



## Wright Soil & Water Conservation District

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Memo

To: Wright County Board

From: Alicia O'Hare-Water Resource Specialist

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RE: CD3 Ownership

I am asking that the board consider taking on the ownership of up to five waterless cleaning stations made by the company CD3. These units help boater follow best practices before and after they launch equipment onto Wright County lakes. Additionally, the units have telemetry that tracks the time and tool type used (no personal data is requested or tracked). The units will be free for use by anyone.

Funding for the units and maintenance will come from several entities: AIS Local Aid Fund (via Wright SWCD), Cedar Lake Conservation Club, Sugar Lake Association, and a grant from LCCMR (pending legislation).

The units will be permanent fixtures at the landings and powered by solar panels. The accesses currently proposed are: Cedar West (DNR), Sugar South (DNR), Pleasant North (County), Pleasant South (City of Annandale), and West Sylvia (DNR). For the accesses that are not owned by the county intended to enter in a no cost lease (attached).

The county already owns one of these units which is located on the Schroder County access on Cedar Lake. Additionally, the county owns the decontamination unit that is operated and maintained by the SWCD.