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TO: Watershed Management Ordinance Stakeholders

SUBJECT: Amendment to the Watershed Management Ordinance

The Watershed Management Ordinance (WMO) Regulates development within Cook County and sewer construction within the service area of the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago (District). On January 9, 2025, the District's Board of Commissioners adopted an amendment to the WMO. Please be advised that the amended WMO is in effect immediately, and all WMO permit applications received on or after January 9, 2025, are subject to the amended version of the WMO.

A summary of the amendment is attached. The amended WMO is available on the District's website at mwr.org/wmo. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Adam Witek at WitekA@mwr.org.

Sincerely,

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Attachment