REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION (SEWRPC) AMENDMENT TO THE NATURAL AREAS AND CRITICAL SPECIES HABITAT PROTECTION AND MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR THE SOUTHEASTERN WISCONSIN REGION

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

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WHEREAS, a comprehensive inventory of "natural areas" and "critical species habitat sites" in the Southeastern Wisconsin Region was completed by the Southeastern Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission (SEWRPC) in 1994, identifying significant remaining natural areas and other areas vital to the maintenance of endangered, threatened, and rare plant and animal species in the Region, which was subsequently adopted in 1997 by the SEWRPC;

RESOLUTION BY THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND LAND USE PLANNING

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDING ADOPTION OF THE SOUTHEASTERN WISCONSIN

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Section 66.1001(4)(c) of the Wisconsin Statutes, the Racine County Board of Supervisors formally adopted the document entitled SEWRPC Community Assistance Planning Report No. 301, A Multi-Jurisdictional Comprehensive Plan for Racine County: 2035 on October 13, 2009;

**WHEREAS**, the aforementioned natural areas and critical species habitat sites are identified and illustrated in Chapter III of the Multi-Jurisdictional Comprehensive Plan for Racine County: 2035;

WHEREAS, the SEWRPC has prepared and adopted at its meeting held on December 1, 2010, an amendment to the Natural Areas and Critical Species Habitat Protection and Management Plan for the Southeastern Wisconsin Region with data as recent as 2008;

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Racine County Board of Supervisors that the SEWRPC Amendment to the Natural Areas and Critical Species Habitat Protection and Management Plan for the Southeastern Wisconsin Region is hereby adopted. A copy of said report is on file with the County Clerk and with the Racine County Planning and Development Department.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Racine County Board of Supervisors that the Racine County Clerk is directed to transmit certified copies of this resolution to all municipal clerks and to the Southeastern Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission within seven (7) days after this resolution is adopted.

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