



**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: 8/12/2026

Application #: FW-33790-0

Waterbody: Ohio River

Applicant: City of Madison, Tony Steinhardt, 101 West Main Street, , , Madison, IN, 47250

Received Date: 6/11/2026

County: Jefferson

Project Description: An amphitheater will be constructed in the Ohio River floodway. The amphitheater will include terraced seating, sidewalks, concrete steps, an open air stage platform, and additional parking. The stage will be constructed of concrete, brick and a metal stage frame. The stage will sit on a concrete stage plaza will be elevated approximately between 451.20' NAVD88 to 451.50' NAVD88. The stage proper will be elevated to 456.50' NAVD88. The stage rigging is approximately 50' tall and will feature a glass canopy partially over the stage. Electrical utilities located at 459.5' NAVD88 on the stage with a company switch located at 461' NAVD88.

Project Location: Located approximately 2,950' downstream of the US Highway 421 stream crossing over the Ohio River near Madison

Application #: FW-33800-0

Waterbody: Pigeon Creek

Applicant: Fish and Wildlife, Amanda Wuestefeld, 402 West Washington Room W 273, Indianapolis, IN, 46204

Received Date: 6/18/2026

County: Lagrange

Project Description: The existing Mongo Dam (DNR Dam ID 44-6) will be rehabilitated The existing dam structure and embankments require rehabilitation to improve long-term stability, hydraulic performance, and public safety. The current plans include regrading of the east embankment to a 3:1 slope in order to improve embankment stability and reduce erosion concerns. An Obermeyer gate system will replace the existing principal spillway structure and walkway in order to improve operational functionality and water level control. Flexamat articulated concrete block matting will be installed along the west embankment to provide a stabilized canoe portage and erosion protection surface. In addition, the existing auxiliary stop log spillway structure will be removed and replaced with a reinforced concrete fixed crest buttress wall spillway with a crest elevation of approximately 903.9' (NAVD 88). Associated work includes removal of existing appurtenances, grading, restoration, and related site improvements necessary to complete the rehabilitation work. A dewatering plan identifying the proposed drawdown has been developed including the elevation and approximate duration required to safely perform the construction activities.

Project Location: Approximately 150' downstream from the State Road 3 stream crossing near Lagrange

Application #: FW-33804-0

Waterbody: Loon Creek

Applicant: Huntington County Highway Department, Bridgett Burkart, 1601 Riverside Drive, , , Huntington, IN, 46750

Received Date: 6/19/2026

County: Huntington

Project Description: This project involves the replacement of the existing Huntington County Bridge No. 702 (Structure No. 35-00702 / NBI No. 3500110). The project will include the removal of the existing bridge structure and construction of the new replacement structure. The existing structure is a single span prestressed concrete box beam bridge with a 49' out to out bridge floor and a 24' roadway width curb to curb. The proposed replacement structure is an 80.5' long single-span, composite prestressed bulb-tee beam bridge built with a 15-degree right skew. The proposed bridge cross section will provide a clear roadway width of 26.3'. The proposed roadway typical section will consist of two 10' paved travel lanes with a 4.3' shoulder on the north and a 2.7' shoulder on the south and a 6.8' raised sidewalk along the south curb. Class 2 riprap 30" in depth will be placed along the banks of Loon Creek and under the structure for scour protection and 18" revetment riprap will be placed for drainage turnout at the wingwalls. Along both bridge abutments spill slopes, a 3' wildlife passage to be choked with 8" compacted aggregate will be installed above the ordinary high-water mark (OHWM). Total permanent impacts to Loon Creek below the BFE total 128.6 LFT, 0.073 acre, 253 CYD for the placement of Class 2 and revetment riprap for scour protection and drainage turnout as well as compacted aggregate for wildlife passage. Permanent habitat impacts of non-wetland tree removal to Loon Creek below BFE totals 0.1 acre and 0.43 acre to early successional habitat resulting from construction disturbance. Temporary impacts below the BFE total 92.63 LFT, 0.012 acre, 60.9 CYD resulting from temporary cofferdams and dewatering. Temporary dewatering devices will require screens on all intakes and filtration devices at all discharges. Clean water discharge will be placed on top of the bank on a velocity dissipater to prevent bank erosion. Water behind cofferdams will be discharged through a filter bag for treatment. The filter bag will be placed on a level surface with secondary containment outside of channel banks. Temporarily impacted areas shall be restored to their existing condition upon the completion of the project and disturbed vegetation will be reseeded in accordance with INDOT Standard Spec. 621. 06.

