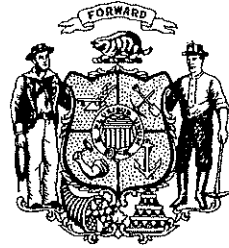


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Joint Committee on Finance

MEMORANDUM

To: Members
Joint Committee on Finance

From: Senator Howard Marklein
Representative Mark Born

Date: January 6, 2023

Re: 14-Day Passive Review Approval – DNR

Pursuant to s. 23.0917(6m), Stats., attached is a 14-day passive review request from the Department of Natural Resources, received on January 6, 2023.

Please review the material and notify **Senator Marklein** or **Representative Born** no later than **Thursday, January 26, 2023**, if you have any concerns about the request or if you would like the Committee to meet formally to consider it.

Also, please contact us if you need further information.

Attachments

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Room 308 East
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The Honorable Howard Marklein, Co-Chair
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Dear Representative Born and Senator Marklein:

Pursuant to s. 23.0917(6m)(a) and (c), Wis. Stats., the Department is notifying you as co-chairs of the Joint Committee on Finance of a proposed Knowles-Nelson Stewardship grant to the Village of Cecil for the Lakeview Park Improvements development project. The proposed grant award of up to \$450,352, is 50% of the estimated project cost.

Lakeview Park is located on the eastern shore of Shawano Lake. The proposed improvements include access drive reconstruction, upgrading site utilities, construction of pathway and parking area for existing ADA-accessible kayak launch, and residing of the restroom building and flooring replacement. These changes will improve the user experience in the campground, park and boat launch areas and the overall accessibility of the property.

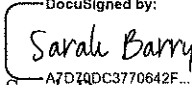
The Village of Cecil project meets goals in the following plans:

- Village of Cecil Comprehensive Plan
- Shawano County Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan 2020-2024
- East Central Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission Year 2030 Regional Comprehensive Plan-Milestone Report #3

As provided in s. 23.0917(6m)(a) and (c), Wis. Stats., if the Department does not receive notification of the scheduling of a hearing from either of the Joint Committee on Finance co-chairpersons within 14 working days from today, the Department will award this grant.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

DocuSigned by:

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Sarah Barry
Deputy Secretary

cc: Dave Siebert, Administrator, External Services Division
Jean Romback-Bartels, Secretary Director, NER
Pam Rood, Stewardship Grant Program Manager
Jessica Terrien, Stewardship Grant Project Manager, NER

CORRESPONDENCE/MEMORANDUM

DATE: December 21, 2022

TO: Members of the Joint Committee on Finance

FROM: Sarah Berry, Deputy Secretary

**SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF STEWARDSHIP DEVELOPMENT GRANT
GREATER THAN \$250,000: VILLAGE OF CECIL**

Pursuant to s. 23.0917(6m)(a) and (c), Wis. Stats., the Department of Natural Resources is notifying you of a proposed Knowles-Nelson Stewardship grant in the amount of up to \$450,352 to the Village of Cecil. The Village requests these funds for improvements of Lakeview Park, located on the eastern shore of Shawano Lake. The Village will use the funds to improve the user experience of the park for camping, boating, and fishing. The Knowles-Nelson Stewardship program is funded under s. 20.866(2)(ta), Wis. Stats.

I. PROJECT DETAILS:

Project Sponsor: Village of Cecil

Project Name: Lakeview Park Improvements

Grant Sub-programs: Acquisition and Development of Local Parks (ADLP)

County: Shawano

Location: 111 E. Hofman St. Cecil, WI 54111

Project Description: The primary purpose of the project is to make improvements to the Lakeview Park campground, ADA connectivity, and updates to aging park amenities. The funds will be used for restroom/shower building flooring and siding replacement, upgrades to campground utilities, reconstruction of the park and campground access drive, pathway and parking improvements to the existing ADA kayak launch, and site furnishings.

The proposed project meets multiple County goals identified in their Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan, which was adopted by the Village, including providing recreational opportunities and facilities to accommodate all abilities, provide diverse recreation activities to meet the needs of residents and visitors of the county, and provide access to the county's waterways. The local economy will benefit from the improved facilities on Shawano Lake, a highly utilized lake by locals and tourists.

Background: Lakeview Park is located on the eastern shore of the 6,063-acre Shawano Lake, which is connected to the Wolf River by a channel. The park has over 550 feet of shoreline used for camping, boat mooring, boat launching, fishing, swimming, and scenic enjoyment. The park has a waterfront walkway along most of its shoreline. Other existing site facilities include a campground, restroom/shower building, boat launch with two ramps and transient docking, parking, and playground equipment. An ADA kayak launch is located at the mouth of Pickerel Creek on the southern edge of the park. Several area businesses and non-profit organizations have submitted letters in support of the project.

