

Committee Report

Environment Committee



Committee Meeting Date: September 10, 2024

For the Metropolitan Council: September 25, 2024

Business Item: 2024-227

Authorization to Hold a Public Hearing on the Draft Facility Plan for the Coon Rapids Interceptor Rehabilitation

Proposed Action

That the Metropolitan Council authorize a public hearing in November 2024 to gather input on the draft facility plan for the Coon Rapids Interceptor Rehabilitation project, MCES Project No. 808609.

Summary of Environment Committee Discussion/Questions

Motion by Morales, seconded by Osman. Motion carried.



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District(s), Member(s): District 9, Diego Morales
Policy/Legal Reference: MN Rule 7077.0272, subpart 3
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Background

Gravity interceptors 4-NS-525 and 7035 and flow meter M218 were constructed between 1965 and 1972 in Coon Rapids. These facilities consist of 36-inch and 48-inch reinforced concrete pipe. Condition assessments have identified these interceptor facilities as being in poor condition and in need of rehabilitation. The proposed project will include rehabilitation of interceptors 4-NS-525 and 7035 and improvements to M218.

Rationale

A public hearing is required for a draft facility plan prior to its adoption by the Metropolitan Council as a condition for obtaining project financing through the Minnesota Public Facilities Authority.

Thrive Lens Analysis

This action advances the Thrive outcome of stewardship and the Thrive principle of collaboration. Public financial resources will be invested efficiently and effectively to maintain and restore wastewater infrastructure, which protects the region's natural resources.

Funding

Project 808609 is included in the 8086 family of project in the 2024 MCES Authorized Capital Program.

Small Business Inclusion

There are no direct impacts to small businesses with the proposed action.