

Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources  
SWIMS Project Summary

General Project Information

**Project ID:** SSA Plan Hudson

**Name:** Hudson SSA Plan (1998 to 2020)

**Type:** Water Quality Planning

**Subtype:** Sewer Service Area Plans

**Status:** COMPLETE

**Start Date:** 6/17/2015

**End Date:** 12/31/2099

**Purpose:** The Hudson Urban Area is located in the southwestern quadrant of St. Croix County which lies in West Central Wisconsin. This rapidly urbanizing area is about 18 miles east of the Cities of Minneapolis and St. Paul, and about 66 miles west of Eau Claire, Wisconsin.

Minneapolis and St. Paul are the central cities of the Minneapolis-St. Paul Metropolitan Statistical Area which encompasses St. Croix County. The City of Eau Claire is the central city of the Chippewa-Eau Claire Metropolitan Statistical Area which includes all of Chippewa and Eau Claire Counties. The City of Hudson, which has a land area of approximately 3.6 square miles, and to its north, the Village of North Hudson, about 1.5 square miles in size, lie at the western edge of the Town of Hudson. The Town of Hudson covers approximately 28.8 square miles and lies between the Town of St. Joseph to the north (34.94 square miles) and the Town of Troy to the south (41.71 square miles). The First Ward of the City of River Falls extends north from Pierce County into the Town of Troy. The Town of Warren (approximately 35.6 square miles) is directly east of the Town of Hudson and the southern one-third of the Town of St. Joseph, and contains the Village of Roberts.

**Objective:** The establishment of a planning area assists in focusing sewer service area study efforts to a well defined geographic area and facilitates a comprehensive examination of data needed in the planning effort. The criteria used in delineating the Planning Area included:

- The recognition of areawide land use trends and patterns;
- The recognition that water quality and growth problems are areawide concerns; and,
- The delineation of planning areas in previous planning efforts.

Based on these criteria the Hudson Area Urban Sewer Service Planning Committee selected as the study or planning area for the sewer service area plan update the area encompassing all of the Towns of Hudson, St. Joseph and Troy, and the incorporated areas of the City of Hudson and the Village of North Hudson. In addition, the western half of the Town of Warren will be a supplemental study area regarding the potential for sanitary sewer service. Not all of the data collected for the Planning Area contains information for the western half of the Town of Warren. Hence, the plan focuses on the Towns of Hudson, St. Joseph and Troy, and the City of Hudson and the Village of North Hudson. The Planning Area encompasses approximately 83,000 acres. Map 1 outlines the Planning Area boundary and the municipality boundaries. For the purpose of the Plan, the Planning Area will also be referred to as the Hudson Urban Area or Hudson Area.

**Comments:**

**Outcome:**

**Study Design:**

**QA Measures:**

People						
Name	Role	Status	Start Date	End Date	Organization	Comments

Project Statuses

Date	Reported By	Status	Comments
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Actions					
Action	Detailed Description		Start Date	End Date	Status
Sewer Service Area Planning	The Hudson Urban Area is located in the southwestern quadrant of St. Croix County which lies in West Central Wisconsin. This rapidly urbanizing area is about 18 miles east of the Cities of Minneapolis and St. Paul, and about 66 miles west of Eau Claire, Wisconsin.		6/17/2015	12/31/2099	COMPLETE

Monitoring Stations		
Station ID	Name	Comments

Assessment Units			
WBIC	Segment	Local Name	Official Name
2606900	82	Race Branch Willow River	Willow River

Lab Account Codes			
Account Code	Description	Start Date	End Date

Forms	
Form Code	Form Name

Methods	
Method Code	Method Description

Fieldwork Events				
Start Date	Status	Field ID	Station ID	Station Name

Documents				
Title	Description	Author	Published	Comments
Upper Willow River Watershed (SC03) Goals and Priorities Image			6/22/2011	
WCWRPC Hudson SSA Plan (1998) Plan Approval Letter	Hudson SSA Plan (1998) Plan Approval Letter	WCWRPC	6/18/1998	
WCWRPC Hudson SSA Plan (1998) for 2020	Hudson SSA Plan (1998) for 2020	WCWRPC	6/18/1998	
WCWRPC Hudson SSA Plan (2007) Amendment Request	Hudson SSA Plan Amendment (2007)	WCWRPC	6/18/2007	

Budget	
Combined Budgets:	
Combined WSLH:	
Combined Total:	\$0.00

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Funding					
Organization	Source	Type	Amount	Start Date	End Date