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Mr. Doug Willmore
Chief Administrative Officer
Mayor's Office
Rm. N2100, Government Center
Salt Lake City, Utah

October 21, 2008

Dear Mr. Willmore:

The Salt Lake County Council, at its meeting held this day, approved the attached RESOLUTION NO. 4195, supporting the Water Quality Stewardship Plan (WaQSP) as Salt Lake County's new Area-Wide Water Quality Management Plan.

Respectfully yours,

SALT LAKE COUNTY COUNCIL

SHERRIE SWENSEN, COUNTY CLERK

By _________________________________
Deputy Clerk
October 6, 2008

Honorable Michael Jensen, Chair
Salt Lake County Council
2001 South State, N2200
Salt Lake City, Utah 84190-1010

Re: Resolution Regarding the Water Quality Stewardship Plan (WaQSP)

Dear Councilman Jensen:

In order to establish the recently finalized Water Quality Stewardship Plan (WaQSP) as the new Area-Wide Water Quality Management Plan, we ask that the County Council pass the attached resolution.

Once the resolution has been passed, we will forward the WaQSP to the Governor and Environmental Protection Agency (Region VIII) for certification. The Council of Governments (COG) passed a similar resolution on August 7, 2008 (see attached).

Thank you for your continued support of this planning effort.

Sincerely,

Doug Willmore, Chief Administrative Officer
Salt Lake County Office of the Mayor

Attachments
SALT LAKE COUNTY COUNCIL
RESOLUTION

SALT LAKE COUNTYWIDE WATER QUALITY STEWARDSHIP PLAN (WaQSP)
September, 2008

BE IT KNOWN BY THESE PRESENTS:

Whereas, the “Salt Lake Countywide Water Quality Stewardship Plan (WaQSP), 2009” is an update of the existing Area-Wide Water Quality Management Plan, which was sponsored by the Salt Lake County Council of Governments and Salt Lake County in the late 1970’s; and,

Whereas, the WaQSP is written and directed toward the development and completion of specific implementation activities designed to restore and protect water quality in the Salt Lake Countywide Watershed; and,

Whereas, Salt Lake County Council recognizes the importance of water quality planning and stewardship activities throughout Salt Lake County; and,

Whereas, significant opportunities exist to protect and improve water quality and watershed function in Salt Lake County; and,

Whereas, Salt Lake County, through its Engineering Division of its Public Works Department, has worked collaboratively with various stakeholders to implement water quality enhancement projects in the past and anticipates further collaboration; and,

Whereas, Salt Lake County commends the work of its Engineering Division, but recognizes the need for a wide range of policies, planning, and implementation activities researched and proposed by many agencies as necessary to maintain and improve water quality and watershed function;

Therefore, Be It Resolved, that the Salt Lake County Council supports the policies and recommendations contained in the “2009 Salt Lake Countywide Water Quality Stewardship Plan”; and,

Be It Further Resolved, that the Salt Lake County Council recognizes the Water Quality Stewardship Plan as the new Area-Wide Water Quality Management Plan and seeks to work collaboratively with regulatory agencies, citizens, and other relevant organizations to continue water quality planning efforts over the next six years and beyond; and,
Be It Further Resolved, that the Salt Lake County Council urges the citizens of Salt Lake County to actively participate in water quality planning and enhancement activities.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 21st day of October, 2008.

SALT LAKE COUNTY COUNCIL

By: Michael Jensen, Chair

RESOLUTION HISTORY

Councilman Allen voting "aye"
Councilman Bradley voting "aye"
Councilman Crockett voting "aye"
Councilman Hatch voting "aye"
Councilman Hendrickson voting "aye"
Councilman Horiuchi voting "aye"
Councilman Jensen voting "aye"
Councilman Wilde voting "aye"
Councilwoman Wilson voting "aye"

ATTEST (SEAL)

By: Sherrie Swensen, County Clerk
SALT LAKE COUNTY COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS
RESOLUTION

SALT LAKE COUNTYWIDE WATER QUALITY STEWARDSHIP PLAN (WaQSP)
August, 2008

Whereas, the Salt Lake Countywide Water Quality Stewardship Plan (WaQSP) is an update of the existing Area-Wide Water Quality Management Plan, which was sponsored by SLCOG and Salt Lake County in the late 1970s; and,

Whereas, the WaQSP is written and directed toward the development and completion of specific implementation activities designed to restore and protect water quality in Salt Lake County; and,

Whereas, SLCOG recognizes the importance of water quality planning and stewardship activities in Salt Lake County; and,

Whereas, significant opportunities exist to protect and improve water quality and watershed function in Salt Lake County; and,

Whereas, SLCOG has worked collaboratively with various stakeholders to implement water quality enhancement projects in the past and anticipates further collaboration; and,

Whereas, SLCOG recognizes the need for a wide range of policies, planning, and implementation activities necessary to maintain and improve water quality and watershed function in Salt Lake County, now

Therefore Be It Resolved, that the Salt Lake County Council of Governments supports the policies and recommendations contained in the 2009 Salt Lake Countywide Water Quality Stewardship Plan; and,

Be It Further Resolved, that the SLCOG seeks to work collaboratively with regulatory agencies, citizens, and other relevant organizations to continue water quality planning efforts over the next six years and beyond; and,

Be It Further Resolved, that the SLCOG urges the citizens of Salt Lake County to actively participate in water quality planning and enhancement activities.

Approved this 7th day of August, 2008

Mayor Peter Corroon, President
SL County COG