

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

HENDERSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

MEETING DATE: February 2, 2009

SUBJECT: Resolution Support of Application to the Clean Water
Management Trust Fund

ATTACHMENTS: Yes

SUMMARY OF REQUEST:

Staff of the Mud Creek Watershed Restoration Project, which has been housed with the Cooperative Extension Program since 2003, request that the Board of Commissioners adopt a Resolution in support of their application for a Clean Water Management Trust Fund Grant.

BOARD ACTION REQUESTED:

The Board is requested to adopt the Resolution of Support as presented.

Suggested Motion:

I move the Board of Commissioners adopt the Resolution in Support of Application to the Clean Water Management Trust Fund as presented.

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RESOLUTION

IN SUPPORT OF APPLICATION TO THE CLEAN WATER MANAGEMENT TRUST FUND

WHEREAS, Henderson County has, since 2003, housed the Mud Creek Watershed Restoration Project in the Department of Cooperative Extension; and

WHEREAS, the County Comprehensive Plan includes recommendation N-02 - Protect Water Quality, which identifies sedimentation from disturbed stream banks as a source of stream impairment, and which proposes stream bank stabilization as a management strategy; and

WHEREAS, the County Comprehensive Plan further lists as a recommendation support of water quality and restoration programs in Henderson County, and states that additional funding may be necessary in the future;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Commissioners supports submission of a grant application to the Clean Water Management Trust Fund for \$473,025, for stream bank stabilization and agricultural BMPs in the Clear Creek sub-watershed, to be carried out by the Department of Extension and the Department of Soil and Water.

Adopted this the 2nd day of February, 2009.

William L. Moyer, Chairman

Elizabeth W. Corn, Clerk to the Board