Other CREP Topics/Reminders

- Easement Boundaries: Want help determining Road ROWs, property ownership? Send .shp and other info to luke.L.anderson@state.mn.us

- Send any general title insurance questions to lucy.kozub@state.mn.us

- Send all recorded documents in with the title commitment.

- Make sure you have latest copy of deeds submitted with an application.

- Direct deposit of easement payment?
  - Can be done anytime but should be done prior to recording the easement if landowner wants to ensure easement payment is direct deposited.
  - If there is a situation with copayees, this may not be possible.

- Make sure entering correct CREP contract start & end dates in CREP workbook.
Altering Boundary After CRP-1 Approval

It is possible. Best addressed before CRP-1 approval

• Discuss with local partners to see if possible
• BWSR will review to see if alteration affects score
• Once processed, we will need a revised workbook and supporting federal documentation that state the revised acreage and payment submitted to us
• We can then proceed with easement acquisition (we will want a revised agreement once this has been sorted out)
Wetland Repairs & Native Revegetation

Wetland Restoration Repairs:
- Limited Funding Available
- Contact Terry Ragan, BWSR Engineering
- Sites prioritized by likelihood of structure failure and downstream concerns

Native Revegetation: $150,000 available.
- Contact Tabor or John Voz
- Sites prioritized by proximity to other permanently protected lands, higher species diversity, pairing with other C/S, and likelihood of success
What Now?

• Continue marketing, making a list of interested landowners
• Continue working on existing funded applications
• Post RIM signs
Signage Importance

• All RIM easements are required to be properly signed
• If Farm Bill Assistance Staff worked on an easement, need to post a sign w/ Legacy Logo on the site
• If CREP Technician worked on an easement, need to also post an ENRTF sign on the site
• Contact Tabor Hoek, John Voz or Tim Fredbo if you need signs
• Buy posts and hardware, submit Reimbursement Request
Final Questions?