



Indiana Department of Environmental Management
Office of Water Quality
Wetlands Section

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IDEM ID Number:
2020-591-28-ADF-A

PUBLIC NOTICE

Closing Date:
October 7, 2020

To all interested parties:

This letter shall serve as a formal notice of the receipt of an application for **Section 401 Water Quality Certification** by the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM). The purpose of the notice is to inform the public of active applications submitted for water quality certification under Section 401 of the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. § 1341) and to solicit comments and information on any impacts to water quality related to the proposed project. IDEM will evaluate whether the project complies with Indiana's water quality standards as set forth at 327 IAC 2.

- 1. Applicant:** Jeff Dullaghan
5 E. Jefferson Street
Maxwell, IN 46154

- 3. Project location:** 6085 Camp Branch Rd. Bloomfield, IN

- 4. Affected waterbody:** Camp Branch Creek

- 5. Project Description:** The applicant is proposing after the fact authorization for the installation of a new driveway culvert, excavation downstream of the driveway, and installation of riprap on the banks resulting in approximately 150 linear feet of impact to Camp Branch Creek.
Additional information may be found online at <https://www.in.gov/idem/5474.htm>

Comment period: Any person or entity who wishes to submit comments or information relevant to the aforementioned project may do so by the closing date noted above. Only comments or information related to water quality or potential impacts of the project on water quality can be considered by IDEM in the water quality certification review process.

Public Hearing: Any person may submit a written request that a public hearing be held to consider issues related to water quality in connection with the project detailed in this notice. The request for a hearing should be submitted within the comment period to be considered timely. The request should also state the reason for the public hearing as specifically as possible to assist IDEM in determining whether a public hearing is warranted.

Questions? Additional information may be obtained from Aileen Driscoll, Project Manager, by phone at 317-234-0953 or by e-mail at adriscol@idem.in.gov. Please address all correspondence to the project manager and reference the IDEM project identification number listed on this notice. Indicate if you wish to receive a copy of IDEM's final decision. Written comments and inquiries may be forwarded to -

Indiana Department of Environmental Management
100 North Senate Avenue
MC65-42 WQS IGCN 1255
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204-2251 FAX: 317/232-8406

General Payments Bills Deductions Assessments

Owner and General Parcel Information

Property Card	Show Property Card
Tax History Data	Show Tax History
Owner Name	Dallaghan, Jeffrey
State Parcel Number	28-02-23-000-009.008-001
Parcel Number	28-02-23-000-009.008-001
Map Number	0223-000-009.001-01
Legal Description	PT SW 23 & 4 30A
Acresage	30.000000
Instrument Number	2017/4772
Book Number	
Page Number	
Location Address	Camp Branch Rd Bloomfield, IN 47424
Owner Address	6086 Camp Branch Rd BLOOMFIELD, IN 47424



= Project Area



Upstream Pipe

Down Stream #1 - Pipe over berm





Section 401 and State Regulated Wetlands Program
 Wetlands and Stormwater Section
 Office of Water Quality
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Inspection Report

Purpose:

Document potential unauthorized impacts to regulated waters.

Date Distributed: July 2, 2020

Authority:

This inspection was conducted pursuant to Indiana Code (IC) 13-14-2-2 and is consistent with the requirements of IC 13-14-5.

Certified Mail Number:

Responsible Party and Location Information

Landowner: Jeffrey Dullaghan

Site Name: Camp Creek Culvert

IDEM Identification Number:

County: Greene

Incident No:

Date of Site Visit: June 29, 2020

Project Location/Address *(Use for sites without ID Number):*
 39.110611, -86.824594

Contact Information *(Use for sites without ID Number)*
 5 E Jefferson St. Maxwell, IN 46154

Inspected

Stream/River(s) Wetland(s) Open Water Mitigation Other:

Observations/Comments *(Description of activities, impacts, violations, corrective action, dates):*

- (1) IDEM inspected your property in response to a Waterway Inquiry Request you submitted requesting permit information related to constructed a pond within Camp Creek. IDEM has been the site previously and documented the recent installation of a culvert.
- (2) The installed culvert is approximately 4 feet wide. The stream upstream of the culvert is approximately 7 feet wide with an ordinary high water mark at 4 inches. Based on this information, the installed culvert is appropriately sized and may remain in place.
- (3) As discussed on the phone, IDEM doesn't require authorization to *remove* material such as silt and sediment from a stream **if** the machinery stays outside the banks, no trees are removed, and the removed material is placed in an upland location where it cannot re-enter the waterway. It is determined that the activities which took place downstream of the culvert don't meet these conditions since trees were removed from within the channel on the gravel bar.
- (4) Please submit the attached application form to obtain after-the-fact certification for the culvert and the alteration of the channel just downstream of the culvert. If you have questions about the form or its required attachments, please call.
- (5) In regards to further alteration to the pond, you may remove material without a permit if you follow the conditions listed in #3. However, by regularly removing material and lowering the streambed elevation, you will continually de-stabilize the stream which will likely lead to headcutting/erosion of the banks upstream and downstream of the removal site, further adding to the amount of sediment in the stream.

