



STORMWATER MANAGEMENT COMMISSION

MEMORANDUM

December 19, 2012

To: Planning Building and Zoning and Finance and Administration Committees of the Lake County Board

From: Michael Warner, Executive Director and Patty Werner, Planning Supervisor
Lake County Stormwater Management Commission

RE: Emergency Appropriation "North Mill Creek/Dutch Gap Canal Watershed Agricultural BMPs Technical Assistance Program"

ACTION REQUESTED: Approve Emergency Appropriation

- Lake County Stormwater Management Commission (SMC) has entered into an agreement with the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IL EPA) to develop and implement an agricultural best management practices technical assistance program in the North Mill Creek-Dutch Gap Canal Watershed.
- A grant in the amount of \$21,600 from IL EPA funded through the Section 319 Nonpoint Source Pollutant Reduction Program will be used to complete the project.
- SMC will be reimbursed by the IL EPA from this grant award for grant management and technical services.
- SMC will provide in-kind staff services over a 2-year period in the amount of \$14,400 as match for the grant.