

STATE OF INDIANA
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT
PUBLIC NOTICE NO 20260707 – IN0058823 – NOI-T
DATE OF NOTICE: July 7, 2026
DATE RESPONSE DUE: August 7, 2026

The IDEM Office of Water Quality announces a 30-day comment period for its Notice of Intent to Terminate the following NPDES Permit:

Proposed Termination:

Riverbox WWTP, Permit IN0058823, JASPER COUNTY, 17519 North 700 West, Hebron, IN. IDEM proposes to terminate this NPDES permit because of violations of permit requirements and applicable statutes. Permit Manager: Jay Hanko at 317-233-0704 or jhanko@idem.in.gov. Posted online at <https://www.in.gov/idem/public-notices/>.

PROCEDURES TO FILE A RESPONSE

You are hereby notified of the availability of a 30-day public comment period regarding the referenced proposed permit action, in accordance with IC 13-15-5-1. Supporting documents are available for inspection at IDEM, Office of Water Quality, Indiana Government Center North - Room 1255, 100 N. Senate Ave, Indianapolis, IN 46204 from 9:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m., Monday thru Friday, (copies 10¢ per page). This Notice of Intent to Terminate the NPDES permit is posted online on the above-referenced IDEM public notice web page. A courtesy copy has also been sent via email to the local County Health Department. Please tell others whom you think would be interested in this matter. For more information about public participation including your rights & responsibilities, please see <https://www.in.gov/idem/public-notices/>. You may want to consult our online Citizens' Guide to IDEM: <https://www.in.gov/idem/resources/citizens-guide-to-idem/>.

Comments: The proposed decision to terminate this permit is tentative. Interested persons are invited to submit written comments on the proposed agency action. All comments must be delivered to IDEM or postmarked no later than the Response Due Date noted to be considered in the final decision regarding this proposed termination of the permit. Deliver or mail all requests or comments to the attention of the Permit Manager at the above address. **To Request a Public Hearing:** Any person may request a public hearing. A written request must be submitted to the above address on or before the Response Due Date. The written request shall include: the name and address of the person making the request, the interest of the person making the request, persons represented by the person making the request, the reason for the request and the issues proposed for consideration at the hearing. The Department will determine whether to hold a public hearing based upon the comments and the rationale for the request. Public Notice of such a hearing will be posted on IDEM's web site for public notices and notification will also be sent out to those persons submitting comments and/or on the mailing list at least 30 days prior to the hearing.



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Mike Braun
Governor

Clint Woods
Commissioner

July 7, 2026

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Mr. Vaughn Staab, Owner
196 West US 30
Valparaiso Indiana 46385

Dear Mr. Staab:

Re: IDEM Notice of Intent to Terminate
NPDES Permit No. IN0058823
Riverbox Wastewater Treatment Plant
Jasper County

This Agency has initiated termination of the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit for the disposal of sanitary wastewater from the Riverbox Wastewater Treatment Plant (Formerly Marti's Place-Bomar's River Lodge), NPDES Permit No. IN0058823. This NPDES permit was issued on July 22, 2021 and has an expiration date of November 30, 2026.

Enclosed is the Notice of Intent to Terminate NPDES Permit No. IN0058823, which is being initiated for violation of the following statutes and permit requirements:

- IC 13-18-20 NPDES Permit Fees
- IC 13-18-20-15 Revocation of permit
- IC 13-30-10-1.5(e) Offenses involving hazardous waste management, air pollution control, or water pollution control
- Part I.B.2. Data On Plant Operation
- Part I.B.3. Reporting per Monitoring Period
- Part II. A. 1 Duty to Comply
- Part II.A.3. Duty to Provide Information
- Part II. A. 6 Permit Actions
- Part II.C.5. Other Information

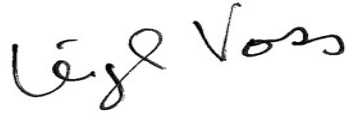
You are hereby notified of the availability of a 30-day public comment period regarding the proposed permit action, in accordance with 327 IAC 5-3-6(e) and 5-3-9. IDEM is posting a notice of the proposed termination of this permit online at <https://www.in.gov/idem/public-notices/>. A copy of the public notice document is enclosed with this letter. Additional information on public participation can be found in the "Citizens' Guide to IDEM", available at <https://www.in.gov/idem/resources/citizens-guide-to-idem/>. This 30-day comment period is available in order to solicit input from interested parties, including the general public.



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Comments concerning the Notice of Intent to Terminate should be submitted in accordance with the procedure outlined in the enclosed public notice form. Questions concerning this draft permit termination may be addressed to Jay Hanko, of my staff at 317/233-0704 or Jhanko@idem.IN.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Leigh Voss". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Leigh" written in a more stylized, connected manner to the last name "Voss".

Leigh Voss, Chief
Municipal NPDES Permits Section
Office of Water Quality

Enclosures

cc: Nick Ream, IDEM Inspections
Jason House, OWQ Compliance Branch