

**To: John Stolzenberg and Rachel Letzing, Wisconsin Special Committee
on the Great Lakes Water Resources Compact**

From: Midwest Environmental Advocates and Clean Wisconsin

Re: Specific Issues for Legislative Council Consideration

Date: December 6, 2006

John and Rachel,

Attached please find for your consideration the following memoranda, all of which have been endorsed by Special Committee Members Jodi Habush Sinykin and Keith Reopelle in consultation with numerous state and regional organizations:

- (1) Recommended Options Regarding Bulk Water Transfers and Bottled Water
- (2) Recommended Options Regarding Water Conservation
- (3) Recommended Options Regarding In-Basin Withdrawals; and
- (4) Recommended Options Regarding Public Participation.

We also support the memorandum sent by Representative Jon Richards regarding establishing boundaries for straddling communities and communities within straddling counties and the memorandum provided by Ann Beier on behalf of the City of Milwaukee concerning Return Flow.

It is our hope that the proposed options set forth within these memos will be incorporated within a master Legislative Council option memo.

Thank you very much.