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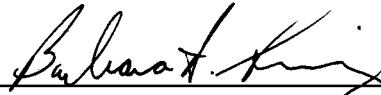
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In the Matter of)
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WILLIAM GEPFORD,) DOCKET NO. CWA-07-2006-0057
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Respondent)

REPORT RECOMMENDING CONTINUATION
OF ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROCESS

The Chief Administrative Law Judge's Order of March 8, 2006 provides that this alternative dispute resolution (ADR) process terminates May 8, 2006. The recommendation of this Report is that the ADR process be continued for another month, to June 8, 2006.


This continuation of the ADR process is recommended because the parties' negotiations have developed the possibility of a settlement. In a conference call on May 18, 2006, the parties agreed on continuing the ADR process for another month. Accordingly, the undersigned will continue to serve as a Neutral in this case and will file another report with the Chief Administrative Law Judge by June 8, 2006, unless otherwise directed by her.



Barbara A. Gunning
Administrative Law Judge

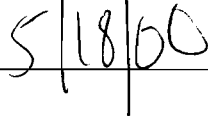
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Susan L. Biro
Chief Administrative Law Judge

Dated: _____

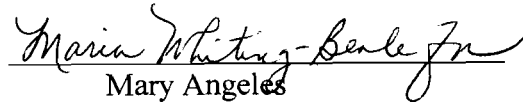


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In the Matter of William Gepford, Respondent
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I certify that the foregoing **Report Recommending Continuation of Alternative Dispute Resolution Process**, dated May 17, 2006, was sent this day in the following manner to the addressees listed below.


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