State of Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources Bureau of Natural Heritage Conservation Attn: Endangered Resources Review Program PO Box 7921, Madison WI 53707-7921 dnr.wi.gov

## **Endangered Resources Review Request**

Form 1700-047 (R 9/22)

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**Notice:** Pursuant to s. 23.27(3)(b), Wis. Stats., this form must be completed and submitted to the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) to request an Endangered Resources (ER) Review of proposed development, management, planning or similar type of project. An ER Review provides the requester with information from Wisconsin's Natural Heritage Inventory (NHI) database and other sources on rare plants and animals, high quality natural communities, and other endangered resources that may be impacted by the proposed project. The ER Review will also include specific recommendations and requirements to help projects comply with Wisconsin's Endangered Species Law (s. 29.604, Wis. Stats.) and other laws and regulations protecting endangered resources. Personal information collected will be used for administrative purposes and may be provided to requesters to the extent required by Wisconsin's Open Records Law (ss. 19.31-19.39, Wis. Stats.).

Instructions: The following materials are required to process this request. Submit all materials by mail to the address above or email (DNRERReview@wisconsin.gov). Do not include payment with this form. Completed, signed form ■ Map(s) delineating the project area, preferably an aerial photo Submission of the following materials are strongly encouraged and will facilitate review of your project: ■ NHI Public Portal Preliminary Assessment Printout Photographs that clearly show the project area, including natural features and vegetation present on site Additional relevant information and reports (e.g., detailed project and habitat descriptions, wetland delineation, and site plans) Section 1: Requester Information (ER Review, correspondence and invoice will be sent to this person) Name Organization Cedar Corporation Anna Beckman Mailing Address State ZIP Code WI 54751 604 Wilson Avenue Menomonie Telephone Number Email Address (715) 235-9081 anna.beckman@cedarcorp.com Section 2: Landowner Information (if different than Section 1) Organization Name Tom Turchi - City Engineer City of Marshfield Mailing Address City State ZIP Code 207 W. 6th Street Marshfield WI 54449 Telephone Number Email Address (715) 486-2034 tom.turchi@ci.marshfield.wi.us **Section 3: Project Information** Project Name Project Address (if applicable) Yellowstone Drive, east of the intersection with County A Yellowstone Industrial Park Project Types: ○ Industrial ○ Utility/Energy Residential Commercial ( ) Transportation (roads, railroads, trails, harbors, airports) ( ) Other: Industrial Park development including road construction and utility installation NRCS PSC Approval (Utility/Energy only) DOT or FHWA Administered Yes No ( ) Unknown ()Yes ( ) No ( ) Unknown Start Date (on-site disturbance) Federal Land, Funding or Permit End Date (on-site disturbance) No Unknown () Yes 05/01/2024 County Land Types (Select all that apply) City ( ) Town Village of: Public (e.g. road ROWs, schools, Private Wood Marshfield city/county land, etc.) Additional Comments on TRS Location (attach additional information if necessary) Township Range Direction Section ● E 25 N 3 15  $\bigcirc W$ ● E 25 03 22  $\bigcirc$  W

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#### Section 3: Project Information, continued

Provide a <u>detailed</u> description of the proposed project and associated disturbance, including acres to be disturbed. Attach additional pages as needed.

The proposed project would involve the construction of an industrial park on the southeast side of the City of Marshfield along Yellowstone Drive just east of the intersection with County A. Approximately 124 acres would be developed north of Yellowstone Drive with another 16 acres south of Yellowstone slated for potential development. The project is currently in a conceptual stage, so exact impacts have yet to be determined, and development will likely take place gradually. Construction of streets, utilities, and other infrastructure is not proposed until development is imminent. Activities associated with the industrial park expansion include the construction of new streets, underground utilities, stormwater management features, industrial/commercial buildings, and two rail spur extensions. Project start date is tentative and is dependent upon facilities expressing interest in developing in the industrial park.

Provide a <u>detailed</u> description of the habitat types and current land use within the limits of the project area (e.g., 50% in active agriculture-currently corn, 20% floodplain forest, 15% industrial area, 10% hardwood swamp dominated by black ash, 5% fallow field in active agriculture until one year ago). Attach additional pages as needed.

Current land use within the project area is primarily agricultural cropland (95%). There are some wetlands located within the project area (approximately 1%), but impacts to wetlands are anticipated to be minimal. Approximately 4% of the project area is surface water (2 ponds). Impacts to surface water are not anticipated for this project.

List all wetlands and waterbodies (e.g., rivers, intermittent streams, lakes, marshes) within or adjacent to the project area. List any known or suspected impacts of the proposed project to these wetlands and waterbodies. Indicate the location(s) of any point source discharge(s) into wetlands or waterbodies.

