



**Request for City Council Committee Action
Health Department**

Date: March 23, 2015

To: HEALTH, ENVIRONMENT & COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT
COMMITTEE

Referral to: WAYS & MEANS/BUDGET COMMITTEE

Subject: REVENUE CONTRACT FROM THE MISSISSIPPI WATERSHED
MANAGEMENT ORGANIZATION FOR SUMMER INTERNS

Recommendation:

Council authorization for the proper City officials to:

1. Execute a grant agreement for \$19,200 from the Mississippi Watershed Management Organization to hire interns to assist in erosion control enforcement, and
2. increase both the revenue estimate in fund/department 01600-8600155 (revenue code 372001) and the 2015 appropriation in fund/department 01600-8600155 by \$19,200.

Previous Directives: Prior agreements approved on May 25, 2012, May 10, 2013, and April 25, 2014.

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Approved by:

Gretchen Musicant, Commissioner of Health

Permanent Review Committee (PRC): Approval ____ Not Applicable X
Policy Review Group (PRG) Approval ____ Date of Approval ____ Not Applicable X

Presenters in Committee: Patrick Hanlon, Environmental Services Supervisor

Financial Impact (Check those that apply)

X Action requires an appropriation increase to the ____ Capital Budget or X Operating Budget.
 X Action provides increased revenue for appropriation increase.

Background/Supporting Information Attached

The Mississippi Watershed Management Organization (MWMO) works with the City to address water quality issues in Minneapolis. The MWMO will continue in 2015 to pay for intern positions with Environmental Services to assist in erosion control enforcement. In addition, the interns will work cooperatively with both organizations in conducting studies in best management practices for storm water management, water sampling, and other projects related to storm water quality in Minneapolis