Resolution CARPC No. 2017-14

Recommending to the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources Amendment of the Dane County Water Quality Management Plan by Revising the Cross Plains Sewer Service Area Boundary and Environmental Corridors in the Town of Berry and the Village of Cross Plains

WHEREAS, the Capital Area Regional Planning Commission (CARPC) is a duly created regional planning commission under Wis. Stat. § 66.0309; and

WHEREAS, the CARPC has an agreement with the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (WDNR) to provide water quality management planning assistance to the WDNR; and

WHEREAS, the CARPC has adopted, reaffirmed, and recommended amendment of the Water Quality Management Plan for Dane County; and

WHEREAS, said plan delineates urban and limited service areas and environmental corridors as amended through July 2017; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Cross Plains has requested an addition to the Cross Plains Sewer Service Area; and

WHEREAS, a staff analysis of the proposed amendment has been prepared, which indicates that the amendment is consistent with the water quality standards under Wis. Stat. § 281.15.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that in accordance with Wis. Stat. § 66.0309, and Sec. 208 of Public Law 92–500, the Capital Area Regional Planning Commission recommends the amendment of the Dane County Water Quality Management Plan by revising the Cross Plains Sewer Service Area boundaries as shown on the attached map.

The recommendation for approval of this amendment is based on the Village of Cross Plains submitted proposal and conditioned on the Village’s continued commitment to pursuing the following:

1. Submit a detailed stormwater management plan for Regional Planning Commission staff review and approval (in conjunction with DCL&WCD staff) prior to any land disturbing activities in the amendment area. The stormwater management plan shall include the following:

   a. Install stormwater and erosion control practices prior to other land disturbing activities. Protect infiltration practices from compaction and sedimentation during land disturbing activities.

   b. Control peak rates of runoff for the 1-, 2-, 10-, and 100-year 24-hour design storms to pre-development levels, in accordance with the Village of Cross Plains Stormwater Ordinance.

   c. Maintain the post development stay-on volume to at least 100% of the pre-development stay-on volume for the one-year average annual rainfall period, in accordance with the Village of Cross Plains Stormwater Ordinance.
d. Maintain pre-development groundwater recharge rates from the Wisconsin Geological and Natural History Survey’s 2012 report, *Groundwater Recharge in Dane County, Wisconsin, Estimated by a GIS-Based Water-Balance Model* (a range of 9 to 14 inches/year for the amendment area) or by a site specific analysis, in accordance with the Village of Cross Plains Stormwater Ordinance.

e. Provide at least 80% sediment control for the amendment area based on the 1-year, 24-hour design storm, with a minimum of 60% of that control occurring in a retention pond prior to infiltration, in accordance with the Village of Cross Plains Stormwater Ordinance.

f. Reduce the temperature of stormwater discharge to meet WDNR cold water standards, in accordance with the Village of Cross Plains Stormwater Ordinance.

2. Conduct a field verification for areas of the development site considered suitable for infiltration including a site assessment for karst features as required by the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources Conservation Practice Standard 1002 - Site Evaluation for Stormwater Infiltration.

3. Stormwater management facilities shall be placed in public outlots whenever feasible and designated as environmental corridor. Easements and perpetual legal maintenance agreements with the Village, to allow the Village to maintain stormwater management facilities if owners fail to do so, shall be provided for any facilities located on private property.

4. Delineate environmental corridors to include the intermittent stream, associated buffers, and riparian steep wooded slopes, and stormwater management areas to meet Dane County Water Quality Plan criteria for the delineation of environmental corridors. Submit plats showing environmental corridors for Regional Planning Commission staff review and approval prior to recording. Any environmental corridor on private property shall be protected by deed restrictions and neighborhood covenants.

It is also recommended that the Village of Cross Plain pursue the following measures:

1. Consider distributed infiltration facilities, such as terrace bioretention, residential rain gardens and porous pavement upstream of the proposed stormwater management facilities locations should limiting conditions be found at the proposed infiltration locations.

2. Encourage the responsible use of deicers as part of the WI Salt Wise Partnership.

3. Work with Regional Planning Commission staff to develop a long term water supply plan for the Village using the regional groundwater model.

4. Conduct joint comprehensive planning with the Town of Berry and the Town of Cross Plains.

September 14, 2017
Date Adopted

Larry Palm, Chairperson

Kris Hampton, Secretary