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City of West Allis Matter Summary

7525 W. Greenfield Ave.
West Allis, WI 53214

File Number	Title	Status
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2009-0790

Communication

Introduced

Southeastern Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission communication providing a copy of SEWRPC Technical Report No. 39, Water Quality Conditions and Sources of Pollution in the Greater Milwaukee Watersheds; a request to endorse the water quality management plan update; and a request to participate in The Southeastern Wisconsin Watersheds Trust (SWWT).

Introduced: 12/15/2009

Controlling Body: Public Works Committee

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

Approve & Place on File

ACTION DATE:	MOVER	SECONDER		AYE	NO	PRESENT	EXCUSED
<i>12/15/2009</i>			Barczak	✓			
			Czaplewski	✓			
			Kopplin				
			Lajsic				
			Narloek				
			Reinke				
		✓		Roadt	✓		
				Sengstock	✓		
			Vitale				
		✓	Weigel	✓			

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SIGNATURE OF COMMITTEE MEMBER

[Signature]

Chair

Vice-Chair

Member

COMMON COUNCIL ACTION

Approve and place in file

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SOUTHEASTERN WISCONSIN REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION

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December 1, 2009

The Honorable Dan Devine
Mayor
City of West Allis
7525 W. Greenfield Avenue
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Serving the Counties of:

✓ Mr. Paul Ziehler
Administrator-Clerk-Treasurer
City of West Allis
7525 W. Greenfield Avenue
West Allis, WI 53214

KENOSHA
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RACINE
WALWORTH
WASHINGTON
WAUKESHA



Dear Mayor and President and Members of the City of West Allis Common Council:

In July 2008, we provided you with a certified copy of SEWRPC Planning Report No. 50 (PR No. 50), *A Regional Water Quality Management Plan Update for the Greater Milwaukee Watersheds*, published in two parts in December 2007. We are now providing you a compact disk containing SEWRPC Technical Report, No. 39, *Water Quality Conditions and Sources of Pollution in the Greater Milwaukee Watersheds*, the companion report to PR No. 50.

Technical Report No. 39 (TR No. 39) sets forth comprehensive 1) inventories and analyses of measured water quality data, 2) instream and riparian habitat evaluations, and 3) inventory and simulation model information on point and nonpoint sources of pollution. The information presented in TR No. 39 was used in developing the regional water quality management plan update set forth in PR No. 50, and is a valuable resource for citizens, State and Federal agencies, counties and municipalities, nongovernmental organizations, private business, and academic institutions interested in water quality conditions in the greater Milwaukee watersheds.

The City is one of many designated management agencies with roles in plan implementation. It is respectfully requested that, upon the recommendation of appropriate committees, the Common Council endorse the water quality management plan update documented in SEWRPC PR No. 50 as a basis for decision-making in water quality matters dealing with 1) abatement of both point and nonpoint sources of water pollution; 2) improvement of instream, inflake, and riparian habitat; and 3) management of groundwater, and provide the Commission with the resolution of endorsement. A model resolution for plan endorsement that can be adapted for your use is included as Appendix T in Part Two of PR No. 50. Endorsement of the plan is important to help assure a common understanding among the various levels and agencies of government concerned with the many different aspects of regional water quality management and the physical development of the Region and to enable work to continue on plan implementation.

The Southeastern Wisconsin Watersheds Trust (SWWT) is a voluntary organization that has been formed to promote watershed-based implementation of the plan, to involve all and stakeholders in plan implementation, and to assist designated management agencies with plan implementation. The City is encouraged to actively participate in SWWT. More information on SWWT can be found at www.swwtwater.org.

Both TR No. 39 and PR No. 50 are published on the Commission web site (www.sewrpc.org, under "Data and Publications"). Limited additional printed or compact disk copies are available upon request. If the Commission or its staff can be of any assistance during your consideration of the plan, please do not hesitate to contact Michael G. Hahn of the Commission staff at (262) 547-6721.