Project Location: At the West McKeever Street stream crossing at Andrews

Application #: FW-33805-0

Waterbody: Lockwood Branch

Applicant: KLMJ BAIRD FAMILY FARMS LLC, Kevin L Baird, 5444 N Rutherford Hollow Rd, , Scottsburg, IN

Received Date: 6/22/2026

County: Washington

Project Description: This project involves the removal of existing creek rock. Creek gravel is building up and causing the water to shift course alongside the banks. The effect of the shifting water channel is causing soil erosion of the banks. The net effect of this includes the loss of grass filter strips and woody vegetation from the banks. Work will occur on approximately 1400' of gravel buildup area. Creek gravel will be removed using the one-step method and stockpiled outside the floodway.

Project Location: Beginning approximately 500' upstream from the confluence with Middle Fork Blue River and extending upstream approximately 1400' near Salem

Application #: FW-33806-0

Waterbody: Gast Ditch

Applicant: St. Joseph County Parks Department, Steve Slauson, 50651 Laurel Road, , , South Bend, IN, 46637

Received Date: 6/22/2026

County: St. Joseph

Project Description: The project will include the development of a new park along north side of Anderson Road. The park will be constructed in multiple phases with the Bid Package 1 including the site circulation, stormwater ponds, mass grading/earthwork and landscaping/site revegetation on the site. Bid Package 2 includes concrete sidewalks, site furnishings, playground and open area shelters. A portion of the grading, stormwater pond installation, pedestrian trails and landscaping will be located within the floodway of Gast Ditch. No permanent buildings will be in the floodway. Landscape berms will be constructed around the site with the proposed trail mostly at grade. Two (2) Stormwater ponds will be constructed with an overflow swale connected to Gast Ditch to help facilitate runoff through the site.

Project Location: Beginning approximately at the Anderson Road stream crossing and extending upstream approximately 1,000' near Granger

Application #: FW-33807-0

Waterbody: Prairie Creek

Applicant: William E Houston, 730 North Lebanon Street, , , Lebanon, IN, 46052

Received Date: 6/23/2026

County: Boone

Project Description: An addition will be done on an existing garage. The addition will extend approximately 10' outward from the northeast end of the current garage and 20' to the south. The foundation will consist of 5" thick concrete and will be supported by either three (3) 6 by 6 posts set 36" deep in 16" concrete footings or in a continuous 36" deep by 12" wide concrete footer along the outer perimeter.

Project Location: 730 North Lebanon Street at Lebanon

Application #: FW-33808-0

Waterbody: Wetnight Ditch

Applicant: Indianapolis Department of Public Works, Natalie K Stephen, City County Building, 200 East Washington Street, Suite 2640, , Indianapolis, IN, 46204

Received Date: 6/23/2026

County: Marion

Project Description: The existing 11' x 5' x 30' RCSB culvert carrying Edgewood Avenue over Wetnight Ditch will be replaced with a new culvert system to reduce upstream flood damages. The new crossing will consist of a 12' x 6' x 30' long RCSB culvert set in concrete headwalls. The new culvert will have an upstream and downstream invert of 777.99', NGVD, and 777.99', NGVD, respectively. The inlet end of the culvert will be beveled. The culvert and headwalls will be skewed 55 degrees to align with streamflow. Minor channel shaping will occur both downstream and upstream of the new culvert to improve the flow transition at the crossing. The shaping will be confined to the construction right-of-way. The reshaped areas will be stabilized with an 8" thick layer of compacted aggregate No. 8 stone on geotextile for riprap. The roadway will be elevated approximately 1' above the existing road elevations. The crown of the roadway over the new culvert will be at 786.99', NGVD. Steel W-Beam guardrails will be placed along each side of the roadway over the channel.

Project Location: At the Edgewood Avenue stream crossing at Indianapolis

Application #: FW-33809-0

Waterbody: Big Walnut Creek

Applicant: Putnam County Highway Department, Robyn Hughes, 1624 West County Road 225 South, , , Greencastle, IN, 46135

Received Date: 6/23/2026

County: Putnam

Project Description: The superstructure of the existing 1-span timber covered bridge (Oakalla) carrying CR375 over Big Walnut Creek will be repaired to increase load rating capacity and correct bridge damage. The bridge will be temporarily supported during repairs of the arches. In order to do this a temporary causeway will be required to impact the floodway. Once the project is complete, the causeway will be removed, and riprap will be used to provide scour protection.

