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July 10, 2014

Scott McDonell, Dane County Clerk
Room 106A, City County Building
210 Martin Luther King Jr Blvd.
Madison, WI 53703-3342

Dear Mr. McDonell:

Statutory Certification

The Capital Area Regional Planning Commission (CARPC), in compliance with Section 66.0309(14) of the Wisconsin Statutes, hereby submits its 2015 budget certification to the Dane County Clerk. As provided by this section of the statute, this certification must be submitted prior to August 1.

The 2015 budget certification charge is \$1,319,000, which represents the local costs of services to be provided by CARPC, and is revenue for its 2015 budget to allow it to be minimally effective as a regional planning commission. This levy charge was approved by the Capital Area Regional Planning Commission at its July 10, 2014 meeting with 8 members voting in support, 3 against, and 2 members absent.

Background

Presuming Dane County's total equalized valuation remains unchanged from the 2013 level of \$49,511,820,000, the total 2015 budget charge will amount to 0.00266% of total equalized value, less than the 0.003% allowed by statute. This amount provides partial local funding, which assures match money and permits the RPC to proceed with contracts and grant negotiations with other agencies that help fund the work of the Commission.

We will be happy to answer any questions regarding this certification and the RPC planning program activities for 2015 as part of the detailed budget review process over the next few months. Please refer questions to Kamran Mesbah, Deputy Director, at 608-266-9283.

Sincerely,

Larry Palm
Chairperson

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cc: Joe Parisi, Dane County Executive
Jerry Derr, President, Dane County Towns Association
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