

June 7, 2024

John Regan  
Waterville-Elysian-Morristown School District (WEM)  
500 E Paquin St  
Waterville MN 56096

Hi, John,

On behalf of MREA's 237 public school district members, thank you for your district's membership that helps us proactively engage with legislators and state officials to address Greater Minnesota P-12 education funding and policy issues. With the 2023-24 school year behind us, Waterville-Elysian-Morristown School District (WEM)'s renewed membership for the 2024-25 school year is fundamental to MREA's advocacy targeting student learning and funding gaps.

**Advocacy Focused on Greater Minnesota Education**

MREA is your district's voice at the Capitol, and we advocate with education officials and with legislators representing Waterville-Elysian-Morristown School District (WEM) to inform them of potential impacts of their decisions. Our recent successes for rural education include:

- READ Act funding improvements for students and teachers
- Postponement of high school civics education requirements
- Additional VPK slots
- Student Teacher Stipend Pilot program funding
- Student Attendance Pilot project sites funded
- *Check out all our recent Accomplishments on the enclosed flyer.*

Count on MREA to work for your district outside the Capitol, too, with:

- Professional development and networking at our Greater Education Summit
- Truth-in-Taxation (TNT) training and templates
- Educator and school program awards celebrating rural education

**Looking Ahead to a Successful 2025**

Looking ahead to the 2025 legislative session, we know that **when we work together, we succeed together**. The Voice for Greater Minnesota Education has never been stronger, and we sincerely appreciate Waterville-Elysian-Morristown School District (WEM)'s renewed membership. Please send your membership dues and updated contact information by July 15 to ensure our rural voice remains impactful.

Best wishes for a summer of well-being,



**Michelle Rinke Koch**, MREA Board President  
Principal, Menahga Schools



**Bob Indihar**, MREA Executive Director



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# MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL INVOICE

**Invoice Number:** 2425-5000-1452-01

**Invoice Date:** June 7, 2024

**Payment Due:** July 15, 2024

**Amount Due: \$1871.00**

**Bill to**

**Waterville-Elysian-Morristown School District (WEM)**

John Regan

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Waterville MN 56096

Items	Quantity	Price	Amount
<b>2024-25 ISD 2143 Membership   July 1 - June 30</b>			
• Base Fee*	1	\$1100	\$1100.00
• Legislative Fee \$1/APU (maximum of \$1400)	771 APU	\$771	\$771.00
		<b>Total</b>	\$1871.00
		<b>Amount Due</b>	\$1871.00

\*Districts sharing superintendents must each join MREA to receive discounted Base Fee of \$825. Contact MREA if Shared District has changed.

**CONTACT INFORMATION** (Please review and update)

**District Name:** Waterville-Elysian-Morristown School District (WEM) **\*Shared District:** NA

**Superintendent Cell Phone:** NEEDED

**Primary Contact:** John Regan

**Principal Place of Business:** 500 E Paquin St

**Contact Position Title:** Superintendent

**City, State, Zip:** Waterville, MN 56096

**Contact Email:** jregan@wem.k12.mn.us

**Website Address:** www.wem.k12.mn.us

**District Phone:** 507 - 362-4432

**County:** LeSueur

**SIGNATURE** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date** \_\_\_\_\_

*Signature is consent to membership and to receive member notices at primary contact's email address.*

**QUESTIONS?** Contact Diane Vosen, Operations Director, at (320) 762-6574.

*Minnesota Rural Education Association is a nonprofit 501(c)(4) membership association, and dues are not tax deductible as charitable contributions. We estimate 41.8% of FY25 dues will be attributable to non-deductible lobbying activity and are not deductible under Internal Revenue Code Section 162 as an ordinary and necessary business expense. Notify your accountant.*

Thank you for your membership! Please remit this form and check payable to MREA, to:

MREA | 2233 Roosevelt Rd, Ste 7 | St. Cloud, MN 56301.