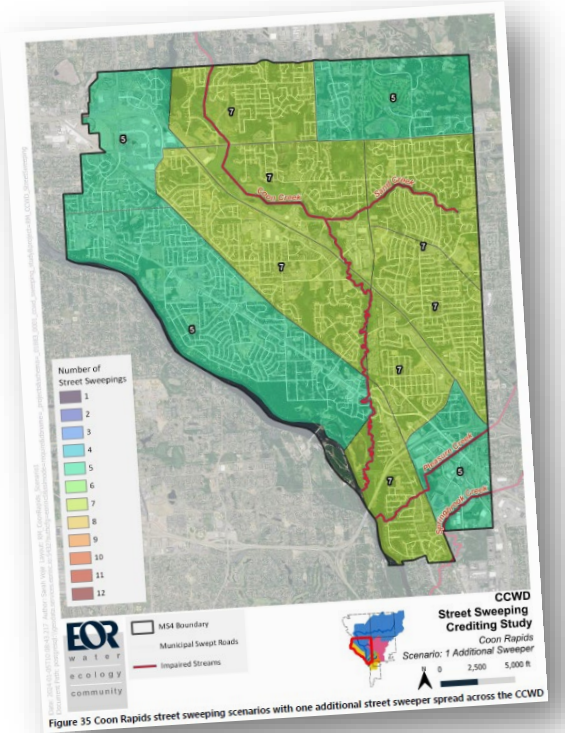
Past Funded Activities

Table 28 Modeled TP Reductions (lbs) for each Sweeping Scenario summarized by MS4 and Receiving Water.

Stream	MS4	TP Credits (lbs)				
		TMDL Baseline ¹	2022 Base	Optimized Existing Effort	Enhanced Baseline	1 Additional Sweeper
Coon Creek	Andover	144	181	184	235	253
	Anoka County	60	60	78	97	108
	Blaine	69	69	68	66	68
	Coon Rapids	571	571	621	571	648
	Ham Lake	81	194	234	317	347
	Total	925	1075	1185	1286	1424
Pleasure Creek	Anoka County	5	5	7	8	9
	Blaine	52	52	57	52	54
	Coon Rapids	29	29	28	29	30
	Total	86	86	92	89	93



Xeon Blvd Crossing Enhancement
(CCWD/ Coon Rapids)



Enhanced Sweeping Pilot
(Coon Rapids)

Rain Garden
Revitalization
(ACD)



WBIF FY27 Process

1. The Coon Creek Watershed Planning Area Partnership establishes:
 - a facilitator
 - voting representatives
 - decision-making criteria
2. Partnership hosts a “Convene Meeting” to vote on project(s): **Winter TAC Meeting?**
3. Budget Request is submitted to BWSR by **April 30, 2027**
4. Grant agreement is Executed between BWSR and eligible entity by **June 1, 2027**
5. Grant expiration deadline: **December 31, 2029**



WBIF Kick-off Meeting Objectives

1. Choose a facilitator

2. Choose representatives for decision-making panel

3. Choose decision-making process



WBIF Kick-off Meeting Objectives

1. Choose a facilitator

- Justine Dauphinais, CCWD
- Other volunteers?

