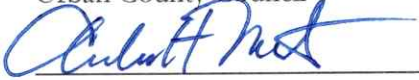




TO: Mayor Linda Gorton
Urban County Council

FROM: 
Charles H. Martin, P.E., Director
Division of Water Quality

DATE: January 8, 2025

SUBJECT: Recommendation for an FY25 (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 FY25 (Class A Neighborhood) Stormwater Quality Projects Incentive Grant for Friends of Wolf Run, Inc. (FOWR), in the amount of \$46,435.00.

Purpose of Request

The purpose of the project is to support the FY25 stream buffer stewardship program activities within the Wolf Run watershed. The objectives are to create and maintain stream buffer demonstration projects and engage neighborhood leadership in maintaining stream buffers on public and private property. Activities include recruiting, training, supplying, and supporting volunteer stewardship groups to assist LFUCG and streamside property owners in maintaining vegetative riparian buffers along Wolf Run and its tributaries. Furthermore, private property owners are invited to see firsthand measures to improve their stream banks with available, viable, and aesthetically pleasing native trees, shrubs, and perennial plants; and educate the public about the value of streamside buffers.

Project Cost in FY25 and in Future Budget Years

The grant has been approved for FY 2025 funding by the Water Quality Fees Board in the amount of \$46,435.00.

Are Funds Budgeted

Funds are budgeted in: 4052 – 303204 – 3373 – 78112 – WQINCENTIVE_25 – WQ_GRANT

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