WVL Discussion with my Board last night

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To:Phil Belfiori <phil.belfiori@vlawmo.org>;Dawn Tanner <dawn.tanner@vlawmo.org> Hi Phil and Dawn,

I wanted to let you know that I asked my board last night to drop the idea of doing a boundary change for WVL. I have three new board members since we first talked with you about this a few years back. I wanted to get them up to speed on the issue, and when I described the partnerships and ways that we can work together, they favored discontinuing the boundary change discussions.

What I proposed and they agreed to is a continued partnership on the WVL TMDL and our watershed management plan updates. We are about a year behind your process, so I can see that we could work together on the WVL components of our plans. I anticipate our updated plan will have a clearer discussion around the flow paths and how WVL interacts with VLAWMO and RWMWD. I also expect that we will be clear about our partnership across watershed boundaries.

Does that all seem acceptable to you? Maybe we could get lunch sometime soon and discuss this?

Thanks, Tina



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