



**State of Indiana
Department of Natural Resources**



DNR 30-DAY PUBLIC NOTICE

The Department of Natural Resources serves the DNR 30-Day Public Notice in order to satisfy the requirements of the "Procedures Concerning Certain Licenses Act", IC 14-11-4, and its associated administrative rule, 312 IAC 2-3.

The DNR 30-Day Public Notice is published weekly to serve notice of the latest permit applications received at the DNR, Division of Water. This Notice can be viewed on the web at <http://www.in.gov/dnr/water/> and can be provided by email upon written request. To receive the DNR 30-Day Public Notice as a weekly email attachment, email your full name and a valid email address to DNRPublicNoticeRecipient@dnr.IN.gov.

The permit applications and supporting documentation is available for public viewing on-line at <https://dowunity.dnr.in.gov/#>. For questions concerning a permit application, contact the Division of Water, Technical Services Section, at (317) 232-4160 or toll free at 1-877-928-3755 and select 1 during the recorded menu narrative.

Petition for Public Hearing

A pre-action public hearing on an application may be requested by filing a written petition. For a petition to be considered valid it must:

1. contain the typed or legibly printed name and complete mailing address of each petitioner;
2. be signed by a minimum of 25 individuals who are at least 18 years old and either reside in the county where the project will take place or own real property within 1 mile of the project site;
3. affirm that each signatory to the petition satisfies the requirements of item 2; and
4. identify the application for which the public hearing is being requested either by the application # or the applicant's name and the project description.

A petition which does not meet these requirements will be considered invalid and the hearing request will not be granted. To request a pre-action public hearing, send the petition by email to water_inquiry@dnr.in.gov or by mail to:

IDNR, Division of Water
Technical Services Section
402 West Washington Street, Room W264
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204-2641

Notification of Department Action

A person may request that the Department notify them when a Department Action is issued. To be notified of a Department Action, send a request that includes the permit application number or the applicant name, project description and county to email address water_inquiry@dnr.in.gov or by mail to the address above.

Permit Application Numbers with a prefix of:

FW are being reviewed under the Flood Control Act, IC 14-28-1 and the Flood Plain Management Rule, 312 IAC 10

PL are being reviewed under the Lake Preservation Act, IC 14-26-2 and the Public Freshwater Lake Rule, 312 IAC 11

DR are being reviewed under the Lowering of the Ten Acre Lake Act, IC 14-26-5

NW are being reviewed under the Navigable Waterways Act, IC 14-29-1

LM are being reviewed under the Navigable Waterways Act, IC 14-29-1 related to Lake Michigan

SG are being reviewed under the Sand and Gravel Permits Act, IC 14-29-3

AC are being reviewed under the Construction of Channels Act, IC14-29-4



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Date: 7/1/2026

Application #: FW-33393-0

Waterbody: West Fork White River

Applicant: David Allson, 7195 North Waverly Park Road, Martinsville, IN, 46151

Received Date: 8/7/2025

County: Morgan

Project Description: A gravel mining facility will be developed and operated in the floodway of the West Fork White River. The gravel mining facility will have support facilities like an office building and outdoor storage of equipment. Additional site activities include excavation and material extraction operations, areas of cut associated with mining activities, and areas of fill intended to elevate portions of the site out of the floodplain for operational use. The fill will be from onsite stripping of the overburden material to begin the gravel extraction process.

There will be an 80' wide x 100 long' maintenance building, a 20' wide x 40' long office building, a truck scale, internal access drives, and supporting gravel separation plant. A 20' tall berm will be placed in the southern portion of the site as a buffer between the operations and the adjacent roadways. The total disturbed area will be approximately 182 acres. Site grading activities will be completed to accommodate the operations throughout the site. Fill will be placed in an area that is 320' wide by 2,500' long and the buildings will be elevated to an approximate elevation of 630' NAVD88, which will be more than 2' above flood protection grade. The fill will be constructed using overburden material generated from the onsite mining operations. The mining area will maintain a minimum 120' of undisturbed land south of the banks of the West Fork White River to the southern property boundary. Mining operations will excavate material to depths of up to approximately 70' below existing grade.

Project Location: Approximately 2,400 feet west from the intersection of Cemetery Road and Perry Road expanding approximately 4,800 feet across near Martinsville

Application #: FW-33740-0

Waterbody: White River

Applicant: AES Indiana, Braden Henson, 6925 North State Road 57, , , Petersburg, IN, 47567

Received Date: 4/29/2026

County: Pike

Project Description: The project will relocate two effluent outfall pipes within the White River floodway. The work will include rerouting subgrade pipes. Approximately 1,200 linear feet of 18" diameter will be installed within the floodway boundaries. Excavation to install the pipe will be conducted through hydro excavation and mechanical excavation. A new 12' wide gravel access will also be permanently installed for pipe access. The riprap pad will tie into the western end of the gravel access. The riprap will have 2H:1V side slopes and a 10'-6" clear ditch section. The pad will consist of 24" thick riprap placed over geotextile. Approximately 0.36 acres of tree clearing will occur within the floodway.

