

Walleyes for Tomorrow

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OCTOBER 31, 1996

TO: TOWNSHIP CHAIRPERSONS AND TOWN CLERKS IN COUNTIES THAT
THE WOLF RIVER FLOWS THRU

REF: CRANDON MINE AND THE WOLF RIVER/WINNEBAGO-FOX RIVERS

WALLEYES FOR TOMORROW (WFT) HAS CLOSELY FOLLOWED THE DISCUSSIONS AND EVEN CO-HOSTED A MEETING LAST YEAR WITH THE MINE REPRESENTATIVES AND THE PUBLIC INTERVENORS OFFICE AT ROMY'S NIGHTENGALE NORTH OF APPLETON. AFTER LISTENING TO THE DISCUSSION FOR MORE THAN A YEAR, WALLEYES FOR TOMORROW HAS TAKEN A POSITION IN OPOSITION TO THE MINE. A COPY OF OUR RESOLUTION IS ATTACHED. THE WISCONSIN STATE COUNCIL OF TROUT UNLIMITED HAS ALSO TAKEN A POSITION IN OPPOSITION TO THIS MINE.

THE DNR IS SAYING THAT THEY WILL FOLLOW THE RULES THAT THE LEGISLATURE CREATED TO DETERMINE WHETHER TO PERMIT THIS MINE.

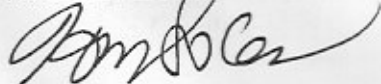
IT IS THE CONCENSUS OF OUR BOARD OF DIRECTORS THAT UNTIL IT CAN BE SHOWN THAT A SIMILAR MINE (ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD) HAS BEEN SUCCESSFULLY CLOSED FOR A GOOD MANY YEARS WE DO NOT WANT OUR WOLF RIVER TO BE THE TESTING GROUNDS OF THEIR NEW TECHNOLOGY.

THIS GREAT MINERAL RESOURCE CAN REMAIN IN THE GROUND FOR OUR FUTURE GENERATIONS TO EXPLOIT WHEN THE CAPPING TECHNOLOGY HAS BEEN PROVEN THRU REAL EXPERIENCES ELSEWHERE IN THE WORLD.

FAILURE OF THE CAP ON THE TAILINGS PILE WILL RESULT IN DEVASTATING IMPACT TO THE COMMUNITIES AND PEOPLE AND FISHERY AND WILDLIFE DOWNSTREAM. IT WILL ALSO NEGATIVELY IMPACT OUR INCOME AND YOUR TAXES GENERATED BY THE RECREATIONAL WATER USERS AND VALUES ASSOCIATED WITH OUR GREAT RIVER.

AS REPRESENTATIVES OF THE PEOPLE OF YOUR TOWNSHIP, **WE ASK THAT YOU CONSIDER A SIMILAR RESOLUTION** TO FORWARD TO THE DNR, THE GOVERNOR AND WISCONSIN LEGISLATURE.

YOURS TO IMPROVE THE FISHERY,
WALLEYES FOR TOMORROW, INC



TOM SOLES, PRESIDENT

WALLEYES FOR TOMORROW = IMPROVED PRODUCTION



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RESOLUTION

WHEREAS THE STATE OF WISCONSIN AND THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES HAS BEEN CHARGED WITH THE RESPONSIBILITY OF ISSUING A PERMIT TO ALLOW MINING IN THE CRANDON VICINITY, AND

WHEREAS WALLEYES FOR TOMORROW HAS AN INTEREST AND THE MISSION TO PROTECT THE LIFE CYCLE NEEDS OF WALLEYES AND OTHER FISHERY STOCKS, AND

WHEREAS WALLEYES FOR TOMORROW CO-SPONSORED A DISCUSSION BETWEEN THE MINING COMPANY AND THE STATE THAT INCLUDED CITIZEN INPUT, AND

WHEREAS WALLEYES FOR TOMORROW HAS BEEN UNABLE TO FIND ANY MINE OF THIS TYPE ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD THAT HAS NOT CAUSED EXTENSIVE POLLUTION DOWNSTREAM TO THE ENDANGERMENT OF THE FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE FOR MANY DECADES.

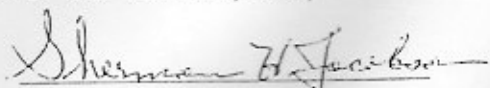
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS OF WALLEYES FOR TOMORROW, DO HEREBY **REGISTER THEIR OPPOSITION** TO THIS MINE

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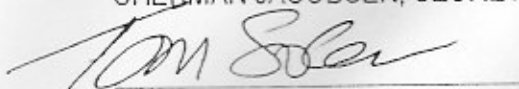
WE URGE THE STATE OF WISCONSIN NOT TO ISSUE THE NECESSARY PERMITS.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS REPRESENTING THE CHAPTERS AND ITS MEMBERSHIP, AT THEIR ANNUAL MEETING ON SEPTEMBER 14, 1997 DO HEREBY UNANIMOUSLY APPROVE THIS RESOLUTION AND DIRECT THE SECRETARY TO AFFIX OUR SEAL AND TO TAKE ALL NECESSARY STEPS TO NOTIFY THE DNR AND PUBLIC OF OUR OPPOSITION TO THIS MINE

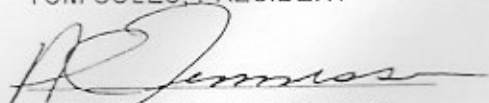
ATTESTED TO THIS FOURTEENTH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1996,

 Secretary

SHERMAN JACOBSEN, SECRETARY



TOM SOLES, PRESIDENT



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