



REPLY TO ATTENTION OF  
REGULATORY BRANCH

**DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY**  
**ST. PAUL DISTRICT, CORPS OF ENGINEERS**  
**180 FIFTH STREET EAST, SUITE 700**  
**ST. PAUL, MN 55101-1678**

March 21, 2018

Regulatory File No. 2014-04080-KJH

Dennis Pelock  
Crawford County Highway Department  
21515 Highway 27  
Seneca, Wisconsin 54654

Dear Mr. Pelock:

This correspondence is in regard to a pre-construction notification (PCN) by the Crawford County Highway Department requesting Department of the Army (DA) authorization to discharge fill material into approximately 6000 square feet of an unnamed tributary of the Mississippi River for the reconstruction of County Highway N (CTH N) (Project I.D. 5496-00-04). The project includes the replacement of a 48" culvert and 500 linear feet of stream realignment to accommodate the relocation of the CTH N and State Highway 35 intersection. The project site is in Section 36, Township 8 North, Range 7 West, and Section 31 and 32, Township 8 North, Range 6 West, in Crawford County, Wisconsin.

Certain minor activities are eligible for authorization by general permits, which include Nationwide (NWP) and Regional General (RGP) permits. Your project as shown on the enclosed figures labeled 2014-04080-KJH Page 1 of 3 through Page 3 of 3 is authorized as one single and complete linear project by the Transportation RGP, category 2.

In order for this verification to be valid, you must ensure the work is performed in accordance with the enclosed general permit terms, General Conditions, St. Paul District Regional Conditions, and the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources' 401 Water Quality Certification Conditions.

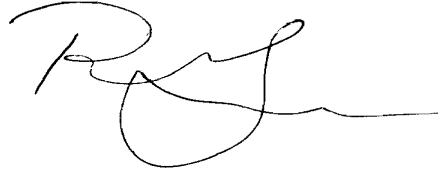
You are also required to complete and return the enclosed Compliance Certification form within 30 days upon completion of your project in accordance with your permit conditions. Please mail the completed form to the Corps contact identified in the last paragraph.

This verification is valid until February 19, 2023, unless the general permit is modified, suspended, or revoked. If the work has not been completed by that time, you should contact this office to verify that the permit is still valid. Furthermore, if you commence or are under contract to commence this activity before the date of general permit expiration, modification, or revocation, you will have 12 months from the date of expiration, modification or revocation to complete the activity under the present terms and conditions of the general permit.

Our verification of this permit is based on the project description and construction methods provided in your PCN. You are cautioned that a change in the location or plans may invalidate this verification. Proposed changes should be coordinated with this office prior to construction. Failure to comply with all terms and conditions of this permit verification invalidates this verification and could result in a violation of Section 301 of the Clean Water Act or Section 10 of the Rivers and Harbors Act. You must also obtain all local, State, and other Federal permits that apply to this project.

If you have any questions, please contact Kerrie J. Hauser in our La Crescent office at (651) 290-5903 or Kerrie.j.hauser@usace.army.mil. In any correspondence or inquiries, please refer to the Regulatory file number shown above.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R. Graser', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Rebecca M. Graser  
Acting, Chief Southeast Section

Enclosures

cc: WDNR, Karen Kalvelage Transportation Liaison  
Jewell Associates Engineers, Ellery Schaffer

See  
ATTACHMENT 9F  
for General Permit  
letter to WDNR with  
terms and  
conditions.