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SOCHACKI JPA BOARD ACTION ITEM

Meeting Date:

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Agenda Item:

Water Quality Action

Operation Committee's Recommendation:

MOTION TO DIRECT THE JPA OPERATIONS STAFF TO CREATE AND IMPLEMENT A WATER RESOURCES PLAN FOR THE SOUTH AND NORTH RICE POND WETLAND COMPLEX WITHIN SOCHACKI PARK.

Staff will provide a verbal update of discussions to date with local residents who have expressed concerns about the water quality in the wetland complex.

Three Rivers is willing to take the lead in developing and implementing a water quality plan for the park. Funding for the development of such a plan has been identified in Three River's CIP for 2020.

Development of the plan will be overseen by a steering committee whose members will include the Sochacki JPA Partners, Bassett Creek WMO, any other cities within the sub-watershed, and a citizen representative from the neighborhood adjacent to the south pond.

In addition, Three Rivers proposes to implement a first point of contact for water quality issues in Sochacki Park.