



BASSETT CREEK WATERSHED MANAGEMENT COMMISSION

A RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION FOR THE SERVICES OF LINDA LOOMIS  
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 Minnesota Statutes, Sections 103B.201-103B.253 (the "Metropolitan Area Surface Water Management Act"); and

WHEREAS, under said 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, Linda Loomis served as Chair of the Next Generation Plan Steering Committee for the Bassett Creek Watershed Management Commission from 2013 to 2015; and

WHEREAS, Linda led twenty-four Plan Steering Committee meetings and four workshops during the development of the 2015 – 2025 Bassett Creek Watershed Management Commission's Watershed Management Plan; and

WHEREAS, Linda provided leadership to the Committee and thoughtful insight and input during discussions with state agencies, member cities, and partnering organizations throughout the development of the Plan; and

WHEREAS, Linda gave generously of her 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 Linda Loomis for her distinguished service to the Commission.

Adopted by the Board of Commissioners of the Bassett Creek Watershed Management Commission this 17<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2015.

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Chair