Project Location: 6925 State Road 57 near Petersburg

Application #: FW-33742-0

Waterbody: East Arm Little Calumet River

Applicant: Town of Porter, Brian M Bugajski, 303 Franklin Street, , , Porter, IN, 46304

Received Date: 4/30/2026

County: Porter

Project Description: A new concrete stair case will be installed in the East Arm Little Calumet River floodway to facilitate a kayak launch area. The concrete staircase will be 21' long, 2.5' wide, and 1' deep. The project will impact approximately 0.001 acres of riparian habitat.

Project Location: Directly downstream of the North Waverly Road stream crossing near Porter

Application #: FW-33746-0

Received Date: 5/4/2026

Waterbody: Cecil Metcalf Ditch

County: DeKalb

Applicant: Northern Indiana Public Service Company, Fotios Fouskas, 801 East 86th Avenue, , Merrillville, IN, 46410

Project Description: A new driveway will be installed in the Metcalf Ditch floodway. The driveway will be 9,300 square feet and the fill depth will vary from 4' on the landward side and 4.5' on the streamward side of the project. The project will be set back 75' from the top of the bank. Finished grade of the fill will vary from 840' NAVD88 to 844' NAVD88. The surface of the driveway will be installed on top of the fill, consisting of a 12" thick layer of No. 53 aggregate. Two 18" diameter culvert pipes will be installed beneath the fill to allow drainage beneath the driveway. The driveway will have the sideslopes stabilized with 14" riprap to maintain 2.5H:1V sideslopes.

Project Location: 3990 County Road 59 near Butler

Application #: FW-33755-0

Received Date: 5/14/2026

Waterbody: St. Joseph River

County: Elkhart

Applicant: Clara Hammon, 3560 Gordon Road, , Elkhart, IN, 46516

Project Description: An existing wooden seawall will be removed and replaced with a new glacial stone seawall along 81' of the southern bank of the St. Joseph River. The new wall will be approximately 2 ¾' high. It will have a streamward projection of X' and will have the same alignment as the existing wall. The glacial stone will be placed on top of washed river rock.

Project Location: 3560 Gordon Road at Elkhart

Application #: FW-33762-0

Received Date: 5/21/2026

Waterbody: Unnamed Tributary Indian Creek

County: Monroe

Applicant: Scott Childress, 2990 Winterset Drive, Carmel, IN, 46032

Chie Sharp, 2990 Winterset Drive, Carmel, IN, 46032

Project Description: A new 616' long by 10' wide driveway will be constructed for access to a new residential structure located outside of the floodway. The area for the driveway will be excavated and replaced with crushed stone to match existing grade. There will be no additional fill, and excavated material will be hauled offsite.

Project Location: 2590 West Fry Road near Gosport

Application #: FW-33765-0

Received Date: 5/27/2026

Waterbody: Ohio River

County: Posey

Applicant: Chastain Excavating, Jerry Chastain, 8220 Darnell School Road, Mount Vernon, IN, 47620

Project Description: An approximately 1,200' by 1675' borrow pit will be excavated to a maximum depth of 25' below existing grade. The side slopes of the pit will be a minimum of 3:1. The excavated material will be removed from the floodplain.

Project Location: Beginning approximately 2,100' south of the intersection of Ford Road and Darnell School Road and extending approximately 2,000' south Mount Vernon

Application #: PL-25418-0

Received Date: 4/9/2026

Waterbody: Tippecanoe Lake

County: Kosciusko

Applicant: Bradley Mitchell, 6967 North Kalorama Road, , Leesburg, IN, 46538

Project Description: An existing grouted cobblestone seawall will be refaced across 50' of the shoreline. The refacing will consist of reinforced concrete which will have a maximum thickness of 12" and will be sloped on the lakeward side. A 36" wide concrete walkway will be constructed on top and landward of the lakeward face of the refaced wall.

Project Location: 6967 North Kalorama Road at Leesburg

Application #: PL-25432-0

Received Date: 4/28/2026

Waterbody: Dewart Lake

County: Kosciusko

Applicant: Derek LaShure, 89 EMS D17 LN, , , Syracuse, IN, 46567

Project Description: A new vinyl seawall will be constructed across 144' of shoreline on Dewart Lake. The lakeward face of the new seawall will be located at the lake's legal shoreline.

Project Location: 89 EMS D17 Lane at Syracuse

Application #: PL-25443-0

Received Date: 5/11/2026

Waterbody: Lake Wawasee

County: Kosciusko

Applicant: Carmen Paris, 2667 Harmony Court, Winona Lake, IN, 46590

Project Description: An approximately 352' long by 56' wide channel to the east of Oakwood Drive and an approximately 400' long by 45' wide channel to the north and east of the island on the north side of Lake Wawasee will be dredged by mechanical excavation. The existing water depth is 3.9', and 4.8' of accumulated sediment will be dredged to result in a finished channel depth of 7.4'. Approximately 2,550 cubic yards will be excavated and taken to an upland site for draining and disposal. The project will have a 5' wide shelf along the shoreline and a slope of 3H:1V.

