

Legislation Text

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Pertaining to attendance at conferences, seminars and other training opportunities by Saint Paul Regional Water Services staff.

WHEREAS, Attendance at training, education and development (TED) opportunities by Saint Paul Regional Water Services staff has been beneficial to the utility and the Board; and

WHEREAS, the following TED opportunities are scheduled for 2018:

AWWA (American Water Works Association) TED Opportunities

Annual Conference & Exposition - Las Vegas, Nevada - June 11-14 Water Quality Technology - Toronto, Ontario, Canada - November 11-15 Water Infrastructure Conference - Atlanta, Georgia - October 28-31 AWWA / WEF Utility Management - San Antonio, Texas - February 20-23 Minnesota Section - Duluth, MN - September 18-21 Seminars - to be determined - to be determined

<u>AMWA (Association of Metropolitan Water Agencies) TED Opportunities</u> Legislative Conference - Washington, DC - March 18-21 Management Conference - San Francisco, California - October 14-17

Miscellaneous Training and Development

GITA (Geospatial Information & Technology Association) Conference - Lacrosse, Wisconsin - to be determined CMMS Oracle User Group Workshop - New Orleans, Louisiana - February 27 - March 1 WaterWorks Management - Spring - to be determined - to be determined WaterWorks Management -Fall - Chicago, IL - to be determined Minnesota Rural Water - St. Cloud, MN - March 6-8 Minnesota GFOA - Alexandria, MN - to be determined AUS Infinity User Conference - Chicago, Illinois - October 31 - November 2 CS (Customer Service) Week - Tampa, Florida - May 1-4 Emergency Management Training - Public Information Officer - Emmitsburg, Maryland - February 11-16 Water and Wastewater Leadership Center - Lansdowne, Virginia - March 4-16

WHEREAS, the General Manager has requested that he be authorized to designate a limited number of staff to represent Saint Paul Regional Water Services at these conferences, seminars and other training opportunities; and

WHEREAS, attendance at the conferences shown above may involve the cost of transportation, lodging, meals and registration; and

WHEREAS, the General Manager may occasionally determine that attendance at a conference, seminar or training session different than that originally requested may be in the Board's best interests and does request the authority to make substitutions where so determined; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that attendance at the conferences shown above, or as may be substituted by the General Manager, by Saint Paul Regional Water Services staff as designated by the General Manager, is hereby approved; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, that actual expenses incurred by conference attendees designated by the General Manager shall be paid from Saint Paul Regional Water Services funds.