There are two ponds located within the project area, one being a stormwater retention pond located at the south end of the site. Impacts to surface water are not anticipated for this project.

List any reports or correspondence concerning endangered resources or habitat that may be impacted by the proposed project (e.g., wetland delineation, endangered resources reviews, habitat assessments, and rare species surveys). Attach copies if available.

NHI Portal Preliminary Assessments were completed for the northern and southern portions of this project area (see attached). While these assessments indicated that no further actions were required, Site Selection Group and the Wisconsin Certified Sites program is requiring a ER Review to be performed for this project.

Section 4: Related Permits, Licenses or	Regulatory Approvals (DNR or other state/federal agency)	
Permit, License or Approval	Permitting Agency Contact Person	Status
		<ul><li> will be applying for</li><li> have applied for</li><li> have received</li></ul>
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## Section 5: Terms and Conditions

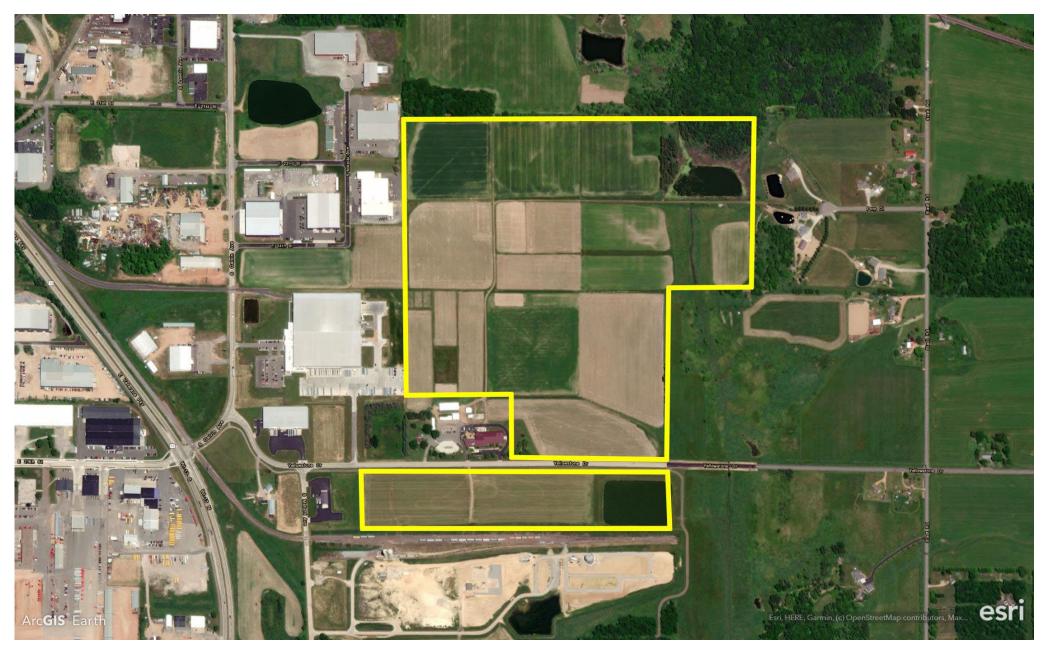
The requested ER Review may contain NHI data and information (including specific locations of endangered resources) which are considered sensitive and are not subject to Wisconsin's Open Records Law (per s. 23.27, Wis. Stats.). The information contained in the ER Review is solely for planning and implementation of the proposed project. As such, the information contained in the ER Review shall only be shared with individuals who need this information to carry out specific roles in the planning, permitting, and implementation of the proposed project. The requester must agree to not reproduce or disseminate the ER Review or the specific locations of endangered resources contained in the ER Review to any other parties or individuals without prior written permission from the DNR Bureau of Natural Heritage Conservation. (Contact the Endangered Resources Review Program at 608-419-2755 if you have any questions about sharing information contained in the ER Review.)

#### Section 6: Certification by Requester

I agree to pay, within 30 days of receipt of an invoice, the \$75/hour fee charged by the Department per s. NR 29.04(1), Wis. Adm. Code, for this ER review. I am the owner, authorized representative of the owner, or utility representative of the property for which I am requesting an Endangered Resources (ER) Review. I accept the terms and conditions outlined in Section 5 (above). To the best of my knowledge, the information I have provided is complete and accurate.

Anna Beckman	4/28/2023	Anna Beckman
Signature of Requester	Date Signed	Printed Name

# Yellowstone Industrial Park





### **Endangered Resources Preliminary Assessment**

Created on 4/10/2023. This report is good for one year after the created date.

