

RESOLUTION NO. 92-30
OF THE CITY OF LAKE ELMO
TO IDENTIFY IN SHORELAND AREAS
NON-CONFORMING SEWAGE TREATMENT SYSTEMS
AND REQUIRE RECONSTRUCTION WHEN PRACTICABLE

WHEREAS, the Lake Elmo City Council has adopted shoreland regulations consistent with the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources Statewide Standards for Management of Shoreland Areas; and

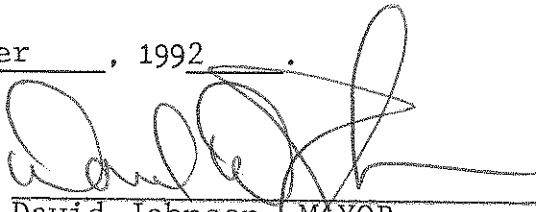
WHEREAS, said statewide shoreland management standards require that local governments develop and implement programs to identify and upgrade sewage treatment systems that are not in conformance with Minnesota Pollution Control Agency Rules, Chapter 7080; and

WHEREAS, the Lake Elmo City Council finds that protecting the surface waters and groundwaters in Lake Elmo from contamination by substandard sewage treatment systems will promote the health and welfare of the citizens of Lake Elmo.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Lake Elmo will take the following actions to identify and upgrade substandard sewage treatment systems:

1. Through Chapter 700 of the City Code, a maintenance program is in place, which involves a systematic inspection and review of existing on-site sewer systems and the repair or reconstruction if determined to be needed.
2. Whenever a permit or variance of any type is required for any improvement on, or use of, property in a shoreland area, a report will be required on the working condition and operation of the sewage treatment system. Systems not meeting the current design standards will be required to be modified or reconstructed.
3. As state shoreland implementation funds become available, the City will complete a systematic on-site inspection program, including all properties in shoreland areas and identifying non-conforming or illegal on-site sewer systems and requiring reconstruction when appropriate.

Passed this 15th day of December, 1992.


David Johnson, MAYOR

ATTEST:


Mary Kueffner, City Administrator