



Project Status

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Hello and welcome to the *Kabetogama Sanitary Sewer Collection and Treatment Project Status Update*. In this and later issues, we will be updating you periodically on the status of this project.

Happening Now

The project is currently in the report phase and SEH is continuing to work on the project Facility Plan, which details and weighs options for the best way to collect and treat wastewater in the Kabetogama Area.

Braun Intertec also completed drilling and collecting soil boring information in November along the local roadways. Collecting this information helps us to ensure we are placing the system components in an area with suitable soils and helps us determine the average depth to bedrock in the project area.

On Thursday, February 22, 2024, there will be a Public Hearing to present and discuss the findings of the project Facility Plan. We encourage you to attend to hear about and give input on the project. The following items are planned to be discussed at the hearing:

- The project area locations and impacts
- Different treatment and collection options evaluated including a recommend alternative
- Estimated project costs as well as estimated user rate cost to residents

The meeting will be held at 7:00 p.m. at the Kabetogama Township Hall. The meeting will also be conducted virtually via Microsoft Teams:

<https://www.microsoft.com/en-us/microsoft-teams/join-a-meeting?rtc=1>

Meeting ID: 229 386 345 415

Passcode: 4McsGy

Or call in (audio only)

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In order for this project to qualify for additional funding, the project Facility Plan will be submitted to the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA) for review and approval. These documents will be submitted next month in March 2024.

Once the MPCA approves the report, the project is eligible for funding through MN PFA and we can move forward with design. This process will likely take some time. We will do our best to inform you of the project timeline as it is developed.

Look for more project details in the next Project Status Update and please feel free to contact me with any questions you may have.