

SAMPLE RESOLUTION FOR COMMUNITIES, GOVERNMENTS & ORGANIZATIONS TO USE TO ENDORSE THE PLAN

**Acknowledgment of Endorsement of the Integrated Management Plan
for the Fox River Watershed in Illinois**

WHEREAS, the Watershed Planning Committee of the Fox River Ecosystem Partnership has developed the Integrated Management Plan for the Fox River Watershed in Illinois; and

WHEREAS, the vision of the Integrated Management Plan for the Fox River Watershed in Illinois is to balance all of the uses and demands on our natural resources while preserving and enhancing a healthy environment; and

WHEREAS, the plan promotes sensible growth and development, improves stormwater management, and preserves and enhances ground and surface-water quality and quantity; and

WHEREAS, the plan maximizes the aesthetic and year-round recreational potential of the Fox River watershed; promotes development of a comprehensive program to identify, protect and restore natural habitats, and promotes the development of an effective program of education and awareness to reach residents and decision makers in the watershed; and

WHEREAS, the Integrated Management Plan for the Fox River Watershed in Illinois was developed through a consensus-bases process and involved businesses, non-profit organizations, individuals, agencies, and governments; and

WHEREAS, the Integrated Management Plan for the Fox River Watershed in Illinois is consistent with the goals and objectives the Draft Kane County Stormwater Management Ordinance, the Blackberry Creek Watershed Management Plan, the Nippersink Creek Watershed Plan, and the Chicago Wilderness Biodiversity Recovery Plan.

NOW, THEREFORE IT BE RESOLVED that the «**OrganizationName**» offers an acknowledgement of endorsement of the Integrated Management Plan for the Fox River Watershed in Illinois

Enacted and approved on this ____ day of _____, ____ at _____, Illinois.

BY: _____

ATTEST: BY: _____

PLEASE FORWARD A COPY OF YOUR PASSED & SIGNED RESOLUTION TO:

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