

## Water Quality Management Planning – Pass Through Contracts

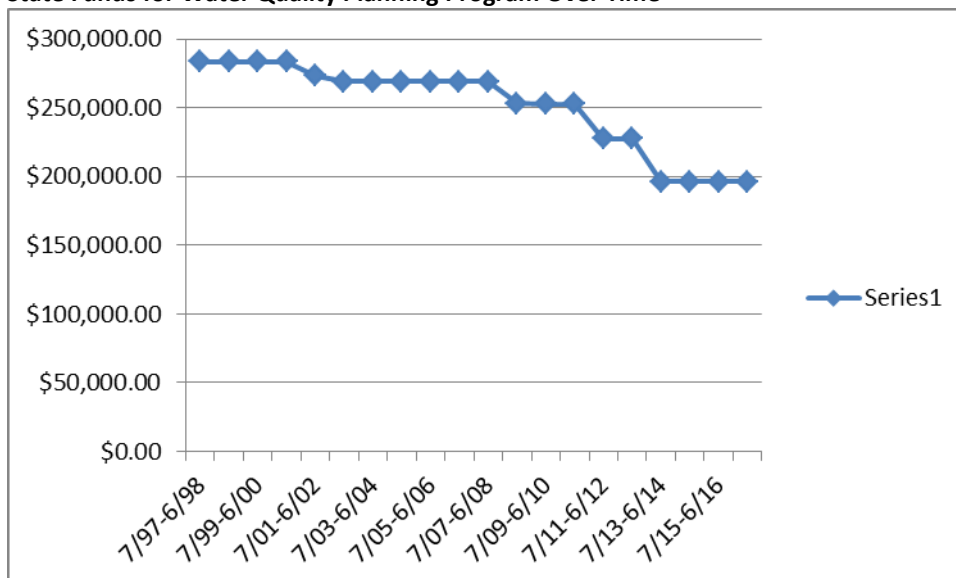
- Wisconsin’s Water Quality Management Planning Program is supported through CWA 604b/205j Federal Grant and 281.15 Stats state local aids funds.
  - 100% of state aids funding plus 60% of federal funds supports 2 WDNR FTE positions.
  - Federal guidelines require allocation of 40% of federal funds to local to WQM planning programs to implement NR121. This work generally includes SSA Plan development and updates and creation of amendments for new community development.
  - NR121 identifies designated planning areas; of the three original “designated agencies”, one agency (SEWRPC) remains.
- WDNR’s “local” contracts are generally to create and maintain SSA Plans, including creating and maintaining policies and procedures and conducting technical analyses regarding conformance of proposed amendments with approved plans. The highest priorities for funding are those agencies that maintain plans for “designated areas” in NR121:
  - CARPC - Dane County;
  - ECRPC & Brown County Planning Department – Fox Valley Communities;
  - SEWRPC – RPC counties.
  - Other “non-designated agencies” for plan updates and amendments (see map)

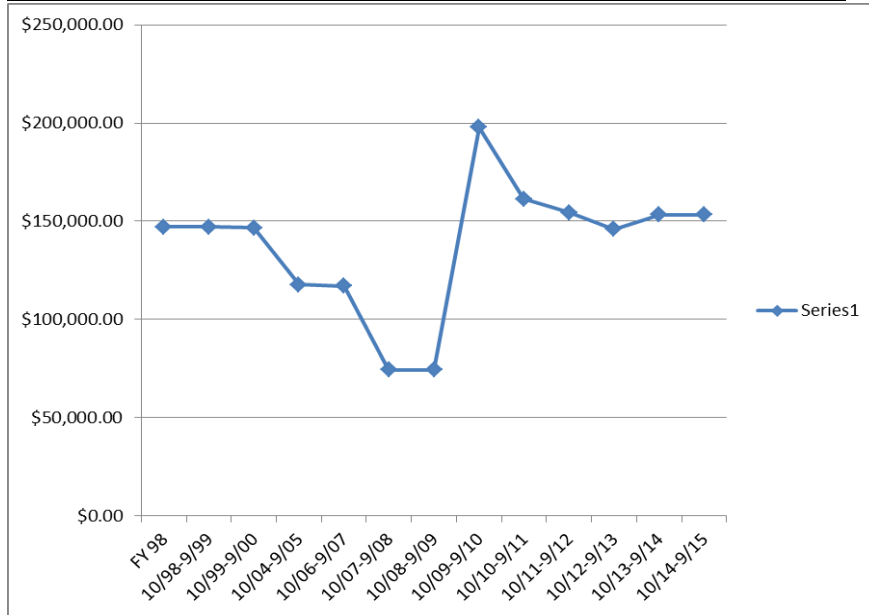
### General Work Functions

- Establish sewer service areas (urban service areas) for public wastewater service.
- Preconstruction interagency storm water planning and plan reviews (to expedite submittals)
- Establish guidance and oversee identification of environmentally sensitive areas.
- Facilitate intergovernmental meetings for 20 year growth areas in conformance with facility plans , state statutes and administrative rules.

