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The answer to the transfer of ANS between the Mississippi River Basin and St. Lawrence River Basin is clear — separation of the waterways.

We have the technology to accomplish this — wastewater treatment technologies exist to treat wastewater to a standard up to and exceeding potable standards; we have the knowledge to infiltrate and treat stormwater so as not to degrade either the Great Lakes or Mississippi; and, we have knowledge of intermodal transport.

Implementation of intermodal transport systems linking the Mississippi and Great Lakes would create jobs, both in construction of road- rail links between the basins — and in operations.

Building a transfer site in the Mississippi and a the Great Lakes is feasible — yes, costs are involved but response can be immediate relative to the 5-year feasibility study proposed.

Study is not needed — action is.

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