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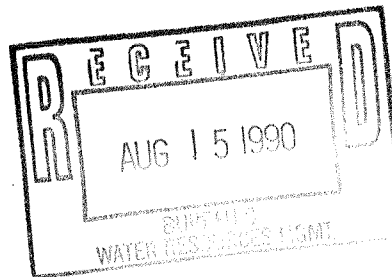
Subject: Ahnapee River classification for determination of WPDES Limits for Algoma

This letter is written in response to your request for a written confirmation of LMD's determination of the correct classification of the Ahnapee River to be used for calculation of WPDES limits for the City of Algoma.

After reviewing NR 102.04(3), 102.05(1)(b) and 102.12(2) it is clear to us that the Ahnapee River at Algoma should be classified in the Great Lakes communities subcategory for subsection NR 102.04 and as Great Lakes Water for subsections NR 102.05 and NR 102.12.

For subsection NR 102.04 the Great Lakes classification is considered appropriate because major spawning runs of two premier steelhead trout strains and salmon occur in the Ahnapee River.

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