Sincerely,

Kenneth R. Yunker, P.E.
Executive Director

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Enclosure

c: John Stibal

Appendix T

MODEL RESOLUTION FOR ENDORSEMENT OF THE REGIONAL WATER QUALITY MANAGEMENT PLAN UPDATE FOR THE GREATER MILWAUKEE WATERSHEDS

WHEREAS, the Southeastern Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission, which was duly created by the Governor of the State of Wisconsin in accordance with Section 66.0309(2) of the *Wisconsin Statutes* on the 8th day of August 1960, upon petition of the Counties of Kenosha, Milwaukee, Ozaukee, Racine, Walworth, Washington, and Waukesha, has the function and duty of making and adopting a master plan for the physical development of the Region; and

WHEREAS, the Governor of the State of Wisconsin has designated the seven-county Southeastern Wisconsin Region as an areawide water quality management planning area and the Southeastern Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission as the official water quality management planning agency for that area, all in accordance with the procedural requirements set forth in Section 208 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act; and

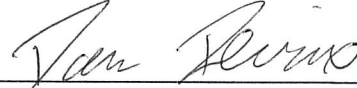
WHEREAS, the Southeastern Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission, pursuant to its function and duty as a regional planning agency and its designation as a water quality management planning agency, has prepared and adopted at its meeting held on the ___ day of _____ 200_, an update to the areawide water quality management plan set forth in a report entitled, SEWRPC Planning Report No. 50, *A Regional Water Quality Management Plan Update for the Greater Milwaukee Watersheds*, published in _____ 200_ ; and

WHEREAS, the Commission has transmitted certified copies of its resolution adopting the regional water quality management plan update for the greater Milwaukee watersheds, together with the aforementioned SEWRPC Planning Report No. 50, to the local units of government concerned and to the appropriate State and Federal agencies; and

WHEREAS, the (name of local governing body) has supported, participated in the financing of, and generally concurred in the regional planning programs undertaken by the Southeastern Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission, and believes that the regional water quality management plan update prepared by the Commission is a sound and valuable guide to water quality management in the development of not only the Region but also the local community, and that the adoption of such plan by the (name of local governing body) will assure a common understanding by the units and agencies of government concerned and enable these units and agencies of government to program the necessary plan implementation work.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that, pursuant to Section 66.0309(12) of the *Wisconsin Statutes*, the (Name of Local Governing Body) on the ____ day of _____, 200_, hereby endorses the regional water quality management plan update for the greater Milwaukee watersheds previously adopted by the Commission as set forth in SEWRPC Planning Report No. 50 as a guide for regional and community development.

BE IT FURTHER HEREBY RESOLVED that the _____ clerk transmit a certified copy of this resolution to the Southeastern Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission and to the Secretary of the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources.



(President, Mayor, or Chairman
of the Local Governing Body)

ATTESTATION:

(Clerk of Local Governing Body)

Janel Lemanske

From: Janel Lemanske
Sent: Tuesday, December 29, 2009 8:26 AM
To: Michael Lewis
Cc: Monica Schultz
Subject: RE: SWRPLC

Thank you.

-----Original Message-----

From: Michael Lewis
Sent: Tuesday, December 29, 2009 8:24 AM
To: Janel Lemanske
Subject: RE: SWRPLC

Not right now or maybe in the future. It's a feel good plan without know costs and until we know the costs (if we ever will), I told the Board to simply place on the file the communication.

-----Original Message-----

From: Janel Lemanske
Sent: Tuesday, December 29, 2009 8:21 AM
To: Michael Lewis
Subject: SWRPLC

Mike,

Will you be drafting a resolution based on the communication received from the Southeastern WI Regional Planning Commission's communication (paragraph #3)?

Janel

Tracking:	Recipient	Read
	Michael Lewis	Read: 12/29/2009 8:26 AM
	Monica Schultz	Read: 12/29/2009 8:28 AM