

**RESOLUTION NO. 25-070
RILEY PURGATORY BLUFF CREEK WATERSHED DISTRICT
BOARD OF MANAGERS**

**AUTHORIZING NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS ON PROPOSED PROJECT
ORDERING FOR NORTH LOTUS LAKE STORMWATER PARK**

Manager Duevel offered the following resolution and moved its adoption, seconded by Manager Stovring:

WHEREAS the Riley Purgatory Bluff Creek Watershed District's (District) 2018 10-Year Watershed Management Plan (Plan) recognizes the need to control phosphorus levels in the lakes as a primary means to reduce the occurrence of algal blooms, improve water clarity, and promote diverse vegetation growth;

WHEREAS the District Plan recognizes the importance of community engagement, education, and outreach in helping meet District goals;

WHEREAS the District Plan identified LL1 (now referred to as North Lotus Lake Stormwater Park) as a practical, efficient, and effective location for a phosphorus control management practice;

WHEREAS the District developed a feasibility study, reviewed by the Board of Managers, and authorized engagement with an artist and community members to develop a more comprehensive plan;

WHEREAS the City of Chanhassen and the District have agreed, in principle, to develop the project in a manner consistent with the goals of the City of Chanhassen and the District;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Riley Purgatory Bluff Creek Watershed District Board of Managers hereby directs the administrator to issue a notice for a public hearing to consider whether to order the North Lotus Lake Stormwater Park Project pursuant to Minnesota Statutes section 103B.251 with the hearings to be on Wednesday, January 21st, 2026, at 7:00 p.m. at District Office, 18681 Lake Drive East, Chanhassen, MN;

The question was on the adoption of the resolution and there were 5 yeas and 0 nays as follows:

	<u>Yea</u>	<u>Nay</u>	<u>Abstain</u>	<u>Absent</u>
CRAFTON	X			
DUEVEL	X			
NELSON	X			
PEDERSEN	X			
STOVRING	X			

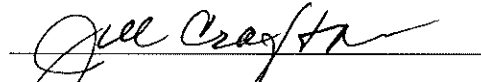
Upon vote, the president declared the resolution adopted.

Dated: December 17th, 2025.

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I, Jill Crafton, secretary of the Riley Purgatory Bluff Creek Watershed District, do hereby certify that I have compared the above resolution with the original thereof as the same appears of record and on file with the District and find the same to be a true and correct transcription thereof.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I set my hand this 17th day of December, 2025.



 Jill Crafton, Secretary