Project Goals: The Village of Cecil project meets goals in the following plans:

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Public Uses: Camping, boating, fishing, paddle-craft access, picnicking, nature photography, and scenic enjoyment.

Ownership & Management: Site is owned, operated, and maintained by the Village of Cecil.

Timetable: Planning and design work is anticipated for spring 2023, construction will be completed by spring of 2024.

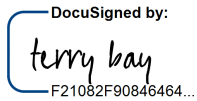
Project Partners:

- The Village of Cecil
- Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (WDNR): Knowles-Nelson Stewardship Grant

II. PROJECT FINANCES:

Proposed WDNR Stewardship Grant FY23	\$	450,352
<u>Village of Cecil</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>450,352</u>
Project Total	\$	900,705

III. RECOMMENDED:

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Terry Bay, Director, Bureau of Facilities and Lands

Date

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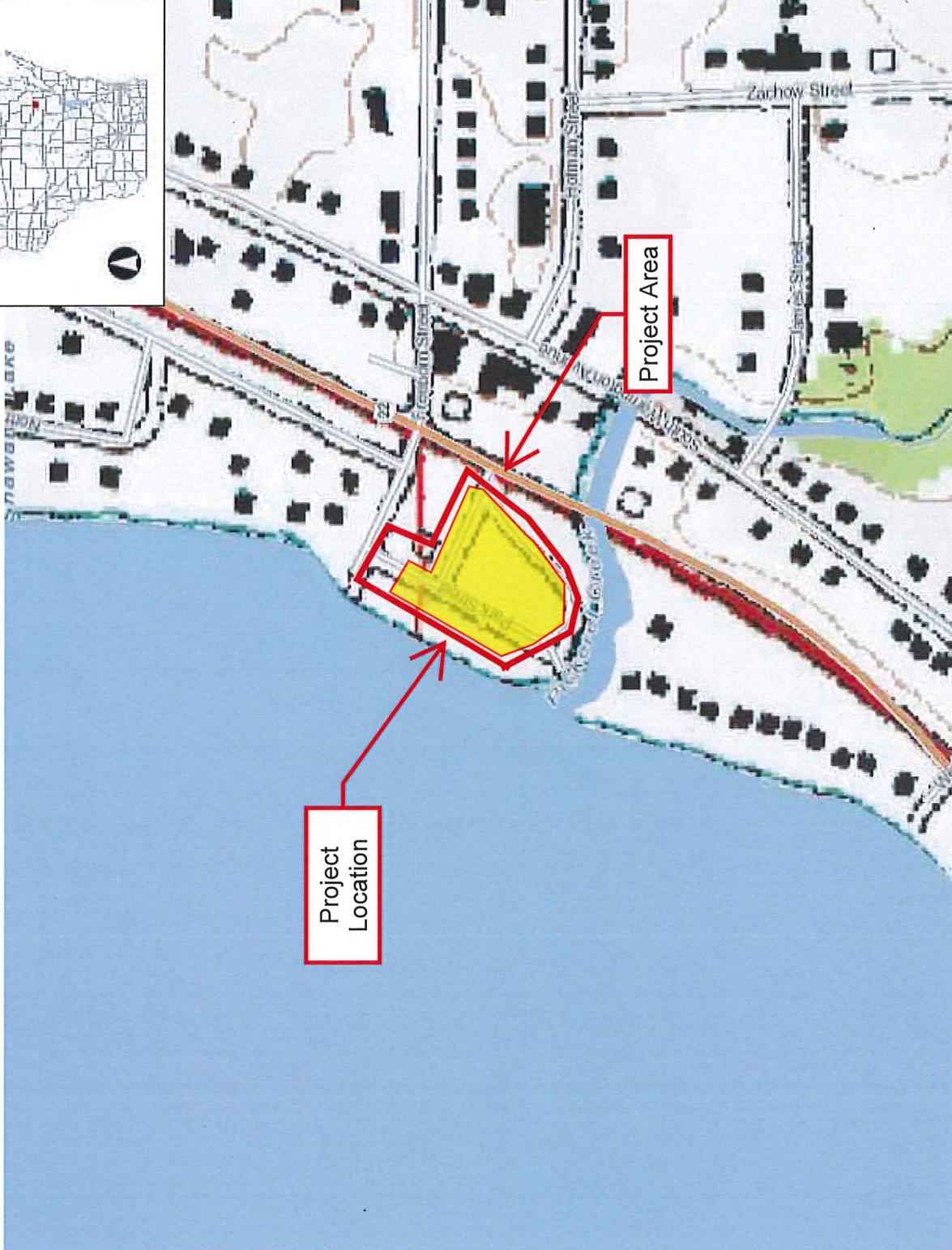
Tim Cooke, Administrator, Division of Internal Services

Date

Attachments: Project Maps



Surface Water Data Viewer Map



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