OFFICIAL PUBLIC NOTICE Public Hearing Nonmetallic Mining and Reclamation

Notice is hereby given that **Stelter, Inc.** has filed an application to amend a Conditional Use Permit and a Nonmetallic Mining Reclamation Permit to expand the Morning-West site to meet the requirements of the Chippewa County Zoning and Nonmetallic Mining Reclamation Ordinances.

As currently permitted, the mine site covers approximately 32 permitted acres.

Location: NE ¼ of SE ¼, of Section 06, T30N-R08W

Owned by: Charles & Cathy Morning

The applicant proposes to: extract, crush, and wash sand and gravel, and to establish the post-mining land use as a shallow/deep pond and grassland/prairie. The proposed mine site will expand to cover approximately 34 acres and will be sequentially mined and reclaimed in progressive stages.

A combined hearing on the conditional use permit application and reclamation plan will be held on Thursday, February 18, 2021, via Webex at the Chippewa County Courthouse. The hearing, pursuant to Chippewa County Zoning Ordinance Ch.70-108 and NR 135.20(2), will commence at 4:30 p.m. The Webex call-in information will be posted on the Chippewa County website under Meetings and Agendas/Planning & Zoning Committee Meetings/02/18/21 Meeting.

The hearing will be conducted for the purpose of explaining and receiving comments from affected persons on the proposed mining and reclamation.

Copies of both the Conditional Use Permit application and the Nonmetallic Mining Reclamation Permit application & reclamation plan are available for review upon request. Paper copies are available upon request at duplication cost.

The public may contact the Planning & Zoning Department (Room 009) at 715-729-7940 with questions regarding the Conditional Use Permit application.

The public may contact the Dept. of Land Conservation & Forest Management (Room 011) at 715-720-3644 with questions regarding the reclamation plan. The plan can be viewed and downloaded from the County's website at: http://www.co.chippewa.wi.us

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