Project Location: 527 East Lake View Road near Syracuse

Application #: PL-25444-0

Received Date: 5/13/2026

Waterbody: Crooked Lake

County: Steuben

Applicant: Lewis and Cindy Shuler, 3220 West Shady Side Road, Angola, IN, 46703

Project Description: The existing 40' concrete seawall will be replaced by a new 40' concrete seawall. The lakeward face of the seawall will be at the lake's legal shoreline.

Project Location: 3220 West Shady Side Road at Angola

Application #: PL-25445-0

Received Date: 5/13/2026

Waterbody: Webster Lake

County: Kosciusko

Applicant: Matthew Purdy, 106 EMS W31A Ln, , , North Webster, IN, 46555

Project Description: A new 66' x 50' beach will be constructed. The beach will begin at the western property line and extend east across 66' of the 184' of the shoreline frontage. The beach will consist of a 4" to 6" thick layer of 3/8" clean, washed pea gravel placed directly on the lakebed. It will have a maximum lakeward projection of 50' or depth of 6' below legal lake level of the lake.

Project Location: 106 EMS West 31 Lane near North Webster

Application #: PL-25446-0

Received Date: 5/14/2026

Waterbody: High Lake

County: Noble

Applicant: Goshen College, Freya Berntson, P.O. Box 263, Wolf Lake, IN, 46796

Project Description: An approximately 370' long and 70' wide channel will be dredged by hydraulic excavation. The existing water depth is 3.5' and 2.5' of accumulated sediment will be dredged to result in a finished channel depth of 6', while maintaining a 5 foot shelf and a minimum slope of 3H:1V. Approximately 3,859 cubic yards will be excavated and taken to an upland site for draining and disposal.

Project Location: Outlet channel of east of High Lake and west of South Stone Street near Albion

Application #: PL-25448-0

Waterbody: Cook Lake

Applicant:

Received Date: 5/19/2026

County: Marshall

Project Description: An area along 150' of frontage will be dredged.

Project Location: 16074 Cook Lake Trail near Plymouth

Application #: PL-25450-0

Waterbody: Oliver Lake

Applicant: Carl Scott, 1280 East 450 South, Lagrange, IN, 46761

Received Date: 5/22/2026

County: Lagrange

Project Description: An existing 86' rock seawall will be removed and replaced with a new 86' glacial stone seawall. The lakeward face of the seawall will be at the lake's legal shoreline. A 3' x 86' reinforced sidewalk will be added behind the new glacial stone seawall.

Project Location: 1280 East 450 South at Lagrange

Application #: PL-25451-0

Waterbody: Clear Lake

Applicant: Jennifer Rockhold, 647 West Melrose Street Unit 4, Chistochina, IL, 60657

Received Date: 5/22/2026

County: Steuben

Project Description: An existing 108' concrete seawall will be recapped and refaced with concrete along 108' of the shoreline. The concrete reface will extend no more than 12" lakeward of the face of the existing wall.

Project Location: 430 Point Park Drive at Fremont

Application #: PL-25452-0

Waterbody: Clear Lake

Applicant: John Winch, 532 Canterbury Drive, Dayton, OH, 45429

Received Date: 5/22/2026

County: Steuben

Project Description: Recap and resurface an existing concrete seawall with concrete

Project Location: 428 Point Park Drive near Fremont

Application #: PL-25454-0

Waterbody: Lake Wawasee

Applicant: Jay Geshay, 523 East Lakeview Road, , , Syracuse, IN, 46567

Received Date: 5/27/2026

County: Kosciusko

Project Description: An existing concrete seawall will be refaced across a portion of the 50' frontage. The refacing will consist of concrete tied to the existing wall with a ½" re-rod and will extend 12" from the lakeward face of the existing wall. A 36" wide concrete walkway will be constructed on the top and landward of the lakeward face of the refaced wall.

Project Location: 523 East Lake View Road at Syracuse

Application #: PL-25459-0

Waterbody: Witmer Lake

Applicant: Jeremy and Leslie Holst, 2020 East 700 South, , , Wolcottville, IN, 46795

Received Date: 6/1/2026

County: Lagrange

Project Description: A new 180' glacial stone seawall will be constructed. The lakeward face of the seawall will be at the lake's legal shoreline.

Project Location: 2020 East 700 South near Wolcottville

Application #: PL-25460-0

Received Date: 6/1/2026

Waterbody: Fox Lake

County: Steuben

Applicant: Fox Lake Property Owner's Association CO (FLPOACO), , PO Box 503, Angola, IN, 46703

Project Description: An approximate 27' wide by 940' long channel will be dredged. The existing water depth is 1.8' and the maximum sediment removal depth will be 1.5' which will bring the maximum water depth to 5'. The project will leave a 5' wide shelf along the shoreline and channel side slopes will be 3H:1V or flatter.

Project Location: Approximately 130' northeast of the intersection of Thompson Drive and Lane 130 Fox Lake near Angola