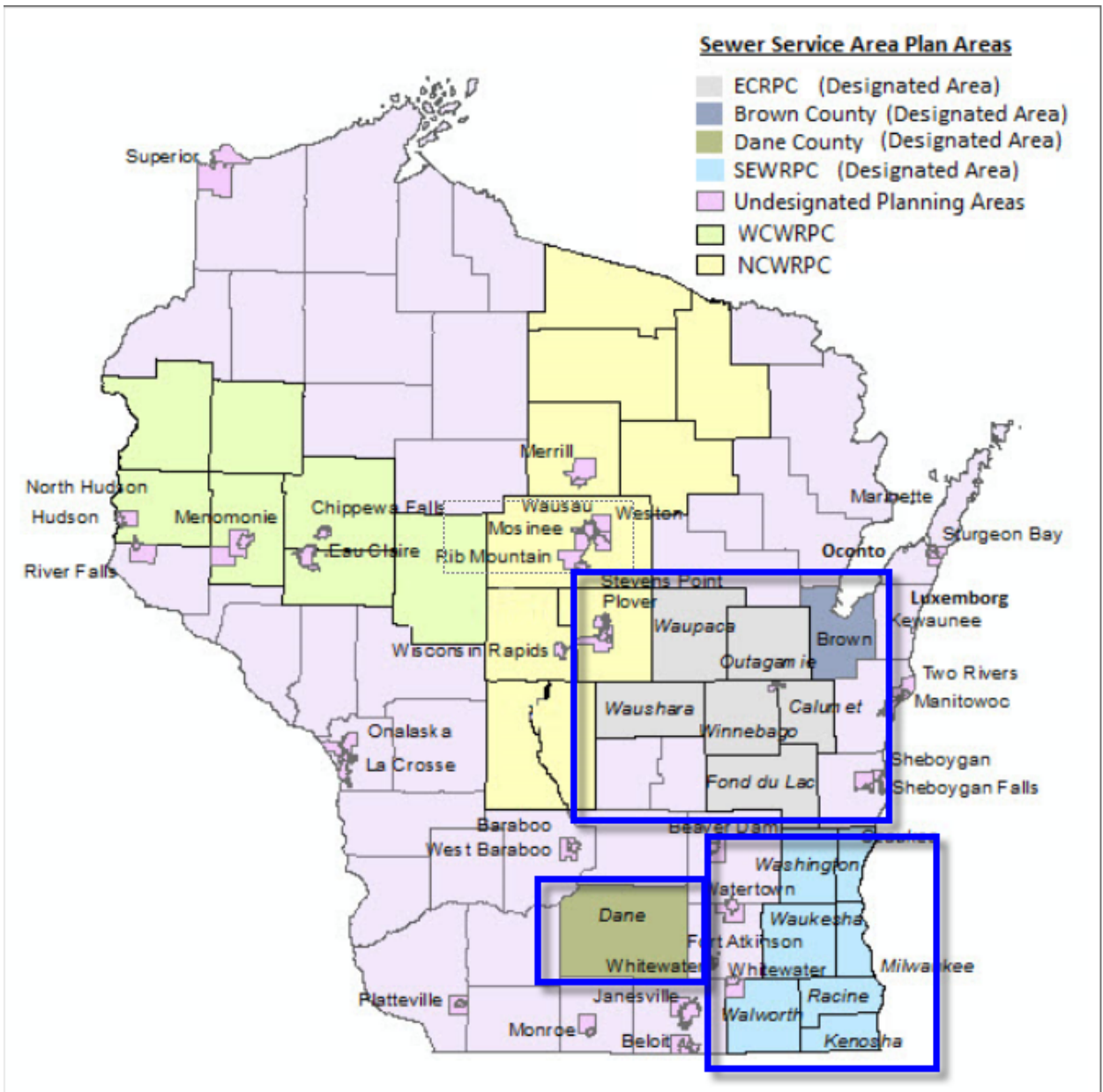
### Historical Funding – Federal and State

