

BASSETT CREEK WATERSHED MANAGEMENT COMMISSION

A RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION FOR THE SERVICES OF GARY HOLTER TO THE BASSETT CREEK WATERSHED MANAGEMENT COMMISSION

WHEREAS, the Bassett Creek Watershed Management Commission (the "Commission") is a joint powers organization formed by the cities of Crystal, Golden Valley, Medicine Lake, Minneapolis, Minnetonka, New Hope, Plymouth, Robbinsdale and St. Louis Park; and

WHEREAS, the Commission serves as the duly constituted watershed management organization for the Bassett Creek watershed pursuant to the Metropolitan Surface Water Management Act); and

WHEREAS, under the Act and the Commission's joint powers agreement the Commission is charged with responsibility for the management of storm water to protect persons and property from flooding and to protect and preserve the water quality of lakes, streams and wetlands of the Bassett Creek Watershed and downstream receiving waters; and

WHEREAS, Gary Holter served as a representative from the City of Medicine Lake for seven years from February 2015 to March 2022; and

WHEREAS, Gary provided support and critical coordination with residents during the development of the Jevne Park Stormwater Improvement Project feasibility study; and

WHEREAS, Gary steadfastly coordinated with Commission and city representatives in searching for ways to improve water quality in Medicine Lake within the City; and

WHEREAS, Gary served on the Commission's Education Committee and the Aquatic Plant Management/Aquatic Invasive Species Committee in 2017; and

WHEREAS, Gary gave generously of his time and talents, without compensation, to protect and improve the environment and to serve the public with integrity, vision, and respect for others.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Commissioners of the Bassett Creek Watershed Management Commission, its member cities, and the public hereby express its sincere and grateful appreciation to Gary Holter for his distinguished service to the public.

Adopted by the Board of Commissioners of the Bassett Creek Watershed Management Commission this 20th day of January, 2022.

Chair		