



## Council Agenda Item

Meeting Date: January 16, 2024

Agenda Item: Strand Task Order 24-02

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### BACKGROUND

(Enter the who, what when, where, why)

The City of Whitewater has a Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System (MS4) permit from the DNR. One requirement of this permit is to update the City's Stormwater Quality Management Plan (SQMP). The SQMP updates where the City stands in compliance with Phosphorus and Total Suspended Solids removal in meeting the Rock River total maximum daily load (TMDL) criteria. The SQMP also provides alternative analysis and an implementation plan on how the City plans on meeting the TMDL criteria in the future. The last update to the SQMP was done in 2017.

### PREVIOUS ACTIONS – COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS

(Dates, committees, action taken)

N/A

### FINANCIAL IMPACT

(If none, state N/A)

The estimated cost on an hourly rate basis plus expenses is \$85,000. A DNR Planning Grant in the amount of \$42,500 has already been awarded to the City to help offset the expense.

### STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommendation is to approve Task Order 24-02.

### ATTACHMENT(S) INCLUDED

(If none, state N/A)

1. Draft Task Order 24-02, Stormwater Quality Management Plan Update