

## **MEMORANDUM**

To: Stormwater Management Commission

From: Jacob Jozefowski, Water Resources Professional/DRWW Technical Coordinator

Date: March 19, 2021

RE: Des Plaines River Watershed Workgroup (DRWW) Nutrient Assessment Reduction Plan (NARP)

ACTION REQUESTED: Ratification of Scope of Work and Master Professional Services Agreement

between DRWW and Geosyntec for NARP Development -\$310,000

The DRWW has entered an agreement with Geosyntec for NARP development services. The NARP is a special condition in select DRWW members' National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit. The NARP will establish watershed-specific water quality targets for dissolved oxygen, Chlorophyll-a, total phosphorus, dissolved reactive phosphorus, and nitrogen. Additionally, the NARP will identify point and non-point source pollutant reductions needed to meet watershed-specific water quality standards and identify mechanisms to facilitate cost-effective NARP Implementation.