

Legal Notice
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
ELM CREEK WATERSHED MANAGEMENT COMMISSION

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that the Elm Creek Watershed Management Commission will meet at Maple Grove City Hall, 12800 Arbor Lakes Parkway, Maple Grove, MN, on Wednesday, September 14, 2016 at approximately 11:30 a.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard, for a public hearing on the following improvement:

PROJECT: 2016-01 Fox Creek Streambank Stabilization Phase 2

Location: 1300 LF of Fox Creek from Red Fox Road to Industrial Blvd., Rogers, MN.

Description: Correct stream bank erosion along multiple segments of Fox Creek

Cost: Estimated project cost is \$321,250, with \$240,938 borne by city in which project is located. The Elm Creek Commission proposes to fund a matching \$80,312 by certifying this cost to Hennepin County for collection with the county ad valorem tax levy.

PROJECT: 2016-02 Mississippi River Shoreline Repair and Stabilization

Location: River shoreline between Mississippi Point Park and Steamboat Landing, Champlin, MN.

Description: Repair and stabilize river banks damaged by flood waters, armoring 1600 LF of shoreline with rip rap

Cost: Estimated project cost is \$300,000, with \$225,000 borne by city in which project is located. The Elm Creek Commission proposes to fund a matching \$75,000 by certifying this cost to Hennepin County for collection with the county ad valorem tax levy.

PROJECT: 2016-03 Elm Creek Dam at the Mill Pond

Location: Elm Creek Dam and Bridge, Champlin, MN.

Description: Construction of new dam, spillway and flood reduction culvert.

Cost: Estimated project cost is \$7,001,220, with \$6,813,720 borne by FEMA, MN Dept. of Public Safety, MN Recover Funds, Hennepin County, and city in which project is located. The Elm Creek Commission proposes to fund a matching \$187,500 by certifying this cost to Hennepin County for collection with the county ad valorem tax levy.

PROJECT: 2016-04 Rush Creek Main Stem Restoration

Location: On the border of Maple Grove and Dayton, west of Fernbrook Lane and north of Territorial Road, Maple Grove, MN.

Description: Stabilization of erosional sites in a 2900 LF portion of the creek

Cost: Estimated project cost is \$300,000, with \$225,000 borne by city in which project is located. The Elm Creek Commission proposes to fund a matching \$75,000 by certifying this cost to Hennepin County for collection with the county ad valorem tax levy.

PROJECT: 2016-05 Fish Lake Alum Treatment Phase 1

Location: Fish Lake, Maple Grove.

Description: Conduct whole lake alum treatment based on 2013 U of WI-Stout study

Cost: Estimated project cost is \$300,000, with \$225,000 borne by city in which project is located. The Elm Creek Commission proposes to fund a matching \$75,000 by certifying this cost to Hennepin County for collection with the county ad valorem tax levy.

The Commission proposes to proceed under the authority granted by MN Statutes, Sec. 103B.251 to certify its share of the project cost to Hennepin County for payment by a tax levy on all taxable property located within the Elm Creek watershed. The watershed includes portions of the cities of Champlin, Corcoran, Dayton, Maple Grove, Medina, Plymouth, and Rogers. Maps of the watershed are available at the respective city halls or at www.elmcreekwatershed.org.

Persons who desire to be heard with reference to the proposed improvement will be heard at this meeting. Written comments may be submitted to Doug Baines, c/o JASS, 3235 Fernbrook Lane, Plymouth, MN 55447, or emailed to judie@jass.biz. Auxiliary aids for persons with handicaps are available upon request at least 7 days in advance. Please contact Judie Anderson at 763-553-1144 to make arrangements.

/s/ Doug Baines, Chair

By order of the Elm Creek Watershed Management Commission

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