

103B and 103D Water Management Revenue Streams for Metro WMOs

| 103 Fiscal Authorities And Programmatic Activities | Available Funding Options | | | | | | | |
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| | All WMOs ¹ | | County, City, Township | Additional for Watershed Districts | | | | |
| | 103B.241 District-wide Ad valorem | 103B.251 Capital Improvement Payment by County | 103B.245 Special Taxing District (Allows sub-area taxation) | 103D.729, 103D.730, 444.075 (Subd. 2a) Water Management District/Stormwater Utility | 103D.905 (Subd. 3) General Fund (Capped @ \$250,000) | 103D.905 (Subd. 3) Basic Water Management Project | 103D.905 (Subd. 8) Survey & Data Acquisition | 103D.345 Permits |
| Administration | X | | | X | X | | | |
| Management Plans | X | | X | | X | | | |
| Monitoring & Data Collection | X | | | X | X | | X | |
| Special Studies & Research | X | | | X | X | | X | |
| Regulation & Permits | X | | | | X | | | X |
| Projects & Programs | X | | X | X | X | X | | |
| Capital Improvements in Plan | X | X | X | X | X | X | | |

| 103 Fiscal Authorities And WMO Types | District-wide Ad valorem [103B.241] Pay costs to prepare plan and implement projects in an approved plan. | Capital Improvements Certification to County for Payment [103B.251] Projects must be in an approved CIP. | Special Tax District Local Government Unit [103B.245] Pay for costs of plan development and capital costs identified in an approved CIP. | Stormwater Utility Fees or Charges |
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| Watershed Districts (Operating with approved 103B.201 plan) | X WD may also use 103D.905 to raise funds on an ad valorem basis. | X WD may apportion costs district-wide, or <i>possibly</i> by subwatershed units and require the establishment of more than one tax district in the watershed. | | X 103D.729, 103D.730, 444.075, Subd. 2a Provides WDs the ability to establish water management districts and charges to pay costs for stormwater projects. |
| ¹ Joint Powers WMO (Acting as its own entity and authorized in the JPA) | X WMO may raise funds on an ad valorem basis if listed as a special taxing district in chapter 275.066. | X WMO may apportion costs district-wide, or <i>possibly</i> by subwatershed units and require the establishment of more than one tax district in the watershed. | | |
| Municipalities (Cities or towns acting as a member of a JPA WMO) | X Municipalities have authority under chapters 426-435 | | X Municipalities can set up special taxing districts that encompass the entire city or subwatershed units (as defined by the WMO) within the city. | X Municipalities have authority to establish under chapter 444.075. |
| County (Acting as WMO) | X Counties are listed as a special taxing district in chapter 275.066 (23). | X Counties are listed as a special taxing district in chapter 275.066 (23). | X County may apportion costs by subwatershed units or by cities and towns and may establish one or more watershed management tax districts. | |

¹ Funding options within the bold boxes are available to all Watershed Management Organizations in the Metro, i.e. joint powers agreement or watershed district, however specifically note 103B.241 limitation to JPA WMOs.

* All funding options are outside of levy limits.

* Watershed Districts may fund projects with Special Assessments under 103D.601, .605 or .701.