



The Heart of the MCES Vision & Mission

Environment Committee



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Vision statement



Clean water for future generations

Metropolitan Council's Environmental Services division is building a future where people, communities, ecosystems, and economies in our region are healthy and thriving. Public health is protected, people have safe drinking water and waterbodies to enjoy, healthy ecosystems support native fish and wildlife, and economic growth is supported.

Mission statement



Long-range
planning



Environmental
protection



Transportation
services

Met Council: Making a strong system possible through planning, coordination, and operations

We partner, plan, and provide services to protect our region's water.

- **Partner:** Convene, engage, collaborate, and build solutions with our customers, stakeholders, and partners
- **Plan:** Assess conditions and identify long-term approaches and infrastructure investments
- **Provide:** Deliver critical services, tools, and resources

Participants: Cross functional group

40 people from all parts of the organization

Ricky Arora - Utility Management Systems (UMS): Performance Excellence and Analytics	Alan Forrest - WW P&CD	Ben Lee - Maintenance & Security	Sara Smith - Operations Support Services (OSS)
Anna Bessel - Wastewater Planning & Capital Project Delivery (WW P&CD)	Mark Gardner - Treatment Services	Sara Maaske - Regional Administration Communications	Roderic Southall - Workforce & Equity
Carol Blommel-Johnson - Interceptor Services	Adam Gordon - WW P&CD	Deb McKinley - Administration & Communications	Judy Sventek - WRP
Burke Brevia - Maintenance & Security	Matt Gsellmeier - Pretreatment & Finance	Tim Morrell - UMS: Environmental, Health & Safety	Leisa Thompson - Office of General Manager
Amanda Cerne - Treatment Services	Kris Hess - Administration & Communications	Karen Neis - Administration & Communications	Bert Tracy - Interceptor Services
Kyle Colvin - WW P&CD	Colton Janes - Treatment Services	Tina Nelson - Pretreatment & Finance	Dan Vaaler - UMS: Technology & Project Management
Dave Crothers - Maintenance & Security	Don Kiserow - Maintenance & Security	Stephen Norton - WW P&CD	Mallory Vanous - OSS
Craig Edlund - Treatment Services / Asset Management & Planning (AM&P)	Ben Keenan - UMS: AM&P	Lanya Ross - WRP	Joe Ward - OSS
Ali Elhassan - Water Resources Planning (WRP)	Jen Kostrzewski - WRP	Sam Paske - UMS & WRP	Dan White - Maintenance & Security
Mike Fenlason - Interceptor Services	Cristine Leavitt - Strategic Performance	Ned Smith - Pretreatment & Finance	Jenn Zuchowski - Workforce & Equity

Staff: The heart of our work

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- Reflection on process to develop vision and mission
- How my work fits into the mission
- What I tell my family & friends about my work



Questions?

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