



VIA CERTIFIED MAIL

August 16, 2023

Brian and Lucille Kaczmarek
5448 Stiles Road
Lena, WI 54139

Subject: Notice of Noncompliance for Pond Construction

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Kaczmarek:

It has come to the Department's attention that you, or person acting on your behalf, have constructed a pond within 500 feet of the Oconto River located at 5448 Stiles Road, Lena, in Government Lot 2, Section 26, Township 28 North, Range 20 East, Town of Stiles, Oconto County. According to Oconto County's tax records, the project site has tax key number 04026260212B.

Written authorization pursuant to s. 30.19(1g)(am), Wisconsin Statutes, is required prior to conducting this type of activity. Based on a review of the Department's permit records, approvals have not been issued for your project.

By no later than September 5, 2023, please contact me at 920-360-2715 or Erin.Carviou@Wisconsin.gov to discuss the non-compliance and schedule a site inspection.

This work may also require authorization from the US Army Corps of Engineers, Oconto County, and/or the Town of Stiles. We recommend that you contact each of these offices to determine whether other permits are needed.

Your prompt attention in this matter is greatly appreciated. I look forward to working with you to bring your project into compliance.

Sincerely,



Erin Carviou
Water Management Specialist

CC: Kay Lutze, Department Waterways Supervisor
Paul Hartrick, Department Conservation Warden
Pat Virtues, Door County Zoning Administrator
Jill Babino, Town of Stiles Clerk