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June 11, 2018

Mr. Timothy R. Asplund Monitoring Section Chief WDNR – Bureau of Water Quality 101 S. Webster Street Madison, WI 53707-7921

Re: Water Quality Management Letter for Sewer Service Area Amendment Request #1801 – Waunakee USA

Dear Mr. Asplund,

On May 1, 2018, the Village of Waunakee submitted a sewer service area amendment application to the Capital Area Regional Planning Commission requesting an expansion of the Waunakee Urban Service Area. The proposed amendment is located in the Six Mile Creek watershed. The proposed amendment includes the addition of approximately 2.3 acres of land, all of which are existing development (consisting of a single family home currently served by a septic system), resulting in the additional of no net developable acres to the Waunakee Urban Service Area. There are no environmentally sensitive areas requiring placement in environmental corridors in accordance with the adopted policies and criteria of the *Dane County Water Quality Plan*. A public hearing was held on the proposed amendment at the June 11, 2018 Regional Planning Commission meeting. The Village's application and the Commission staff's analysis report of the proposed amendment have been submitted to the Department's Surface Water Integrated Monitoring System.

It is the Capital Area Regional Planning Commission staff's opinion that the proposed amendment is consistent with water quality standards under Wis. Stat. § 281.15.

At our June 11, 2018 meeting, the Capital Area Regional Planning Commission voted to recommend approval of this amendment to the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources, based on the land uses and services proposed. Additional actions have also been recommended below to further improve water quality and environmental resource management:

1. It is recommended that the property owner consider installation of a rain garden to more effectively manage the stormwater runoff from the property.

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If you have any questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact Mike Rupiper, the Commission's Director of Environmental Resources Planning.

Sincerely,

Larry Palm

Executive Chairperson

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Secretary

cc: Mr. Todd Schmidt, Administrator / Economic Development Director, Village of Waunakee

Mr. Tom Wilson, Attorney/Administrator/Clerk-Treasurer, Town of Westport