DNR staff will be reviewing the ER Preliminary Assessments to verify the results provided by the Public Portal. ER Preliminary Assessments are only valid if the project habitat and waterway-related questions are answered accurately based on current site conditions. If an assessment is deemed invalid, a full ER review may be required even if the assessment indicated otherwise.

## ■ Results

A search was conducted of the NHI Portal within a 1-mile buffer (for terrestrial and wetland species) and a 2-mile buffer (for aquatic species) of the project area. Based on these search results, below are your next steps.

**No further actions**. No records of pertinent endangered resources are present in the area and an Endangered Resources Review is not needed for this project. The ER Preliminary Assessment can be submitted with DNR permit applications and requests to demonstrate compliance with the Endangered Resources Review process.

A copy of this document can be kept on file and submitted with any other necessary DNR permit applications to show that the need for an ER Review has been met. This notice only addresses endangered resources issues. This notice does not constitute DNR authorization of the proposed project and does not exempt the project from securing necessary permits and approvals from the DNR and/or other permitting authorities.

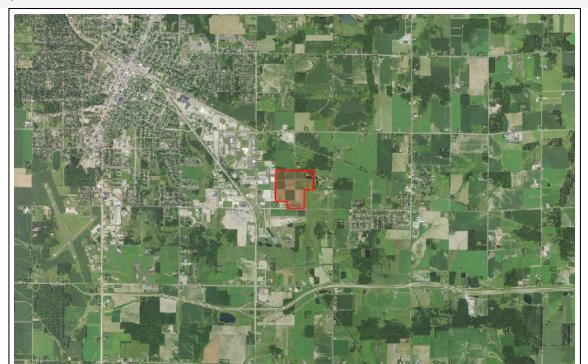
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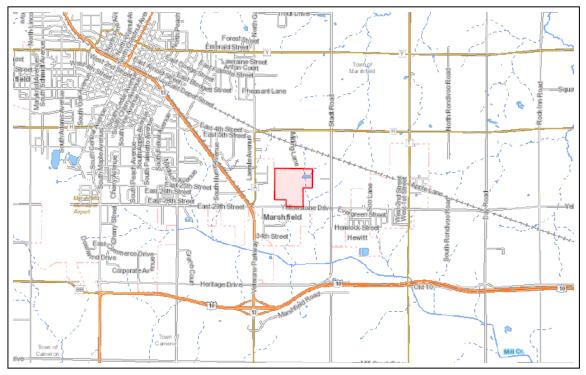
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Is there any federal involvement with the project?	No
Is the project a utility, agricultural, forestry or bulk sampling (associated with mining) project?	Yes
Is the project property in Managed Forest Law or Managed Forest Tax Law?	No
Project involves tree or shrub removal?	No
Is project near (within 300 ft) a waterbody or a shoreline?	Yes
Is project within a waterbody or along the shoreline?	No

Does the project area (including access routes, staging areas, laydown yards, select sites, source/fill sites, etc.) occur **entirely within** one or more of the following habitats?

Urban/residential No

Manicured lawn	No
Artificial/paved surface	No
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Areas covered in crushed stone or gravel	No





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Client	City of Marshfield
Project	Yellowstone Industrial Park
Prepared By	Cedar Corporation

Project No.	M0858-013
Date	April 3, 2023

Photo No.	Date
1	April 3, 2023

## **Direction Photo Taken**

East

## Description

Looking east along Yellowstone Drive at the southwest corner of the property.



Photo No.	Date
2	April 3, 2023

## **Direction Photo Taken**

North

## Description

Looking north towards the center of the property from the southwest corner.









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## **Direction Photo Taken**

Northwest

## Description

Looking northwest towards the western most edge of the property where it shares the border with multiple commercial buildings.



Photo No.	Date
4	April 3, 2023

## **Direction Photo Taken**

East

# Description

Gravel road through the property allowing access to the agricultural fields.









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# **Direction Photo Taken**

Northeast

# Description

Retention pond located in the northeast corner of the property.



Photo No.	Date
6	April 3, 2023
Direction P	hoto Taken
South	nwest
Descr	iption
Looking south	west across
subject prope	rty from the

northeast corner.





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Photo No.	Date
8	April 3, 2023

## **Direction Photo Taken**

South

# Description

Looking south across property toward Yellowstone Drive from the north end of property.





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Photo No.	Date
13	April 3, 2023
Direction P	Photo Taken
Southwest	
	ription
Western half	of property owstone Drive.
South of Yello	wstone Drive.

Photo No.	Date
14	April 3, 2023
Direction	Photo Taken
Sou	thwest
Desc	ription
	e of property owstone Drive.