

**A RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING REMOVAL OF ESTABROOK DAM**

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**WHEREAS**, there is pending a determination of the County of Milwaukee as to whether the Estabrook Dam should be removed or whether it should be repaired; and

**WHEREAS**, the issue is also the subject of litigation, and

**WHEREAS**, the Dam is not located within the City of Glendale, and is beyond the legal authority or jurisdiction of the City of Glendale, and

**WHEREAS**, either removal of the Dam or, in the alternative, repair of the Dam will affect property owners in Glendale upriver from the Dam, and

**WHEREAS**, City Staff advises that removal will significantly reduce or eliminate flooding of a large number of homes and possibly facilitate removal of those homes from flood plain status through flood plain map amendments, and

**WHEREAS**, Staff further has advised the Mayor and Council that the effect of removal will negatively impact a small number of homes by diminishing or eliminating the current water frontage of their lots.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Glendale go on record as supporting removal of the Estabrook Dam; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT** that the City Clerk is directed to provide and deliver certified copies of this resolution to the Milwaukee County Executive and the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors.

ADOPTED this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2016.

Countersigned:

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Bryan Kennedy, Mayor

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Karen L. Couillard, City Clerk

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