

CITY OF ALGOMA  
COUNTY OF KEWAUNEE  
STATE OF WISCONSIN

COMMON COUNCIL  
RESOLUTION NO 777 – 2016

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ADOPTION OF THE CITY OF ALGOMA WASTEWATER  
SYSTEM CAPACITY, MANAGEMENT, OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE (CMOM) PROGRAM

**WHEREAS:** proper operation and maintenance of wastewater collection systems is essential to protecting the environment; and

**WHEREAS:** the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR) regulates the Wisconsin Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (WPDES); and

**WHEREAS:** Wisconsin Administrative Code Chapter NR 210.23 requires municipalities to develop and implement a Capacity, Management, Operations and Maintenance (CMOM) program for its wastewater collection system in accordance with Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources standards; and

**WHEREAS:** this requirement was established to achieve these primary objectives:

1. Ensure that communities have adequate wastewater collection capacity.
2. Improve the operation and performance of the municipal sanitary sewer collection system.
3. Evaluate areas of excessive inflow of precipitation or groundwater into the system.
4. Conduct maintenance and repairs needed to prevent problems.
5. Reduce the frequency and occurrence of sewer overflows and basement backups.
6. Provide more effective public notification when overflows do occur.

In addition to these objectives, an effective CMOM program also:

1. Protects human health including drinking water, swimming, blood-borne pathogens, and fishing.
2. Protects the local economy by preventing property damage, beach closures, and enhancing the fishing industry.
3. Protect infrastructure investment by properly maintaining the sewers to reduce emergency repairs and extend the system life; and

**WHEREAS:** the City of Algoma has contracted with Strand Associates to complete a CMOM program for the City; and

**WHEREAS:** The Public Works Committee reviewed the CMOM as presented and recommend its adoption; and

**WHEREAS:** the City Administrator, and Public Works Director concur with the Public Works Committee's recommendation for this project.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:** that the Common Council of the City of Algoma, Wisconsin hereby adopts for implementation the Capacity, Management, Operations and Maintenance (CMOM) program as completed by Strand Associates.

ADOPTED BY ORDER OF THE COMMON COUNCIL AT A REGULAR MEETING THEREOF ON THE  
1<sup>st</sup> DAY OF AUGUST, 2016, BY A VOTE OF 8 FOR AND 0 OPPOSED.

Approved: Wayne R. Schmidt  
Wayne R. Schmidt,  
Mayor of the City of Algoma

Attest: Jeffrey L. Wiswell, Sr.  
Jeffrey L. Wiswell, Sr.,  
Administrator – Clerk – Treasurer of the City of Algoma