



August 27, 2026

Brown's Creek Watershed District Board of Managers
c/o Karen Kill, District Administrator
455 Hayward Ave N
Oakdale, MN 55128

Dear Chair and Board Members:

I am pleased to inform you that the Minnesota Board of Water and Soil Resources (Board) has approved the Brown's Creek Watershed District (BCWD) Watershed Management Plan (Plan) at its regular meeting held on August 27, 2026. For your records I have enclosed a copy of the signed Board Order that documents approval of the Plan. Please be advised that the BCWD must adopt and implement the Plan within 120 days of the date of the Order, in accordance with MN Statutes 103B.231, Subd. 10.

The board, technical advisory committee members, consultants, and all others involved in the planning process are to be commended for their work on developing the Plan. With continued implementation of your Plan, the protection and management of the water resources within the watershed will be greatly enhanced to the benefit of the residents. The Board looks forward to working with you as you implement this Plan and document its outcomes.

Please contact Board Conservationist Josh Norman at 651-757-2302, josh.norman@state.mn.us, or at the central office address for further assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Todd Holman', written over a light blue textured background.

Todd Holman
Chair

Enclosure

CC: Hannah Peterson, BCWD (via email)
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