

OFFICIAL PUBLIC NOTICE
Public Hearing
Nonmetallic Mining and Reclamation

Notice is hereby given that the **Chippewa County Highway Department** has filed an application for a Conditional Use Permit and a Nonmetallic Mining Reclamation Permit to meet the requirements of the Chippewa County Zoning and Nonmetallic Mining Reclamation Ordinances.

Location: **SW¹/₄ of NW¹/₄ of Section 5, T30N-R08W**
Owned by: **Chippewa County**

The applicant proposes to: **extract sand and gravel, and to establish the post-mining land use as a wildlife pond and upland grassland wildlife habitat. The proposed mine site covers approximately 37 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 evening, August 18, 2016, in Room 302 of the Chippewa County Courthouse. The hearing, pursuant to Chippewa County Zoning Ordinance Ch.70-34 and NR 135.20(2), will commence at 7:00 p.m.

The reclamation portion of 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 during regular business hours at the Chippewa County Courthouse, 711 N. Bridge Street, Chippewa Falls, WI 54729. Paper and digital copies are available upon request at duplication cost.

The public may contact the Dept. of Land Conservation & Forest Management (Room 011) at 715-726-7920 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/lcfm>

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

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