



Carver County
 Planning & Water Management Department
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Invoice

Date: 01/15/25
 Invoice #: PWM-25-001

2024 Monitoring Season

To: Linda Loomis
 Lower Minnesota River Watershed District
 112 East Fifth St., Suite 102
 Chaska, MN 55318

Quantity	Description	Unit Price	Line Total
Ecoli Sampling and Reporting			
39	E.coli Field Labor	\$50.00	\$1,950.00
5	E.coli Analysis and Reporting	\$50.00	\$250.00
Stream Sampling and Reporting			
120	Stream Field Labor	\$50.00	\$6,000.00
5	Stream Analysis and Reporting	\$50.00	\$250.00
Lake Sampling and Reporting			
55	Lake Field Sampling Labor	\$50.00	\$2,750.00
5	Lake Analysis and Reporting	\$50.00	\$250.00
Seminary Fen Sampling			
8	Seminary Fen Sampling Labor	\$50.00	\$400.00
1	Seminary Fen Analysis	\$50.00	\$50.00
Lab Costs			
1	RMB Labs Analysis	\$14,619.90	\$14,619.90
Education			
58	Education Staff Time	\$50.00	\$2,900.00
Total			\$ 29,419.90

Please make checks payable to **Carver County**

Return with remittance slip to:

Carver County
 Financial Services Division
 PO Box 69
 Chaska, MN 55318

Due Before: 2/28/2023
 Amount Due: \$ 29,419.90
 Acct: 01-123-126-1567-5280

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Lower Minnesota River Watershed District & Carver County WMO Education report 2024

Activity or Program	Audience	Hours to complete	LMRWD portion
Water Column: A monthly newspaper column covering many topics surrounding water quality, conservation, ecology, stormwater runoff and more.	Carver County citizens. Note - loss of Chaska and Chanhasen papers mid-year will reduce reach.	6 water columns were written and sent out in 2024 = 60 hours. CCWMO wide program.	1 hour
CCWMO Online Newsletter: Contains info on activities, events, opportunities, and announcements.	Carver County citizens. At end of 2024, 1762 citizens subscribed.	12 newsletters completed in 2024. Creation of materials and publishing = 120 hours. CCWMO wide program.	6 hours
Social media: Water education, topics of interest, project updates, etc. are shared.	Carver County citizens. End of 2024 brought 995 followers on Facebook, 405 followers on Instagram.	Material creation and posting = 100 total hours. CCWMO wide program.	5 hours
Children's Water Festival September 25, 2024 www.metrocwf.org	Bluff Creek Elementary and Central Elementary attended the 2024 festival bringing 5 classes.	Program coordination and execution = 100 hours. County wide program.	5 hours
City of Chaska Earth Day Festival May 4, 2024, at McKnight Park. WMO activities included Incredible Journey, watershed puzzle display, water pollution bottles display.	City of Chaska residents. 20 youth and adult attendees.	Event planning and day of event = 16 hours. Program for WMO and LMRWD.	8 hours
City of Carver Public Works open house October 8, 2024 Booth display on native plants. Booth display information on native plants for gardens and pollinators.	City of Carver residents. Approximately 134 visitors.	Booth set up and staffing = 8 hours. Program of WMO and LMRWD.	4 hours.
Carver County Fair August 7- 11, 2024 Display focused on healthy yards = healthy waters and featured the water pollution bottles activity, the streets drain to streams activity, and a neighborhood display showcasing both actions that protect water and actions that pollute water.	County-wide. Approximately 90,000+ attendees.	Program prep and delivery = 80 hours. County wide program.	5 hours

<p>The Summer Explorers camp ran every Monday for 6 weeks from mid-June through July. Lessons and activities on aquatic invasive species.</p>	<p>180 students from District 112 ages kindergarten through 5th grade.</p>	<p>Program prep and delivery = 40 hours. Program for schools from Chaska, Carver, Chanhassen, and Victoria.</p>	<p>10 hours</p>
<p>Story times with Carver County libraries to celebrate Earth Day</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • April 10 - Chanhassen (28 youth, 15 adults) • April 22 – Victoria (10 youth, 8 adults) • April 23 – Chaska (22 youth, 10 adults) <p>Created and handed out Earth Day packets with information about County programs.</p>	<p>Preschool and families. 60 youth and 33 adults attended.</p>	<p>Program prep and delivery = 40 hours. CCWMO wide program.</p>	<p>4 hours</p>
<p>Chaska Rotary Club WMO staff provided a presentation on water monitoring in Carver County.</p>	<p>Members of the Chaska Rotary Club. 30 people attended.</p>	<p>Program prep and delivery = 8 hours. Program of WMO and LMWRD.</p>	<p>4 hours</p>
<p>Smartwater program The program’s goal is to conserve groundwater and reduce stormwater runoff. The program provides smart controllers for irrigation systems to residents at a lower cost than retail value. Cities can help to provide a cost incentive to further lower the controller costs. Rachio Inc. is a program partner. Carver County is the parent organization managing agreements between cities and Rachio.</p>	<p>Residents of City of Carver. 5 New controllers for City of Carver, 8 for Chaska.</p>	<p>Program management and distribution of marketing materials = 20 hours. Program for Carver, Chaska, Watertown, Waconia, Victoria, and Mayer.</p>	<p>6 hours</p>
<p>Total hours share</p>	<p>58 hours @ \$50/ hour</p>		<p>\$2900</p>