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Dear Ms. Black:

I am writing to request a meeting with representatives from Milwaukee County to discuss the Estabrook Impoundment Sediment Remediation Pre-Design Study and future funding opportunities to implement the PCB sediment remediation for the impoundment area. The Department of Natural Resources has developed a briefing strategy that outlines recommendations to address the next phase for the Estabrook Impoundment. We would like to share the briefing strategy with you and discuss future partnering efforts to address the PCB sediment issue in the Estabrook Impoundment Area.

The enclosed briefing strategy discusses several recommendations for addressing future PCB sediment remediation of the site using various state and federal programs. An important component of the recommendations is to have an established working partnership with Milwaukee County. Many of the federal grants would require Milwaukee County, as the landowner, to be a co-applicant on the grant application.

In addition to the briefing strategy, we would also like to discuss the status of the health advisory signs being installed in Lincoln Park. The health advisory signs are an important first step in protecting the health of the community and for the individuals that use the park for fishing and recreational activities.

We would recommend setting a date for the meeting during the week of February 13, 2006, to meet the application deadlines for funding opportunities available during the next several months. Chip Krohn or John Melby will call you directly to set up a date for the meeting. Please feel free to call either Chip at (414)-263-8514 or John at (414)-263-8512 if you have any questions regarding the meeting or briefing strategy. Thank you for your help on this project.

Sincerely,

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Southeast Region Director

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Enclosure: Estabrook Impoundment Sediment Remediation Briefing Strategy