

Groundwater Advisory Committee (GAC) Teleconference
Meeting Minutes: October 18, 2006 9:00 – 11:00
Teleconference from DNR GEF 2 Room 774B
101 South Webster, Madison

Members Present: Mike Carter, Dan Duchniak, Andy Graham, Stuart Gross, Jodi Habush-Sinykin, Jill Jonas for Todd Ambs, Lawrie Kobza, Ron Kuehn, Carol McCartney, Bob Nauta

Welcome: Chair Kuehn welcomed everyone. It was decided that revisiting consensus items or advancement of new items would be taken up after the existing items on the table have been discussed.

Discussion of the [revised consensus table](#) dated 10/12/06:

- Consensus was declared for item 13, with a minor modification to change “basin” to “basins”.
- Consensus was reached for item 14f with the elimination of the two year progress reporting and substitution of an interval “established by rule”.
- Consensus was reached on item 14h.
- Consensus was reached for item 14i by combining parts i and ii to read “inventory and forecast information appropriate to the study area”; deferring discussion of parts iii, iv, and vi; and renumbering part v. as ii.
- Consensus was reached for item 14j by deferring discussion of parts i. and ii. and modifying the opening sentence to read “The GMP should identify recharge areas and identify the standard related to quality and quantity to which they will be managed.”
- There was consensus to defer further discussion of items 17, 18, and 19 until 2007.
- Consensus was reached to accept items 20, 21, and 22 as printed, delete item 23 in recognition of item 14f, delete item 24 because it is a detail for implementation, and defer discussion of item 25.
- There was consensus to defer discussion of items 26 through 30 until 2007 because although they impact the GMAs, they are complementary to the GMPs.
- There was consensus to defer, except for GMAs, discussion of the well permitting process (items 30 and 31) to 2007.

Note that GMP means Groundwater Management Plan and GMA means Groundwater Management Area.

Consensus items have been placed in appropriate sections of the [2006 report outline](#).

Agenda items for the next meeting include 1) enforcement mechanisms and the permitting process in GMAs and 2) Funding. GAC members are asked to send all useful enforcement ideas to Larry Lynch (Lawrence.Lynch@dnr.state.wi.us) by Wednesday, October 25.

Adjourn: at 11 am.

Next meeting: November 1, 2006, 9am, Room 613, GEF 2, Madison. A teleconference option will be available.