

**AUTHORIZATION TO DISCHARGE STORMWATER  
ASSOCIATED WITH SMALL MUNICIPAL SEPARATE STORM SEWER SYSTEMS  
UNDER THE NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES)/  
STATE DISPOSAL SYSTEM (SDS) PROGRAM  
MS400196**

**Permittee:** South Washington Watershed District  
**Coverage issuance date:** October 20, 2021  
**Expiration date:** November 15, 2025

The state of Minnesota, on behalf of its citizens through the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA), authorizes the Permittee to operate a small municipal separate storm sewer system (MS4) and to discharge from the small MS4 to receiving waters, in accordance with the requirements of the Small Municipal Separate Storm Sewer Systems General Permit MNR040000 (General Permit).

The goal of the General Permit is to reduce pollutant levels in point source discharges and protect water quality in accordance with the U.S. Clean Water Act, Minnesota statutes and rules, and federal laws and regulations.

The MPCA issued the General Permit on November 16, 2020, however the permittee received coverage under the General Permit on the coverage issuance date identified above. The General Permit expires at midnight on the expiration date identified above.

*Signature:* *Duane Duncanson*

*for the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency*

*This document has been electronically signed.*

Duane Duncanson  
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If you have questions about the General Permit, including specific permit requirements, permit reporting, or permit compliance status, please contact the MPCA at:

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