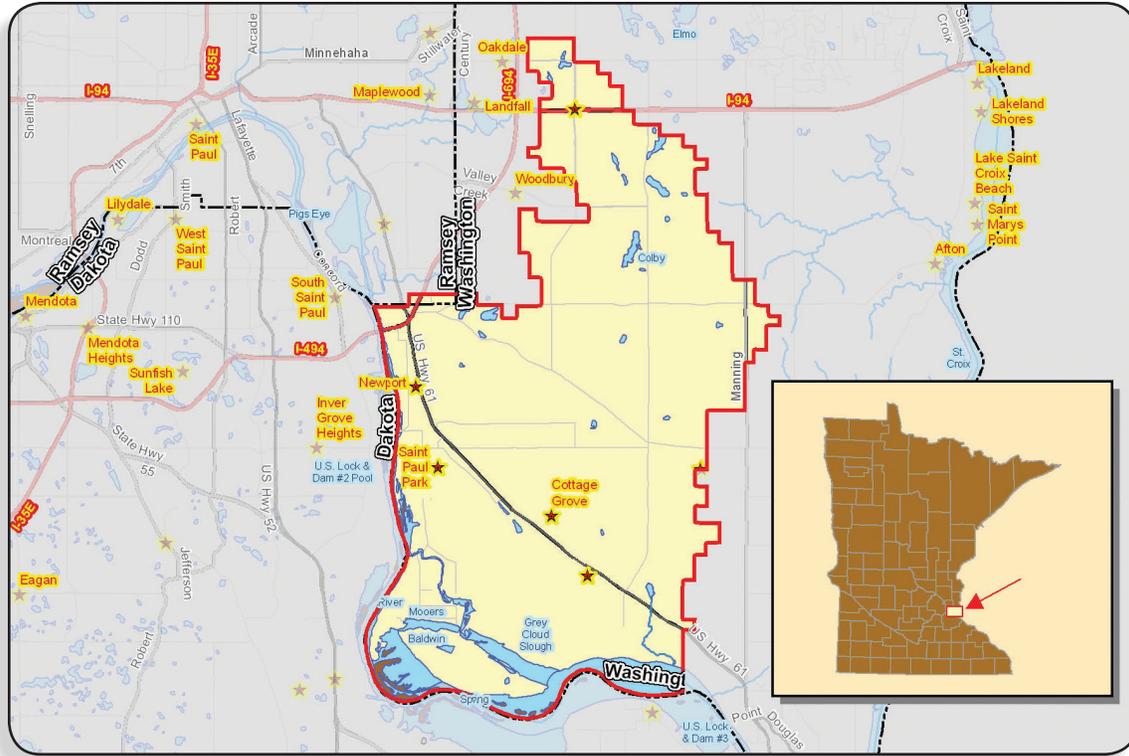


South Washington

WATERSHED DISTRICT



GENERAL INFORMATION

Established: August 25, 1993
by multi-city petition

2302 Tower Drive
Woodbury, MN 55125
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Included Counties: Washington
District Size: 70 square miles
Major Lakes: Armstrong, Markgrafs,
Wilmes, Powers, Colby, Cottage Grove
Ravine, La, Ria
Drains to Mississippi River

Number of Staff: 2
2008 Taxable Market Value:
\$9,479,955,400

BOARD OF MANAGERS

Name	Position	County	Address	Phone
Jack Lavold	President	Washington	6859 Ideal Ave S, Cottage Grove, MN 55016	(651) 459-9981
Dennis Hanna	V. President	Washington	9301 Grey Cloud Island Dr, St Paul Park, MN 55071	(651) 459-2281
Brian Johnson	V. President	Washington	4353 Dorchester Dr, Woodbury, MN 55129	(651) 458-3739
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Michael Madigan	Treasurer	Washington	2366 Hidden Lake Cove, Woodbury, MN 55125	(651) 702-0488

RECENT PROJECTS

Watershed Management Plan Update — the SWWD Board of Managers officially adopted the state-approved plan in November of 2007.

Flood Damage Reduction Plan — in cooperation with the City of Woodbury, the SWWD is working with the local residents of the Wilmes Lake subwatershed to implement non-structural improvements to provide flood protection.

Central Draw Watershed Overflow Construction — the East Ravine subwatershed incorporates the preferred path for the Northern subwatershed overflow to provide an outlet to the Mississippi River. The Central Draw Overflow Project is intended to provide principal and emergency outlet capacity for this land-locked watershed.

BMP Water Quality Cost Share Program — this program began in 2008 and is encouraging the use of innovative Best Management Practices to protect and restore water quality. These cost share grants are available to residents, neighborhoods, municipalities, and businesses. In 2008 the BMP program included 15 residential and 2 municipal/business projects.

Bailey Lake/East Ravine — the Central Draw Overflow project that will eventually convey excess stormwater runoff from the Bailey Lake sub-watershed and upstream areas through Cottage Grove East Ravine to the Mississippi River. SWWD is working with the City of Cottage Grove staff to finalize the next steps, which includes updates to the Central Draw Storage Facility and preparation of design plans for the 70th Street outlet.

CDP 85 Restoration — in preparation of development in the southern portions of Woodbury and northern portions of Cottage Grove (East Ravine) the SWWD began restoration of the CD P85/86 greenway corridor. In 2007, the SWWD planted trees and established upland grasses along the west property line. Restoration and maintenance continued in 2008.

Watershed Monitoring — the water monitoring program provides data for eight lakes, seven groundwater stations; runoff discharge rate volume and quality, precipitation.

Website Updates — the new SWWD website features an interactive map, district calendar, quick links for easier access, expanded news and events section, and developer information.



Grove Street Overlook Park, Newport, MN

Education Program and Outreach — SWWD is a founding member of the East Metro Water Resource Education Program (EMWREP), a partnership formed to develop a comprehensive water resource education and outreach program for the east metro area of St. Paul. The goal of EMWREP is to reduce non-point source water pollution from storm water runoff and illicit discharges by educating citizens, municipal staff and officials, developers, and businesses.

FUTURE PROJECTS

Central Draw Watershed Overflow Phase II

Flood Damage Reduction Projects

Best Management Practices Water Quality Cost Share Program

Cottage Grove East Ravine

CD-P85/86 restoration and greenway improvements

2007 EXPENDITURES

Total 2007 Expenditures	\$1,403,157
Management / General Administrative	\$212,740
Programs	\$376,850
Projects	\$220,621
Debt Services	\$592,946