

Board of County Commissioners Agenda Request



Requested Meeting Date: June 13, 2023

Title of Item: Public Hearing for Northeast Minnesota Regional Waste Plan **Direction Requested Action Requested:** REGULAR AGENDA Approve/Deny Motion Discussion Item CONSENT AGENDA Hold Public Hearing* Adopt Resolution (attach draft) INFORMATION ONLY *provide copy of hearing notice that was published **Department:** Submitted by: **Environmental Services** Andrew Carlstrom **Estimated Time Needed:** Presenter (Name and Title): 10 Minutes Andrew Carlstrom, Environmental Services Director Summary of Issue: In accordance with Minnesota Statute Chapter 115A, the northeast Minnesota counties of Aitkin, Carlton, Cook, Itasca, Koochiching, Lake, and St. Louis (Counties) and the Western Lake Superior Sanitary District (WLSSD) collaborated to develop the Northeast Minnesota Regional Solid Waste Plan (Regional Plan). Please see attached memorandum, draft resolution, and proposed NE Minnesota Solid Waste Management Plan. Alternatives, Options, Effects on Others/Comments: N/A Recommended Action/Motion: Conduct Public Hearing on the Northeast Minnesota Regional Solid Waste Management Plan **Financial Impact:** No Yes Is there a cost associated with this request? What is the total cost, with tax and shipping? \$ 3,989.40 (reduced from original amount \$9,239.40) No Please Explain: Is this budgeted? Yes The Regional Plan received \$105,000.00 from a MPCA grant in 2021. The balance of the cost for the plan was shared among the seven NE counties. Aitkin County has paid \$1994.70 of the now reduced amount of \$3,989.40, which is due upon completion of the plan.



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AITKIN COUNTY PUBLIC NOTICE

Per MN Statutes 394.26, the Altkin County Board will be holding a public hearing on June 13, 2023 at 1:30PM in the Altkin County Board Room at the Government Center, regarding the adoption of the Northeast Minnesota Regional Solid Waste Plan.

The NE Minnesota Regional Solid Waste Plan is in accordance with Minnesota Statute Chapter 115 A and is a collaboration of the sev-en NE Minnesota countles, which has been developed over the past 24-month period. It is currently in its final review by the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency.

Proposed documents are available for public view in their entirety on the Aitkin County website at www.co.aitkin.mn.us. Questions should be addressed to:

Andrew Caristrom, Environmental Services Director at 218-927-7342

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	County	Orig	ginal Amount	Project Share	R	educed Amount	f*	×	
	Carlton	\$	20,326.68	11%	\$	8,776.68		-	
	Lake	\$	5,543.64	3%	\$	2,393.64			
	Cook	\$	3,695.76	2%	\$	1,595.76			
	Itasca	\$	25,870.32	14%	\$	11,170.32			
	St. Louis	\$	35,109.72	19%	\$	15,159.72			
	Aitkin	\$	9,239.40	5%	\$	3,989.40			
	Koochiching	\$	7,391.52	4%	\$	3,191.52			
	WLSSD	\$	77,610.96	42%	\$	33,510.96			
	Original Total	\$	184,788.00	100%	\$	79,788.00			
	Grant Amount	\$	105,000.00						
	Reduced Total	\$	79,788.00						

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