

Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources
ACCESS PERMISSION AGREEMENT

BRRTS# 02-11-176566

Property type: Source

Columbia County, Wisconsin, hereby gives its permission to the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources ("Department") and its employees, duly authorized representatives, agents and contractors, to enter upon and have access at reasonable times to the property located at County Highway E & Newell Road within NE ¼, NE ¼, Sec. 17, T.13N R. 11E, Town of Scott, Columbia County, Wisconsin, referred to herein as the "Property", that is tax delinquent and unclaimed for the following purposes, so that the Department may:

- (1) Collect water samples from the existing groundwater monitoring wells
- (2) Abandon the existing groundwater monitoring wells

The Department is responsible for any investigative waste that is produced by these activities and will return to collect any investigative waste that may be temporarily stored on the Property.

The permission that is granted herein shall remain in effect until September 1, 2021. After September 1, 2021, if the owner of the Property wishes to withdraw permission for continued access, the owner of the Property shall notify the Department of that fact in writing. The Department shall, within 90 days after receiving such notice, either finalize listed activities or obtain a court order to allow continued access.

The DNR's authority to access to the Property described above is provided under Wis. Stat. § 292.31(3) to investigate or remediate a site or facility.

Property owner certifications

Please mark the box to indicate that you understand and agree to the following information.

- Columbia County hereby agrees not to damage or interfere with groundwater sampling and management activities and the use of any monitoring well that is installed as permitted herein and agrees to notify third parties who plan to conduct any activity on the property described above. The County understands that it is responsible for any damage to monitoring wells if the County causes that damage.
- Columbia County understands that the Department, in the course of conducting investigation and/or response actions, may find that a hazardous substance discharge or environmental pollution exists on the Property. If this occurs, these findings must be reported to the Department per Wis. Stat. § 292.11(2).

If the Department discovers a hazardous substance discharge or environmental pollution on the Property, any current owner of this Property, along with any identifiable causer of

the contamination, may be required to take additional response actions pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 292.11(3), with the exception of any local government unit that owns the Property and is exempt under Wis. Stat. § 292.11(9)(e).

IN WITNESS WHEREOF:



Vern E. Gove, Columbia County Board Chair

01-05-21

Date

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