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## Memo

DATE: January 9, 2019  
TO: Watershed District Administrators  
FROM: Emily Javens, Executive Director  
CC: MAWD President Ruth Schaefer and Treasurer Sherry Davis White  
MAWD Accountant Angie Fischer Obremski

### RE: 2019 ANNUAL DUES STATEMENT

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Please find attached the 2019 MAWD Membership Dues Worksheet that shows the amounts each watershed organization will pay to be members of MAWD this year. The dues formula remained the same from last year, but your dues amount may have gone up or down based on the updated taxable market values for your watershed. The current dues payment is equal to 0.5% of each watershed district's maximum general levy as defined in statute (before applying the \$250,000 levy limit), not to exceed \$7,500. (Note: more information on the general levy calculation is attached from the MN Board of Water and Soil Resources.)

After voting in December to allow watershed management organizations (WMOs) as full voting members of MAWD, the MAWD Board of Directors set their dues at \$500 this year. Dues for WMOs will be formula driven next year.

2019 WD Dues = 2017 Taxable Market Value x 0.00048 x 0.005, not to exceed \$7,500  
2019 WMO Dues = \$500

Please remit payment by February 28, 2018 to the MAWD Accountant:

MN Association of Watershed Districts  
c/o Obremski Ltd.  
1005 Mainstreet (yes, it is one word)  
Hopkins, MN 55343

Please contact me if you have any questions at [exec.mawd@gmail.com](mailto:exec.mawd@gmail.com) or (612) 790-0700.

Attachments: 2019 MAWD Dues Worksheet  
BWSR Memo dated July 17, 2018 re: 2018 Taxable Market Values

***Thank you for your support!***