
Fillmore Soil & Water Conservation District

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DISTRICT SPECIAL BOARD MEETING

Thursday, June 11th 2026

10:00AM

Conservation Building

912 Houston Street NW

Preston, MN 55965

Microsoft Teams meeting

Join:

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Meeting ID: 231 785 056 388 209

Passcode: yN2fj6NZ

Members Present: Eunice Biel, Kathy Tesmer

Members Virtual: Tim Gossman, Travis Willfor, Jason Wetzel

Others present: Riley Buley, Theresa Baker

Jason Wetzel Called the Meeting to order at 10:02 am

Agenda

- I. Approval of Agenda: Tesmer motioned to approve agenda seconded by Biel. Affirmative: Gossman, Willford, Wetzel, Tesmer, Biel. Opposed none motion carried.**
- II. Reports**
 - 1. Administration Report:**
 - i. EPA Farmer 2 Farm Grant Submission: Buley informed the Board of his proposal to move forward with submission of this grant through BWSR alongside with Mower SWCD and discussed proposed budget as well.**
 - ii. Discuss Brightsdale Dam Project: Buley met with DNR and Local outfitters in Lanesboro yesterday to discuss the Brightsdale Dam project and indicated DNR was looking into a few options presented by the local outfitters. More discussion to follow.**

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III. New Business

1. Approve Hiring of Molly Koleczek as Soil Health Specialist I at Grade 5 Step 2. **Buley went through the scoring sheet during interview. Gossman motioned to approve Hiring Molly K seconded by Tesmer. Affirmative: Wetzel, Willford, Biel, Gossman Tesmer opposed none motion carried.**

IV. Adjournment: **Tesmer motioned to adjourn seconded by Willford meeting adjourned at 10:26 am**

Upcoming Events and Meetings

Juneteenth Holiday	June 19, 2026
Father's Day	June 21, 2026
Independence Day 250 years	July 4 th , 2026
Regular Board Meeting	July 16 th 2026
Fillmore County Fair	July 20-26, 2026
RR1W1P Planning Meeting	July 27 th 2026
Forestry Field Day (Steve & Diane Snyder's) 5:00 pm	July 29 th , 2026
Grazing School held at Grover Farm 8:00-3:00	July 30 th 2026

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