State Funds for Water Quality Planning Program Over Time



**Federal "604b" Pass Through Funding for Water Quality Planning Over Time****Statewide Information:**

- The Legislature requires WDNR to “establish a continuing water pollution control planning process which is consistent with applicable state requirements. The continuing planning process shall result in plans for all waters of the state . . .” Section 283.83 (1), Wis. Stats.
- WDNR implements a continuing water pollution control planning process through Chapter NR 121, Wis. Adm. Code, which “establishes regulations specifying policies, procedures, and requirements for Wisconsin’s areawide water quality planning process” and results “in the preparation throughout the state of areawide plans for managing the quality of waters of the state . . .” (s. NR 121.01, Wis. Adm. Code).
- WDNR “shall recommend that the governor designate areawide planning areas which as a result of urban and industrial concentrations or other factors have substantial and complex water quality control problems.” Sec. NR 121.06(1), Wis. Adm. Code. Dane County is a “designated area.”
- WDNR shall also “recommend to the governor for designation a single agency capable of developing effective areawide water quality management plans” within “designated areas.” Sec. NR 121.06(2), Wis. Adm. Code. CARPC is not a “designated agency.”
- For “designated areas,” WDNR has the authority to review and approve areawide water quality management plans (s. NR 121.07(1), Wis. Adm. Code), review and approve revisions to areawide water quality management plans (s. NR 121.07(3), Wis. Adm. Code) and disapprove or otherwise modify any previously approved areawide water quality management plan or plan element (s. NR 121.07(4), Wis. Adm. Code).
- Wisconsin (in 2015) has four designated planning areas and 27 non-designated planning areas. Most of the funds go to the designated planning areas.



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**Baraboo SSA Plan (2002 -2030)**

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**Purpose**

The Sanitary Sewer Service Area Plan, or water quality plan, is the official area-wide water quality management plan for the City of Baraboo, the Village of West Baraboo, and the surrounding Townships. [City of Baraboo](#) The Sewer Service Area Plan (SSAP) provides an inventory of land use and environmental conditions in the planning area, projects future land use based upon a logical extension of the existing conditions, and develops a proposed sanitary sewer service boundary to guide the development of public sewer facilities. The proposed boundary identifies land in the planning area that is most suitable for urban development through the construction of cost effective public sewerage facilities. The proposed sewer service area that has been developed for the City of Baraboo through the year 2030.



**Objective**

The proposed SSAP Boundary includes only the Village of West Baraboo and the City of Baraboo. Land in the Town of Greenfield, Town of Fairfield, and the Town of Baraboo have not been included in the proposed boundary. The Baraboo Sanitary District #1 has not increased the size of the District and maintains a signed agreement with the City for acceptance of wastewater. A copy of this agreement can be found in Appendix C. The boundary for Devil's Lake State Park has not increased and the wastewater acceptance agreement with the City is still in effect.

**Outcome**

The Baraboo SSA Plan was created in 2002 and updated in 2006 and 2009 by the City of Baraboo. Updates to the SSAP are required every five years. This plan projects the growth of the City to the year 2030 Using population and growth projections that are explained in more detail within the update, the following was determined: • 2008 City of Baraboo population 11,755 people • 2030 City of Baraboo population 14,707 people • 2008 Village of West Baraboo population 1,288 people • 2030 Village of West Baraboo projection 2,003 people • Total Developed land within the City as of 2008 is 3,074 acres • Total Developed acreage within the Village of West Baraboo as of 2008- 360 acres

<b>Project Type</b>	Watershed Planning
<b>Project Sub Type</b>	Sewer Service Area Plans
<b>Project ID</b>	Baraboo_SSAPlan
<b>Year Started</b>	1999
<b>Status</b>	Complete

**Reports and Documents**

- [Baraboo, City of Baraboo](#) Baraboo, City of Baraboo
- [Baraboo SSA Plan Amendment \(2011\)](#) Sewer Service Area Plan Amendment in 2011
- [Baraboo SSA Plan 2030 Part 1](#)
- [Baraboo SSA Plan 2030 Part 2](#)
- [Baraboo SSA Plan 2030 Part 3](#)

**Activities**

- Sewer Service Area Planning  
The Baraboo SSA Plan was created in 2002 and updated in 2006 and 2009 by the City of Baraboo

**Waters**

- [Baraboo River](#)