**Mission Statement** (should describe purpose of organization)

Option 1) The Calumet Stormwater Collaborative seeks to improve the capacity, knowledge and technology of stakeholders and stormwater managers throughout the Calumet to minimize the negative impacts of precipitation and maximize the positive impacts.

Option 2) The Calumet Stormwater Collaborative seeks to build intergovernmental and cross-sector partnerships to improve the Calumet region’s ability to manage precipitation now and into the future.

Option 3) The Calumet Stormwater Collaborative seeks to increase the effectiveness of stormwater management initiatives throughout the Calumet region through knowledge sharing, coordination, and deployment of solutions at appropriate scales.

**Vision Statement** (should describe the desired end-state and is best presented in the future tense)

Option 1) The Calumet region will be a model of coordinated deployment of knowledge, technology, and financial resources to manage stormwater efficiently and sustainably.

Option 2) The Calumet region will be able to minimize the negative impacts of precipitation and maximize the positive impacts in a wide range of foreseeable storm scenarios.

Option 3) The Calumet region will be a better place to live, work and recreate as a result of coordinated stormwater management investments and initiatives.

**Then Goals, Objectives, Strategies...**