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Todd County Soil and Water Conservation District Board of Supervisors Agenda

The Todd SWCD Board of Supervisors will be holding a meeting of SWCD Board of Supervisors on Thursday, August 13, 2026, beginning at 8:30 am in person at the Historic Courthouse, Commissioners Board Room located at 215 1st Ave S, Long Prairie, MN 56347.

Agenda Item #	Presenter
1. Routine Business	
1.1. Call to Order	Chairperson
1.2. Pledge of Allegiance	Chairperson
1.3. Call for Introductions	Chairperson
1.4. Act on Approving the Agenda	Chairperson
1.5. Act on Approving Minutes -July 9, 2026	Secretary
1.6. Act on Approving Program Summary Report—July 2026	Treasurer
1.7. Call for Conflict of Interest	Chairperson
1.8. Celebrations	
2. Reports	
2.1. Commissioners' Report	Byers and Denny 5 min
2.2. Director Report	Ossefoort 2 min
2.3. SWCD Manager Report	Ossefoort 1 min
2.4. Staff Update & Visual Report	S. Katterhagen 5 min
2.5. Oral Report on Staff Accomplishments	Ossefoort 2 min
2.6. NRCS Report	Thoma 5 min
2.7. FSA Report	Fellbaum 5 min
2.8. 1W1P – Sauk	Williamson 2 min
2.9. 1W1P – Red Eye	Wendel 2 min
2.10. 1W1P – Long Prairie – August 13, 2026, Pontoon Tour- Morrison SWCD	Katterhagen 2 min
2.11. 1W1P – Crow Wing	Wendel 2 min
2.12. 1W1P – Mississippi-Brainerd	Bebus 2 min
2.13. BWSR Report	Arne 5 min
3. Decisions needed for encumbering cost-share funds	
3.1. Lenarz request, C#20260813-3.1, from FY23 LCCMR in the amount of \$750 for a 40 ac Forest Stewardship Plan in the Long Prairie Watershed	Ossef 1 min
3.2. Hansch, C#20260813-3.2, requesting C25-0118 Red Eye WBIF in the amount of \$656.25 for well sealing project	S. Katter 1 min
3.3. Swanson, C#20260813-3.3 from FY23 LCCMR in the amount of \$1200 for a 94 acre Forest Stewardship Plan.	Ossef 1 min
3.4. Kaiser, C#20260813-3.4 from FY23 LP WBIF funding in the amount of \$43,098.00 for a Streambank Stabilization Project.	Votruba 1 min
3.5. Berscheit, C#20260813-3.5 from M-B WBIF funding in the amount of \$83,572.00 for a cattle crossing project.	Scheve 1 min
3.6. Colby, C#20260813-3.6 from Red Eye WBIF & Soil Health Delivery funding in the amount of \$6,455.52 for cover crops.	Scheve 1 min
3.7. Wiese, C#20260813-3.7 from Crow Wing WBIF funding in the amount of \$772.33 for cover crops.	

Scheve 1 min

3.8. Wettstein, C#20260813-3.8 from Soil Health Delivery in the amount of \$6,308.89 for cover crops.

Scheve 1 min

3.9. Schmidt, C#20260813-3.9 from FY25 Red Eye WBIF funding in the amount of \$9,425.63 for feedlot and roof runoff project.

Moore 1 min

3.10. **Tentative:** Cebulla – Cover Crops

3.11. **Tentative:** Kohlhase – Cover Crops

4. Decisions needed for cost-share contract amendments

5. Decision needed for payment of cost-share funds

5.1. Host, C#20260514-3.5, Sauk River WBIF C24-0088 in the amount of \$15,285.19.

Votruba 1 min

5.2. Peters, C#20260514-3.4, Sauk River WBIF C24-0088 in the amount of \$16,245.

Votruba 1 min

5.3. Kunkel & Allen, C#20260312-3.4, M-B WBIF C24-0198 in the amount of \$21,879.00

Votruba 1 min

Technicians may be excused.

6. Decisions needed for operations

6.1. Review and approve West Central Technical Service Area Contract for Technical and Engineering Services for Nutrient Management Planning Services – July 1, 2026-June 30, 2027

6.2. Review and approve Long Prairie Fiscal Agreement for FY2027 (Todd SWCD is fiscal)

Ossef 3 min

6.3. Review and approve FY27 Long Prairie River WBIF Work Plan

Ossef 3 min

6.4. Review and approve 2027 IFS (financial/audit budget)

Ossef 5 min

7. Discussion Items

8. Contracts and documents approved between meetings

8.1. Berscheid request from FY26 Riparian in the amount of \$42,225 for two pit closures on Little Birch Lake in the Sauk River Watershed

8.2. Contract #77-1-1 approved for payment in the amount of \$14,816.14 (*costing less*)

8.3. Contract #77-1-2 approved for payment in the amount of \$16,908.08 (*costing less*)

8.4. Contract #77-1-3 approved for payment in the amount of \$4,760.04

8.5. Contract #77-1-6 approved for payment in the amount of \$29,010 (*costing less*)

9. Informational

9.1. 2nd Friday of the month –Radio Show

9.2. Project Status Report (Map of Projects)

9.3. MASWCD 2026 Election information

9.4. 2026 IRS Mileage increase for July 1, 2026 -December 31, 2026 -\$0.725 to \$0.76

The next regularly scheduled meeting for the Todd SWCD Board of Supervisors will be Thursday, September 10, 2026, at 8:30 a.m. at the Historic Courthouse in the Commissioner's Board Room located at 215 1st Avenue South, Long Prairie, MN 56347.