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Substitute resolution relating to clean-up of the Milwaukee River.

- Analysis -

This resolution directs the Department of Public Works to prepare a report examining the feasibility of a number of issues relating to the cleanup of the Milwaukee River from the North Avenue Dam to Lake Michigan including:

- 1. Constructing an embankment at the south end of the river to prevent silt and other runoff from entering Lake Michigan.
- 2. Using alternating current to destroy bacteria in the settling tanks.
- 3. Cleaning out riverbottom sediment from the North Avenue Dam to the south end of the river.

Whereas, The clean-up of the Milwaukee River is a major factor in ensuring the City's water supply; and

Whereas, A key aspect in the quality of urban life is the protection and enhancement of the physical environment; and

Whereas, Efforts should be made to improve the overall water quality of the river; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee, that the Department of Public Works is directed to prepare a report examining the feasibility of a number of issues relating to the clean-up of the Milwaukee River from the North Avenue Dam to Lake Michigan including:

- 1. Constructing an embankment at the south end of the river to prevent silt and other runoff from entering Lake Michigan.
- 2. Using alternating current to destroy bacteria in the settling tanks.
- 3. Cleaning out riverbottom sediment from the North Avenue Dam to the south end of the river.

; and, be it

Further Resolved, That this study shall include cost estimates for constructing the embankment as well as the use of alternating current; and,

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be it

Further Resolved, That this study shall be submitted to the Common Council within 50 days of the adoption of this resolution.

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