MAYOR LINDA GORTON



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TO:

Mayor Linda Gorton

Urban County Council

FROM:

Charles H. Martin, P.E., Director

Division of Water Quality

DATE:

September 9, 2025

SUBJECT:

Recommendation for an FY26 (Class A Neighborhood) Stormwater Quality Projects

Incentive Grant for Friends of Wolf Run, Inc. (FOWR)

Request

The purpose of this memorandum is to request approval of an FY26 (Class A Neighborhood) Stormwater Quality Projects Incentive Grant for Friends of Wolf Run, Inc. (FOWR), in the amount of \$48,183.75.

Purpose of Request

The purpose of the project is to support the FY26 stream buffer stewardship program activities within the Wolf Run watershed. FOWR and its partners seek funding to restore and expand vegetative stream buffers, providing pollutant filtering, bank stability, water quality conditioning, floatable control, and temperature moderation through creek shading, as well as addressing invasive alien plant infestations and offering aesthetic and habitat improvements to neighborhoods within the Wolf Run watershed. Funds are requested for plant materials, landscaping supplies and equipment, service contracts, training and support, printing, GIS Data Collection, signage, and communications.

Project Cost in FY26 and in Future Budget Years

The grant has been approved for FY 2026 funding by the Water Quality Fees Board in the amount of \$48,183.75.

Are Funds Budgeted

Funds are budgeted in: 4052 - 303204 - 3373 - 78112 - WQINCENTIVE_26 - WQ_GRANT

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