

Public Informational Hearing
Northern Sands, LLC
July 29, 2015

Item #1 – Convene Public Informational Hearing per Chippewa County Non-Metallic Mining Reclamation Ordinance and WI Admin. Code NR135.

The public hearing was called to order by D. Masterpole (LCFM) at 7:00 p.m. Agency staff present were S. Ebel and D. Masterpole (LCFM).

Item #2 – Overview of Non-Metallic Mining Reclamation Plan (6/17/2015), Reclamation Plan Specifications and Standards Used in Plan Review and Permitting.

S. Ebel presented a Power Point report (on file). The report provides an overview of the non-metallic reclamation plan for T29N, R10W, Sections 17, 19, 20, 29, and 30, as submitted by Northern Sands, LLC.

D. Masterpole:

1. Outlined the purpose of the informational hearing, as established under NR 135.20(2).
2. Explained the limits of the testimony that could be submitted and considered under NR 135.20(2)(b).
3. Indicated that the hearing record would remain open for written comments postmarked or received by August 5, 2015, at 4:30 p.m.

Item #3 – Receive Public Comment and Testimony.

The following individuals provided oral testimony: H. Olson, K. Stahl, T. Moody, M. Leach, L. Bragg – Hurlburt, L. Stoffel, N. Pestka, R. Koshoshek, D. Rose, L. Bohland, P. Popple, J. Smalley, M. Morgan, K. Moore,

A full written record of oral and written testimony will be compiled, posted on the County website, and managed as public record.

Item #4 – Close Hearing.

The hearing was closed and the meeting was adjourned at approximately 9:10 p.m.