

**GREAT LAKES—ST. LAWRENCE RIVER WATER RESOURCES REGIONAL
BODY**

**RESOLUTION #10—ADOPTION OF FISCAL YEAR 2010 BUDGET—
FIRST QUARTER (July 1-September 30, 2009)**

WHEREAS, on December 13, 2005, the Governors of the States of Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota, New York, Ohio and Wisconsin, the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Premiers of Ontario and Québec signed the *Great Lakes—St. Lawrence River Basin Sustainable Water Resources Agreement* (“Agreement”); and,

WHEREAS, Chapter 1 and Chapter 4 of the Agreement came into force on December 13, 2005, pursuant to Article 709 paragraphs 1b and 1h of the Agreement; and,

WHEREAS, Article 400 paragraph 1 of the Agreement created a *Great Lakes—St. Lawrence River Water Resources Regional Body* (“Regional Body”) composed of the Governors of the Great Lakes States and the Premiers of the Great Lakes Provinces, ex officio; and,

WHEREAS, Article 103 defines the term “Party” to mean the Great Lakes States and Provinces; and,

WHEREAS, Article 401 paragraph 6 of the Agreement states that “Each Party shall bear an equitable share of the costs of the Regional Body to a maximum amount per annum that is agreed upon each year by the Parties.”; and,

WHEREAS, Article 401 paragraph 7 of the Agreement states in part that “The Parties shall support the Regional Body using existing agency staff and facilities to the greatest extent possible...”; and,

WHEREAS, the Regional Body recognizes that there are collective costs incurred in the normal and ongoing operation of the Regional Body.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the members of the Regional Body adopt and approve the Regional Body Fiscal Year 2010—First Quarter (July 1-September 30, 2009) Budget (Attachment “A”) for the normal ongoing operation and activities of the Regional Body for the first three months of its Fiscal Year.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that for the Regional Body’s Fiscal Year 2010—First Quarter Budget, funds provided to the Council of Great Lakes Governors, Inc., by the Great Lakes States and Provinces may be used to fulfill the Regional Body Fiscal Year—2010 First Quarter Budget.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Regional Body Fiscal Year 2010—First Quarter Budget may be amended to support any and all additional costs for the operation and

activities of the Regional Body arising from the Regional Body's other activities, including but not limited to Regional Review of proposals subject to Regional Review, upon unanimous written consent of the members of the Regional Body.

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that the Parties shall each bear their own costs of using their existing agency staff and facilities that are used in support of Regional Body activities.

Adopted June 17, 2009

FY 2010 BUDGET--THREE MONTH BUDGET REGIONAL BODY

Staff Support	\$11,637.50
Meetings and Conference	
Calls	\$925.00
Printing & Reproduction	\$0.00
Postage and Delivery	\$125.00
Staff Travel	\$0.00
Website	\$125.00
Accounting & Auditing	\$2,000.00
Indirect overhead	\$2,221.88
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>\$17,034.38</u>

Attachment "A"