OVERVIEW
Metropolitan Council Environmental Services (ES) is undertaking sustainable landscape restoration projects at four interceptor sites in Bayport, Brooklyn Park, Eden Prairie and Mound. Work includes replacing high maintenance lawn and invasive plants with native plants and trees that are Minnesota nice – friendly to birds, pollinators, and improving water quality. This project helps fulfill ES’s environmental and sustainability goals and guidelines for the region.

Bayport
498 Maine St. S. (Lift Station 68)
The project team will be doing a site walk-through in mid-May to assess maintenance needs. May maintenance activities include removing bio logs, mowing, and weed control. Growing season maintenance will run through November.

Brooklyn Park
4601 101st Ave. N. (Brooklyn Park Property)
In May, the project team will be converting the area between the sidewalk and boulevard into traditional turf, and they will be converting the area from the south side of the sidewalk to about eight feet into the ES property into bee lawn mix. The project team will be doing a site walk-through in mid-May to assess maintenance needs. May maintenance activities will include mowing and weed control. Growing season maintenance will run through November.

Eden Prairie
10488 W. Riverview Drive (Blue Lake Siphon)
The project team will be doing a site walk-through in mid-May to assess maintenance needs. May maintenance activities include mowing and weed control. Growing season maintenance will run through November.

Mound
6270 Westedge Boulevard (Lift Station 38)
In May and early June, the project team will be prepping and seeding the south boulevard along Westedge Boulevard (from Setter Circle to the edge of the ES property line to the west). This boulevard will be converted into bee lawn seed mix. The project team will be doing a walk-through in mid-May to assess maintenance needs. May maintenance activities include mowing and weed control. Growing season maintenance will run through November.

SAFETY REMINDER
It is important to be mindful of restoration. Please do not attempt to enter or cross interceptor sites during restoration. For your safety and the safety of construction crews, do not attempt to handle or move construction equipment.

FUTURE WORK
Seasonal maintenance work will occur at each location and ES will continue updates every other month through the 2024 growing season. Check the website for the most recent update.

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