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County Executive

June 24, 2010

Mr. James W. Ridgway
Executive Director
Alliance of Rouge Communities
C/o ECT, Inc.
719 Griswold Street, Suite 1040
Detroit, MI 48226

**RE: Rouge River National Wet Weather Demonstration Project
Round X, Part "B" Grant Program for Storm Water General Permit Activities
Rouge Green Corridor Urban Habitat Implementation Plan Project (RXB-16)**

Dear Mr. Ridgway:

The Wayne County Department of Public Services has reviewed your proposal for the above-referenced project under the Rouge River National Wet Weather Demonstration Project (Rouge Project), Round X – Part "B" Grant Program for Storm Water General Permit Activities. Wayne County received 20 proposals requesting \$2.55 million in federal funding under Part B. These projects were reviewed and ranked based on the criteria identified in the March 1, 2010 Rouge Project document "Notice of Grant Availability, Round X for Permit Compliance Activities" and on federal and Rouge Project requirements and goals. Based on the review team's evaluation and recommendation, your proposal dated April 12, 2010 for **the above-referenced project has been selected for funding under the Rouge Project Round X-Part B Grant Program for Storm Water General Permit Activities**. This selection is pending approval of the list of projects recommended for Rouge Project grant funding by the Wayne County Executive and the Wayne County Commission. Additionally, the Executive Committee of the Alliance of Rouge Communities (ARC) will also review the list of projects recommended for Round X Rouge Project grant funding at their June 29, 2010 meeting.

Please note that we had to be selective in the award of projects and we also may need you to refine the scope of work and/or cost estimates for this project in order to receive Rouge Project funding. Please contact Mr. Razik Alsaigh at (313) 967-2283 to discuss the grant-funded scope of work, budget and schedule for your project and to begin development of the interagency agreement.

Congratulations on your successful proposal. We look forward to continuing to work with you to restore and protect the Rouge River.

Very truly yours,

Kelly A. Cave, P.E.
Director, Water Quality Management Division

cc: Razik Alsaigh, Wayne County DPS-WQMD
Tim Faas, Chair, ARC