

CONSENT ITEM – 8N



MEMORANDUM

DATE: January 12, 2026
TO: Honorable Mayor and City Councilmembers
Jessica Jagoe, City Administrator
FROM: Lucas J. Miller, Assistant Public Works Director
SUBJECT: Metropolitan Council – Private I/I Program – Grant Agreement

Budgeted Amount:
N/A

Actual Amount:
N/A

Funding Source:
MCES

Council Should Consider

Motions to approve, table, or deny the following:

- Metropolitan Council 2026 Private Property Inflow and Infiltration (I/I) Grant Agreement No. SG-26094

Background/Discussion

The 2026 Private I/I Grant Program for Met Council will provide \$1.5 million in wastewater revenue to provide grants to private property owners to help with repairs that will remove and prevent clear water from entering the wastewater treatment system. The Minnesota Legislature amended Statute 471.342 to allow the Met Council to provide grant funding to local municipalities to assist private property owners with costs associated with repairing sewer infrastructure on their property. The City of Arden Hills is 1 of 21 municipalities that have applied for the program. Arden Hills requested \$110,000 in grant funds but was **awarded \$47,000** as shown in the Grant Agreement.

The Grant Agreement related to the MCES 2026 private property I/I program is provided as Attachment A. Approving the Agreement allows the City to begin the program for private property owners the first day of the month following the “Effective Date” as defined in the agreement.

Budget Impact

This program is reimbursed by Metropolitan Council, so there is no direct budget impact.

Attachments

Attachment A: MCES Grant Agreement No. SG-26094