2. Choose representatives for decision-making panel

3. Choose decision-making process



WBIF Kick-off Meeting Objectives

1. Choose a facilitator

2. Choose representatives for decision-making panel

CCWD: Jon Janke or designee

ACD: Chris Lord or designee

Two City Representatives

3. Choose decision-making process



WBIF Kick-off Meeting Objectives

1. Choose a facilitator

2. Choose representatives for decision-making panel

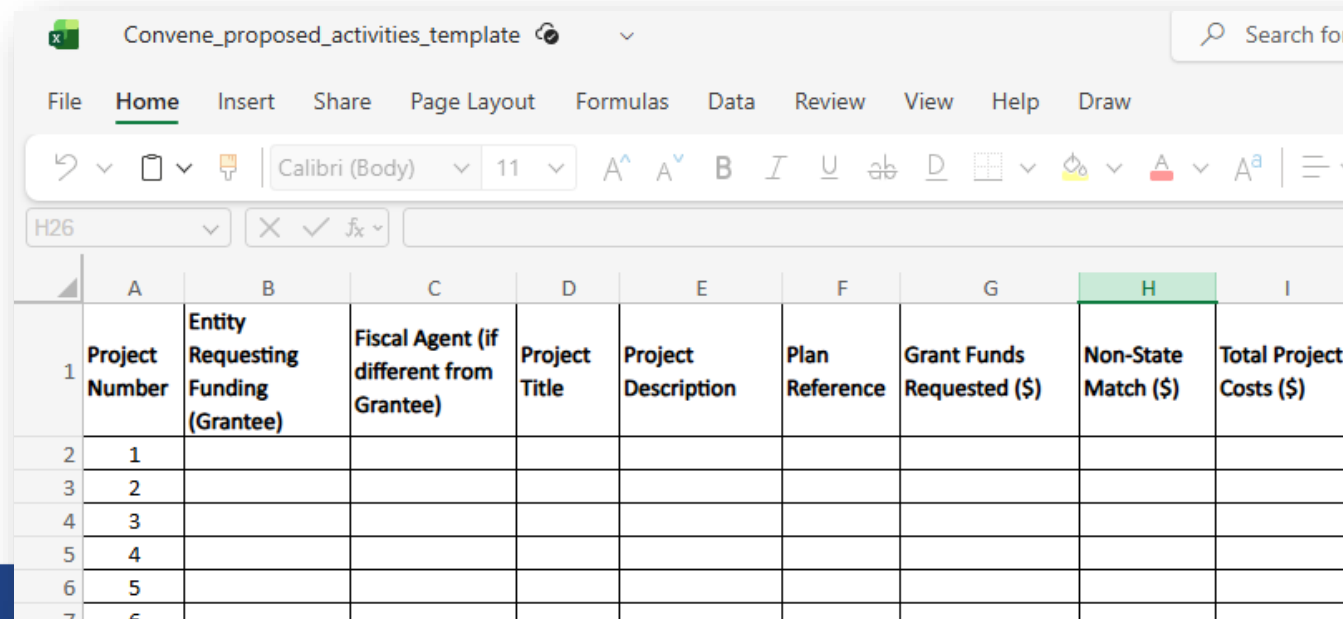
3. Choose decision-making process

1. Committee Consensus (n=4). Re-vote if split.
2. Majority vote of committee (≥ 3). Re-vote if split.
3. Tiered majority vote
 - Informal Majority Vote by all attendees
 - Formal Confirmation Vote by Committee (≥ 3)
 - If tie, Discuss and vote again
4. Other?



Next Steps

1. Submit proposals to facilitator for consideration (CCWD will send out [BWSR Activity Form](#))
2. Schedule & host Convene Meeting to:
 - Determine method for selecting activities for funding
 - Vote on selected activities
 - Confirm fiscal agent(s) & source of match



The screenshot shows a Microsoft Excel spreadsheet titled "Convene_proposed_activities_template". The ribbon includes tabs for File, Home, Insert, Share, Page Layout, Formulas, Data, Review, View, Help, and Draw. The Home tab is active, showing font settings (Calibri, size 11) and various formatting options. The spreadsheet has columns labeled A through I and rows numbered 1 through 7. The header row (row 1) contains the following labels: Project Number, Entity Requesting Funding (Grantee), Fiscal Agent (if different from Grantee), Project Title, Project Description, Plan Reference, Grant Funds Requested (\$), Non-State Match (\$), and Total Project Costs (\$). The data rows (rows 2-7) are currently empty.

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
1	Project Number	Entity Requesting Funding (Grantee)	Fiscal Agent (if different from Grantee)	Project Title	Project Description	Plan Reference	Grant Funds Requested (\$)	Non-State Match (\$)	Total Project Costs (\$)
2	1								
3	2								
4	3								
5	4								
6	5								
7	6								



Eligibility Criteria

Structural and non-structural activities with primary benefit of WQ

- 10-yr life expectancy of BMPs and 25-yr life expectancy for capital improvements
- Non-structural practices must exceed minimum regs and current operations
- Analyses intended to identify and accelerate WQ project implementation

Program and project support including staffing, grant management, public engagement

Easement acquisition with prior BWSR approval

Technical and engineering assistance necessary to implement activity

Ineligible: monitoring, general education/outreach, household water conservation, wastewater and drinking water systems, maintenance, drainage/conveyance, land acquisition, required activities



Questions?
Comments?

Thank you!

