

# **BROWN'S CREEK WATERSHED DISTRICT**

## **NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on Wednesday, September 14, 2016, at 6:30 p.m., the Brown's Creek Watershed District Board of Managers will hold a public hearing to receive comments on the District's proposed 2017 Budget and Levy. The District's proposed total budget for 2017 is \$1,510,350, a proposed 3% increase from 2016, including grants, fees and levy funding sources. The proposed tax levy is \$155,600 for the General Fund and \$825,400 for the Management Plan Project Fund for a total proposed levy of \$981,000, a proposed 7% increase from 2016. The public hearing will be held at the Family Means, 1875 Northwestern Ave S, Stillwater, MN.

Gerald Johnson, Secretary, Browns Creek Watershed District  
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BCWD has identified the McKusick Road retrofit opportunity in Stillwater to reduce sediment loading to Brown's Creek in Stillwater. By working with the Washington County to retrofit McKusick Road during a 2017 road improvement project, BCWD will install seven catch basin retrofits with separation devices and three underground water quality tanks to trap 1.5 tons of sediment and floatables from the roadway. Brown's Creek Watershed District and Washington County will work together. This project is proposed to begin in 2017. The estimated total cost for the project is \$385,000. The project will be

funded through a county-wide ad valorem levy as authorized by Minnesota Statutes chapter 103B in the amount of \$91,750, Washington County Public Works in the amount of \$20,000, and state Clean Water Land and Legacy grant funds in the amount of \$274,250.

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