

## Des Moines River Watershed Partnership

**Day-to-Day Contact:**

**Murray County Environmental Services Office**  
2500 28<sup>th</sup> Street, PO Box 57  
Slayton, MN 56172  
Phone: 507-836-1165

**Fiscal Agent:**

**Jackson Soil & Water Conservation District**  
603 South Hwy 86  
Lakefield, MN 56150  
Phone: 507-662-6682 Ext. 3

**Date:** May 21, 2021  
**To:** «Contact», «Agency»  
**From:** Des Moines River Watershed Partnership  
**Re:** Notification of plan development and invitation to submit priority issues and plan expectations – Des Moines River Watershed

The Des Moines River Watershed Partnership, on behalf of the members, is pleased to begin development of a comprehensive watershed management plan through the One Watershed, One Plan program. This plan will be developed for the Des Moines River Watershed (see enclosed map). We are inviting all recipients of this notice to submit water management issues they feel the process and resulting plan should address and any expectations for the plan.

Please submit the requested information by July 20, 2021, to:

Sarah Soderholm  
Murray County Environmental Technician  
PO Box 57  
Slayton, MN 56172  
(507) 836-1165  
ssoderholm@co.murray.mn.us

Also be aware that a public kick-off meeting for the planning effort is planned for late July to review and compile watershed data, discuss priority issues identified by stakeholders, and provide additional opportunity for the Des Moines River Watershed Partnership to gain feedback. Please watch your local newspaper for more information.

Information about the partnership and this planning process is available at <http://www.murraycountymn.com/desmoinesriver>. Please check back closer to July for updates regarding the public kickoff meeting.

The Des Moines River Watershed Partnership Members are excited to begin this process of watershed-based planning. If you have any questions related to this effort, please contact Sarah Soderholm at the information above, or any of the local representatives on the enclosed list.