

**BWSR One Watershed One Plan - Suggested Planning Areas**  
**County Water Plan Expiration Dates as displayed on BWSR website May 1, 2019**

Blue Earth County is in six BWSR 1W1P suggested planning areas. The County did not participate in the Cannon 1W1P. The Watonwan 1W1P is underway. County water plan expiration dates in three of the four remaining 1W1P planning areas are displayed below. The Cottonwood River Watershed BWSR planning area which includes Morgan Creek and the Little Cottonwood River is not shown because Blue Earth County is a relatively small percentage of the watershed and with so many other BWSR 1W1P, participation will be limited.

**Middle Minnesota – BWSR Planning Area 22**

<b>Water Plan Expiration</b>	<b>County</b>
2026	Blue Earth
2020	Brown
2021	Le Sueur
2023	Nicollet
2023	Renville
2023	Sibley
2021	Watonwan
<b>Potential “orphaned” non-metro Lower Minnesota East - Planning Area 56</b>	
2019	Rice (Lower- East) Potential “orphaned” Lower MN East

**Le Sueur River Watershed – Planning Area 26**

<b>Water Plan Expiration</b>	<b>County</b>
2026	Blue Earth
2027	Faribault
2021	Freeborn
2021	Le Sueur
2021	Steele
2023	Waseca

**Blue Earth River Watershed – Planning Area 24**

<b>Water Plan Expiration</b>	<b>County</b>
2026	Blue Earth
2027	Faribault
2026	Martin
2021	Freeborn
2021	Jackson
	Iowa

**Comprehensive Watershed Management Plans - Watersheds in Blue /**  
**Watowan / Middle Minnesota / Le Sueur / Blue Earth / Cottonwood-Little Cottonwood**

<b>1W1P</b>	<b>2025</b>									
<b>Watershed</b>	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	
<b>Watowan</b>										
RFP - Proposal	X									
Work Plan, MOA, Bylaws	X	X								
Plan Preparation			X	X						
Final Draft 90-day review				X						
BWSR Board Approval - 2020				X						
Local Adoption				X						
<b>Watershed TBD</b>										
RFP - Proposal -2020				X						
Work Plan, MOA, Bylaws				X	X					
Plan Preparation					X	X				
Final Draft 90-day review						X	X			
BWSR Board Approval - June 2023							X			
Local Adoption							X			
<b>Watershed TBD</b>										
RFP - Proposal - 2021					X					
Work Plan, MOA, Bylaws					X	X				
Plan Preparation						X	X			
Final Draft 90-day review							X	X		
BWSR Board Approval - June 2024								X		
Local Adoption								X		
<b>Watershed TBD</b>										
RFP - Proposal						X				
Work Plan, MOA, Bylaws						X	X			
Plan Preparation							X	X		
Final Draft 90-day review								X	X	
BWSR Board Approval - June 2025									X	
Local Adoption									X	
<b>Cottonwood-Little Cottonwood- Morgan Creek</b>										
RFP - Proposal					?	?	?			
Work Plan, MOA, Bylaws					?	?	?	?	?	
Plan Preparation						?	?	?	?	
Final Draft 90-day review							?	?	?	
BWSR Board Approval - June 20??										
Local Adoption										
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# Comprehensive Watershed Management Plans - Watersheds in Blue Earth County

Watowan / Middle Minnesota / Blue Earth / Cottonwood-Little Cottonwood-Morgan Creek

1W1P	2029													
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	
<b>Watowan</b>														
RFP - Proposal	X													
Work Plan, MOA, Bylaws	X	X												
Plan Preparation			X	X										
Final Draft 90-day review				X										
BWSR Board Approval - 2020				X										
Local Adoption				X										
<b>Watershed TBD</b>														
RFP - Proposal -2020				X										
Work Plan, MOA, Bylaws				X	X									
Plan Preparation					X	X								
Final Draft 90-day review						X	X							
BWSR Board Approval - June 2023							X							
Local Adoption								X						
<b>Watershed TBD</b>														
RFP - Proposal - 2021								X						
Work Plan, MOA, Bylaws								X	X					
Plan Preparation									X	X				
Final Draft 90-day review										X	X			
BWSR Board Approval - June 2026											X			
Local Adoption												X		
<b>Watershed TBD</b>														
RFP - Proposal											X			
Work Plan, MOA, Bylaws											X	X		
Plan Preparation												X	X	
Final Draft 90-day review													X	X
BWSR Board Approval - June 2029														X
Local Adoption														X
<b>Cottonwood-Little Cottonwood-Morgan Creek</b>														
RFP - Proposal						?	?	?						
Work Plan, MOA, Bylaws							?	?	?	?				
Plan Preparation							?	?	?	?				
Final Draft 90-day review								?	?	?	?			
BWSR Board Approval - June 20??									?	?	?			
Local Adoption										?	?	?		