Project Location: On County Road 375 West over Big Walnut Creek near Greencastle

Application #: FW-33812-0

Waterbody: Doe Creek

Applicant: Linda Burns, 7620 William Penn Drive, , , Indianapolis, IN

Received Date: 6/24/2026

County: Marion

Project Description: A new bridge will be constructed over Doe Creek to carry a new private drive across the stream. The new structure will be a single-span steel beam bridge with span length of 74'. The structure will have an out-to-out length of 77' and a clear roadway width of 12.33'. The spill through abutments will have 14:1 sideslopes armored with riprap placed over a geotextile fabric down to 1' above the ordinary high-water mark. The abutments will be skewed 0 degrees to align with streamflow. The approach private drive will be elevated a maximum of 6.75' above the existing grade. Embankments will have a total of six (6) 30" pipes placed with 6" of sump (3 per side). A temporary construction access crossing will be placed within the right-of-way on the downstream (southwest) side of the proposed bridge. It will be completely removed from the floodway upon completion of the bridge.

Project Location: Approximately 700' east and 525' south of the Kitley Road and Vandergriff Road intersection
Latitude: 39.7164, Longitude: -85.9589 at Indianapolis

Application #: FW-33813-0

Waterbody: Foster Branch

Applicant: Tyler Hazel, 6092 South Hunter Run, , Pendleton, IN, 46064

Received Date: 6/25/2026

County: Madison

Project Description: An approximately .50 acre pond will be excavated within the flood way of Foster Branch. The pond will be an oval shape and have a overflow dam located on the side facing the creek to help with water run-off.

Project Location: 6012 South 625 West at Pendleton

Application #: FW-33819-0

Waterbody: Fall Creek

Applicant: Leigh Ann Peercy, 15460 Martha Street, Fortville, IN, 46040

Received Date: 7/1/2026

County: Hamilton

Project Description: A 93 square foot addition will be built on the south side of an existing residential structure to make an existing bathroom ADA compliant. Also, new flooring will be laid through the entire structure to allow for wheelchair mobility.

Project Location: 15460 Martha Street near Fortville

Application #: FW-33822-0

Waterbody: West Fork White River

Applicant: Hamilton County Department of Parks and Recreation, Chris Stice, 400 Lafayette Road, , Noblesville, IN, 46060

Received Date: 7/6/2026

County: Hamilton

Project Description: An ADA accessible trail will be developed along the north, south, and west (right) bank of White River at Bur Oak Bend to provide approximately 1.50 miles of 10' wide aggregate trail. The trail development will also include paving and striping of an existing 50' x 60' gravel parking area adjacent to Riverwood Avenue to provide ADA access to the trail development. No meaningful fill in the floodway is proposed. The trail will be built by side-casting excess organic material and building the trail at existing grade by way of compaction. The existing gravel parking area will be scraped down to allow 3" of asphalt be laid to match existing grade at Riverwood Avenue.

Project Location: 19024 Riverwood Avenue; The Bur Oak Bend trail site is located upon 52.6 acres on the right overbank of White River at Noblesville

Application #: FW-33823-0

Waterbody: Haverstick Creek

Applicant: Colonial Hills Baptist Church, Herbert Gains, 8140 Union Chapel Road, , Indianapolis, IN, 46240

Received Date: 7/6/2026

County: Marion

Project Description: The purpose of this project is to stabilize an actively eroding streambank along Haverstick Creek while improving channel stability and protecting water quality. The project targets approximately 80 linear feet of bank exhibiting active erosion that contributes sediment to downstream resources and threatens adjacent infrastructure. Proposed activities include limited channel realignment within the existing floodplain and targeted bank grading to re-establish a stable bankfull geometry. Stabilization will be achieved through installation of a bioengineered stone toe integrated with native vegetation, along with in-stream structures (boulder glide, constructed riffle, and J-hook) to improve grade control, flow distribution, and channel stability.

Project Location: Starting at the intersection of Haverstick Road and Union Chapel Road, travel south/southwest along Union Chapel Rd for 600'. There is a bridge crossing at Haverstick Creek. The project location starts at the north side of this bridge & extends approximately 80' north of this location at Indianapolis

Application #: PL-25474-0

Waterbody: Cedar Lake

Applicant: Michelle Stronczek, 2488 Waters Edge, Columbia City, IN, 46725

Received Date: 6/25/2026

County: Whitley

Project Description: A new 120' concrete or glacial stone seawall will be constructed. The lakeward face of the seawall will be at the lake's legal shoreline.

Project Location: 2488 Water's Edge Drive at Columbia City