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## CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT

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*This organization*

# **City of Grand Rapids Grand Rapids, MI**

*meets all the requirements for admittance and certification to the  
**National Biosolids Partnership  
Environmental Management System Program**  
that supports excellence in biosolids management practices,  
exceeds regulatory compliance obligations and provides  
meaningful opportunities for public participation*



A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Robert W. Hite".

*Robert W. Hite — Chair, NBP*

**December 20, 2006**

*Certified this date*

The National Biosolids Partnership is a voluntary partnership between the National Association of Clean Water Agencies (NACWA) and Water Environment Federation (WEF), with advisory support from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. The Partnership is committed to developing and advancing environmentally sound and sustainable biosolids management practices through comprehensive management systems.