



April 6, 2016

Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources
P.O. Box 7921
Madison, WI 53707-7921
SENT BY ELECTRONIC MAIL

Re: CSWAB Request for Public Informational Meeting

Dear Mr. Aquino,

We are writing regarding the recent request by the Citizens for Safe Water Around Badger (CSWAB) for a public informational meeting regarding recent plans and approvals related to contamination in Gruber's Grove Bay. We support this request and ask the Department to schedule this meeting for all interested citizens.

The Lake Wisconsin Alliance (LWA) mission is to balance the diverse interests of the Lake Wisconsin community while improving water quality, recreational opportunities, and sustaining a healthy ecosystem within the Lake Wisconsin watershed. Therefore we believe support of such a meeting is consistent with our goals and provides an opportunity for further education and communication regarding this ongoing project. Currently we have more than 160 members most of whom live on or near Lake Wisconsin and in our efforts to keep the local community informed of any actions that may affect the water quality of Lake Wisconsin we would greatly appreciate a public meeting to help us better understand the potential risks that may exist in Gruber's Grove.

We look forward to the Department's response to the CSWAB and LWA requests for a meeting and the opportunity to learn more about the status of this ongoing cleanup effort. Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kirk Boehm". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Kirk" and last name "Boehm" clearly distinguishable.

Kirk Boehm
President, LWA

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