

September 22, 2020

**REPORT NO. 2020-35**

**REPORT BY THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE MAKING AN APPOINTMENT  
TO THE WATERFORD WATERWAY MANAGEMENT DISTRICT  
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**

To the Honorable Members of the Racine County Board of Supervisors:

The County is entitled to appoint one member to the Waterford Waterway Management District Board of Commissioners. The County is grateful for the service of its prior appointee, who served as a commissioner since 2009, and seeks to appoint a replacement for a term of indefinite length. I am pleased, therefore, to appoint to the Board of Commissioners:

**ALEX ABENDSCHEIN**  
6617 Willow Lane  
Waterford, WI 53185

Alex Abendschein grew up in Waterford and graduated from Waterford Union High School. He earned a bachelor's degree in criminal justice from the University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh and a master's degree in counseling and college student development from Kansas State University. In 2018, he returned to Waterford and purchased a home on Tichigan Lake. Alex is an avid outdoorsman who has a strong interest in protecting and managing the waterway for the next generations of anglers, sportsmen and recreational users. He currently works at Marquette University as a marketing manager and has used his skills to support the current WWMD board with their communication strategies. He also serves the community as an EMT for the Tichigan Volunteer Fire Company.

I ask that you confirm this appointment.

Sincerely,

Jonathan Delagrave  
County Executive