

Minnesota Wetland Conservation Act Contractor Responsibility and Landowner Statement Form

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Chapter 103G .2212 an agent or employee of another may not drain, excavate or fill a wetland, wholly or partially, unless the agent or employee has obtained a signed statement from the property owner stating that the wetland replacement plan required for the work has been obtained, or that a replacement plan is not required; **AND** this statement is mailed to the local government unit (LGU) with jurisdiction over the wetland.

Work in violation of the above statement and Minnesota Statutes § 103G.2212 to § 103G.237 is a misdemeanor punishable by up to a \$700 fine and 90 days in jail.

A replacement plan is required for any wetland draining, excavation, or filling activity that is not exempted under Minnesota Rules Chapter 8420.0122.

National wetland inventory maps are available for review at the County Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD) offices. Many wetlands may not be identified on the maps but are still restricted from draining, excavating, or filling.

Contact the LGU or SWCD office for assistance. You can also call the Board of Water and Soil Resources at 651-296-3767 for LGU or SWCD location information.

Property Owner Name

Address

Phone

Work Site Location:
(address or property location)

Contractor Name: (by company and individual):

Address:

Phone:

Description of Work:

This form is continued on the next page.

I certify that, as the owner of the property listed on this form, I have contacted the LGU and contact person listed on this form, and a WCA replacement plan:

- has been obtained**, or
- is not required**,

for the work described and at the location listed on this form.

Property Owner Name

Signature _____ Date

Contractor Owner Name

Signature _____ Date

Local Government Unit (LGU):

Address:

Phone:

LGU Person Contacted:

**This statement is invalid if any of the above information is not supplied or is inaccurate.
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NOTE: Keep a copy of this form for your records, and send the original to the Local Government Unit.