



## *Long and Ringo Lakes TMDL Meeting*

***April 28th, 2011***

*Health and Human Services Building*

*2200 23rd St. NE,*

***Lower Level, Multi-Purpose Room***

*Willmar, MN*

***6-7PM***

### ***You are invited to attend the Long and Ringo Lakes Excessive Nutrients Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) Public Notice Comment meeting.***

The Hawk Creek Watershed Project (HCWP) is holding a public notice comment meeting addressing the assessment report for an Excessive Nutrient TMDL for Long Lake/Ringo Lake.




In this meeting a draft assessment report will be reviewed and discussed by citizens that are interested in voicing their comments. Please review the report before the meeting at: <http://www.pca.state.mn.us/index.php/water/water-types-and-programs/minnesotas-impaired-waters-and-tmdls/tmdl-projects/minnesota-river-basin-tmdl-projects/project-long-lake-excess-nutrients.html>

*A TMDL is a scientific study that calculates the maximum amount of a pollutant that a water body can receive and still meet water quality standards for that pollutant. It is also a process that identifies all potential sources of the pollutant causing the impairment and identifies methods for achieving reductions.*

A draft TMDL report has been completed and will be on public notice from April 18th to May 18th, 2011.

***Public participation is essential to a successful TMDL!***

### ***Agenda for April 28th Meeting***

-  Summary of Assessment Report-MPCA
-  Discussion of Implementation Plan Development and Technical Team-HCWP
-  Questions and Other Discussion

Discussion from the previous meetings can be found at: <http://www.hawkcreekwatershed.org>, under the TMDL section on the right hand side under the Upcoming Meetings section or at MPCAs website under Impaired Waters/TMDL Section.

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For more information on TMDLs:  
[www.hawkcreekwatershed.org](http://www.hawkcreekwatershed.org)

<http://www.pca.state.mn.us/index.php/water/water-types-and-programs/minnesotas-impaired-waters-and-tmdls/minnesotas-impaired-waters-and-total-maximum-daily-loads-tmdls.html>

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