

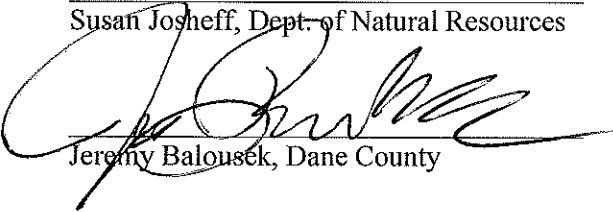
DATE: April 21, 2016
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FROM: Susan Josheff - SC
SUBJECT: Green Tier Clear Waters Initiative (GTCWI) Charter Renewal

The Green Tier Clear Waters Initiative Charter initial went into effect on February 9, 2006 and was renewed for an additional 5 year term on April 25, 2011. The Charter continues to be very effective with results that include reductions of sediment into surface waters, as well as strengthening valuable professional relationships. The charter members and regular attendees are sincere in their efforts to influence not only the local erosion control and storm water management standards but statewide standards to improve water quality. Over the last 5 years Charter members have been instrumental in achieving the following goals.

- Successfully participated in the Standards Oversight Council for new storm drain inlet control design. The new technical standard was promulgated in 2014.
- Successfully participated in the Standards Oversight Council new permeable pavement technical standard. The technical standard was promulgated in 2015.
- Active participation in the design, funding and installation a permeable pavement research site in Madison.
- Developed a sub-group of Charter members and interested parties to review the need to update the technical standard for media-filled perimeter control products and make a recommendation to the Standards Oversight Council.


Board members have discussed renewal of the Charter, and it is the desire of the members to continue the relationship and the work performed under this Charter.

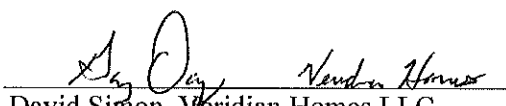
It is the intent of the undersigned GTCWI Board of Directors to continue the current Charter relationship.


Susan Josheff, Dept. of Natural Resources

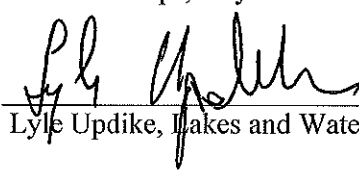
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