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Office of Water Quality
Wetlands Section

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Not Applicable

PUBLIC NOTICE

To all interested parties: This letter shall serve as a formal notice of the receipt of an application for a **State Isolated Wetland Individual Permit** by the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM). The purpose of the notice is to inform the public of active applications submitted for permits required under IC 13-18-22 and to solicit comments and information on any impacts to water quality related to the proposed project. IDEM will evaluate whether the project complies with Indiana's water quality standards as set forth at 327 IAC 2 and all applicable provisions of IC 13-18-22.

1. Applicant: Tom Ecker
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Anderson, IN, 46016

2. Agent: Jenna Garrison
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3. Project location: Location is at (40.146969, -85.6791809)
From Indianapolis take I-69 N for 25.5 miles and take exit 26 toward IN-9 N/S Scatterfield Rd. Continue on IN-9/Scatterfield Rd. for 8 miles and turn left onto Broadway St. Project area is on the right in agricultural fields next to the LaRusso Auto Group business.

4. Affected waterbody: Affected waterbodies consist of two isolated wetlands. Wetland A a 0.6 acre class II non-forested isolated wetland, and Wetland B, a 0.4 acre Class II non-forested isolated wetland. Both wetlands will be filled to construct the new building. Wetland B is an exempt isolated wetland under IC 13-11-2-74/5(a)(6)(B) – a class II isolated wetland located within the boundaries of a municipality, and has an area, as delineated, of not more than three-fourths (3/4) acre. Wetland A is not exempt and is regulated under IC-13-18-22 and will be required to purchase mitigation credits at a 1.5:1 ratio. Permittee intends to purchase credits from the DNR ILF in the Upper White Service Area. There are two other wetlands (Wetland C and D) in the north west forested corner of the parcel that are not going to be impacted and will be protected with erosion control protections and “Do Not Disturb” signage.

5. Project Description: The proposed project is to construct the Madison County Jail in Anderson, Indiana.

Comment period: Any person or entity who wishes to submit comments or information relevant to the aforementioned project may do so by the closing date noted above. Only comments or information related to water quality or potential impacts of the project on water quality can be considered by IDEM in the state isolated wetland permit review process.

Public Hearing: Any person may submit a written request that a public hearing be held to consider issues related to water quality in connection with the project detailed in this notice. The request for a hearing should be submitted within the comment period to be considered timely. The request should also state the reason for the public hearing as specifically as possible to assist IDEM in determining whether a public hearing is warranted.

Questions?

Additional information may be obtained from Janelle Kozelichki, Project Manager, at Jkozelic@IDEM.IN.Gov or 317-296-0737. Please address all correspondence to the project manager and reference the IDEM project identification number listed on this notice. Indicate if you wish to receive a copy of IDEM's final decision. Written comments and inquiries may be forwarded to -

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