

Cass County Commissioners vote to support diversion on ND side

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The commission voted unanimously to support the project at a meeting today in Fargo. Commissioners say just because they choose to support a diversion project does not mean they will shy away from supporting other ideas.

They say that someone needs to make a move toward flood protection. People from the watershed board say the project would protect people around the Maple and Sheyenne rivers.

"It's the last cog in the wheel as far as the major cities in the state getting flood control."

The joint watershed district can create a taxing authority if property owners approve.

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