

MIDDLE-SNAKE-TAMARAC RIVERS WATERSHED DISTRICT

Portions of Marshall, Kittson, Polk, Pennington and Roseau Counties

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Judicial Ditch #19 Project Work Team Meeting June 27, 2018 10:00 a.m. Strandquist Community Center

The meeting was held to update the status of Review Point No. 2 and Review Point No. 3 which have been submitted to the NRCS for approval. Alternative Development, Review Point No. 4, was focused on to discuss conceptual sensitivity, TSAC 11 and the PWT path forward.

Meeting attendees:

Tony Nordby, HEI
Joel Praska, MSTRWD
Ken Borowicz, Marshall County Commissioner
Bill Peterson, MSTRWD
Chuck Edgar, Lincoln Twp
Lon Aune, MCHD
Gary Kiesow, Marshall County Commissioner
David Bakke, MSTRWD
Craig Jarnot, ACOE
Ben Kleinwachter, Landowner
Matt Fischer, BWSR
Ruth Anne Franke, MN DNR
Kevin Roppe, East Park Twp
Alex Roppe, East Park Twp
Craig Mowry, USFWS

MSTRWD Administrator, Joel Praska, called the meeting to order. The Project Work Team dispensed with the reading of the November 14, 2017 minutes. Motion by Ken Borowicz, seconded by Gary Kiesow to approve the November 14, 2017 minutes. Motion unanimously carried.

Tony Nordby of Houston Engineering updated the PWT on the status of the Purpose and Need, Review Point No. 2 that was submitted last November to the NRCS. Craig Jarnot of ACOE informed the group that NRCS approval should come within the next week.

Review Point No. 3 which focuses on Affected Environment has been submitted for approval by the NRCS last April. Tony went over the various uses of lands within the 104 square mile drainage area of JD #19. Displays of 4, 25 and 100 year synthetic rain events where modeled showing pooling and overflow along with inundation duration.

Then he went into the 4 ideas for relief. Get more from Tony.
The meeting adjourned at approximately 11:30 a.m. with the next JD-19 RCPP Project Team Meeting to be scheduled at a later date.
Kyle Schlomann Acting Secretary