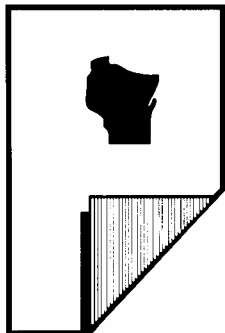


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Wisconsin Paper Council Commends Fox River Cleanup Design Agreement

Neenah – The Wisconsin Paper Council commends the Fox River Cleanup Design Agreement that was announced today by Governor Jim Doyle, the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources, and the United States Environmental Protection Agency. The agreement was reached with Georgia-Pacific and NCR Corporation for design work for the cleanup of PCB-contaminated sediment in the lower Fox River.

“This is an important step forward in addressing environmental issues in the Fox River,” said Pat Schillinger, president of the Wisconsin Paper Council. “This agreement serves the interests of the people and communities along the Fox River and Green Bay,” he said.

“This agreement is an excellent example of what can be accomplished through cooperation between the responsible parties and the regulatory agencies. The Wisconsin Paper Council commends Governor Doyle, Secretary Hassett and Administrator Skinner and their staffs for their willingness to take this approach,” he said.

The Wisconsin Paper Council is the trade association of the pulp and paper industry in Wisconsin.

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