



SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICTS

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The Murray SWCD Board of Supervisors Meeting will be on **Friday**, August 8, 2025, at 10:00 a.m. at the USDA Service Center, Slayton, MN.

I. 10:00 am-Meeting called to order.

II. Additions to the agenda

III. Minutes of the July 10, 2025

IV. Treasurer's Report

V. Old Business

1. D.C. Report

2. Approve payment of Supervisors vouchers for July

3. Approve payment of Murray SWCD salaries for July

VI. New Business

1. Approve Ag Certification payment to Mitchell Kruger

2. Update on using NRCS for Technical Assistance on cost-share projects

3. Motion to approve agreement between SWCD and DNR for reading 8 observation wells

4. Motion to approve the FY2026 Soil Health Practices Grant Program Grant Agreement.

5. Update from County Commissioner meeting on August 5

6. Review and approve FY2026 Murray SWCD Budget

7. Motion to approve attendance at the MASWCD convention on December 1-3. (December 1-Pre-Convention events, December 2-3 convention)

8. Discuss changing September 11 SWCD Board Meeting

9. Cancel Contract 24-01: Dustin Schuld Diversion

10. Contract 24-02 for Dustin Schuld Diversion and Waterway designed by NRCS for \$21,991.09 with a 75% cost-share of \$16,493.32 using Murray SWCD funds.

11. Contract 25-03 for Roger Talsma Cover Crop single species. Cost share of \$35 acre for 45 acres for one year equaling out to \$1,575 using Murray SWCD funds.

12. Contract 25-06 for Brian Luchtenberg Cover Crop multi species. Cost share of \$45 acre for 83 acres for one year equaling out to \$3,735 using Murray SWCD funds.

13. Contract 25-04 for Darcie Spartz Waterway designed by NRCS for \$8,212.60 with a 75% cost-share of \$6,159.45 using Murray SWCD funds.

14. Contract 25-07 for Rick Johnson Waterway6 designed by NRCS for \$22,649.00 with a 75% cost-share of \$16,986.75 using Murray SWCD Funds

15. Contract 25-DMRW-MUR-040 (Andy Pick-Water & Sediment Control Basins) Des Moines 1W1P

16. Discuss drawing at Murray County Fair (last year 4-\$35.00 gift certificates at Almichs)

17. District Administrator update (Shelly)

18. Program Manager update (Craig)

19. Resource Specialist (Danielle)

20. Bills

21. Adjourn

Dates to Remember:

August 8- Murray SWCD meeting

August 13-16 Murray County Fair