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# Comprehensive Watershed Management Plans - Watersheds in Blue Earth County

Watowan / Middle Minnesota / Le Sueur / Blue Earth / Cottonwood-Little Cottonwood-Morgan Creek

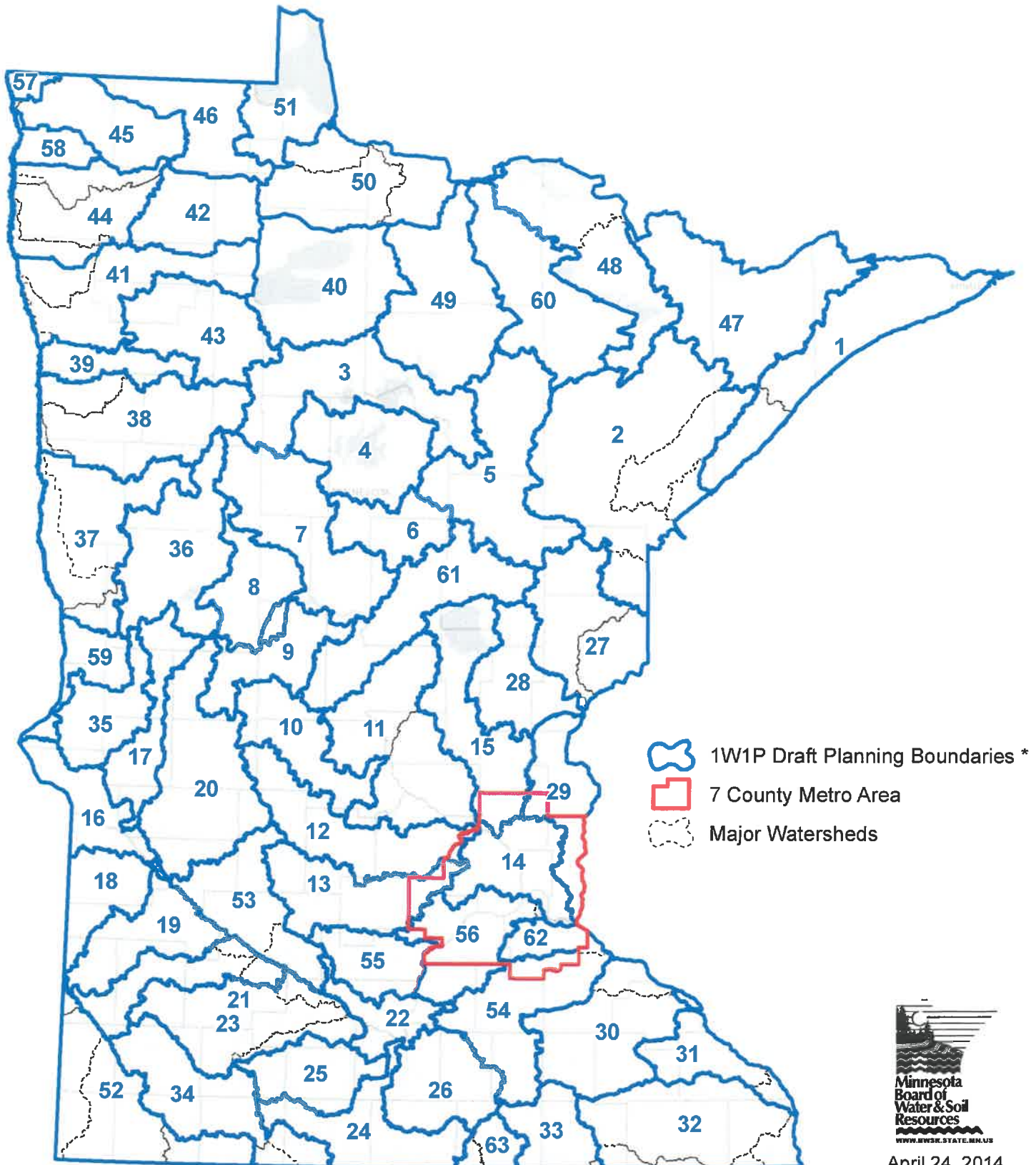
1W1P	2031														
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031
<b>Watowan</b>															
RFP - Proposal	X														
Work Plan, MOA, Bylaws	X	X													
Plan Preparation			X	X											
Final Draft 90-day review				X											
BWSR Board Approval - 2020				X											
Local Adoption				X											
<b>Watershed TBD</b>															
RFP - Proposal -2020				X											
Work Plan, MOA, Bylaws				X	X										
Plan Preparation					X	X									
Final Draft 90-day review						X	X								
BWSR Board Approval - June 2023							X								
Local Adoption							X								
<b>Watershed TBD</b>															
RFP - Proposal - 2021								X							
Work Plan, MOA, Bylaws								X	X						
Plan Preparation									X	X					
Final Draft 90-day review										X	X				
BWSR Board Approval - June 2027											X				
Local Adoption											X				
<b>Watershed TBD</b>															
RFP - Proposal												X			
Work Plan, MOA, Bylaws												X	X		
Plan Preparation													X	X	
Final Draft 90-day review														X	X
BWSR Board Approval - June 2031															X
Local Adoption															X
<b>Cottonwood-Little Cottonwood-Morgan Creek</b>															
RFP - Proposal					?	?	?								
Work Plan, MOA, Bylaws					?	?	?	?	?						
Plan Preparation						?	?	?	?						
Final Draft 90-day review							?	?	?						
BWSR Board Approval - June 20??															
Local Adoption															

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# One Watershed, One Plan

## *Suggested Boundary Map*



April 24, 2014

\*Not legal boundaries; intended for planning purposes through One Watershed, One Plan only.