Resolution CARPC No. 2008-1

Adopting the Revised Dane County Water Quality Plan Policies and Criteria

WHEREAS, the Capital Area Regional Planning Commission (CARPC) was created by Executive Order 197 effective May 2, 2007, with the intent that the CARPC would become the designated Areawide Water Quality Planning Agency (AWQPA) for Dane County under sec. NR 121.06 (2)(a), Wis. Adm. Code, upon approval of the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources and the United States Environmental Protection Agency; and

WHEREAS, before the CARPC can be designated as the AWQPA, the Commission must adopt a water quality plan containing policy goals and objectives for protecting and enhancing water quality as Dane County communities grow and expand sewer service areas; and

WHEREAS, the CARPC has reviewed the policies which governed expansion of Urban Service Areas and Limited Service Areas under the former Dane County Regional Planning Commission (DCRPC); and

WHEREAS, discussion by the Commission members has formulated a proposed set of criteria with significant modifications to the former criteria; and

WHEREAS, the Commission scheduled and conducted a public hearing on January 24, 2008 on the proposed criteria, and has received written and oral comments on the criteria and made revisions in response to pubic input received; and

WHEREAS, the Dane County Water Quality Plan is consistent with the natural resource protection element of the state Comprehensive Planning law, §66.1001

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:

1. The CARPC adopts the 2004 Dane County Water Quality Plan, as revised in draft document dated 12/14/07, and as further amended by Commission action today on Section I.1. Paragraph I (line 33, regarding flexibility margin) and Section I.2. Paragraph G (line 129, regarding the FUDA process) and Section I.2. Paragraph D and Section II.4. Paragraph C (lines 89 and 246, regarding Agricultural Loss Mitigation additional language), as part of the state Water Quality Plan administered by the Wisconsin DNR as part of the Regional Master Plan under §66.0309, Wis. Stats.
2. The CARPC will create an advisory group for the purposes of soliciting and receiving input by local units of government on the policies and criteria in the month of December 2008 to be reviewed by the Commission in January 2009.

February 28, 2008
Date Adopted

George Kamperschroer, Vice-Chairperson