Notice of Public Hearing

The City of Otsego will hold a public hearing on the proposed Clean Water State Revolving Fund Project Plan improvements for the purpose of receiving comments from interested persons.

The hearing will be held at 7:00 P.M. on Monday, June 1, 2015 at the City Hall located at 117 E. Orleans Street, Otsego, MI 49078.

The purpose of the proposed improvements addressed in the Project Plan are intended to replace aging equipment, upgrade processes to improve efficiency and help reduce operation costs, and improve reliability and redundancy of the wastewater treatment plant and collection system.

It is expected that construction of the improvements will include wastewater treatment plant improvements involving the primary clarification, disinfection, sludge handling, phosphorus removal, emergency standby power, and raw sewage pumping; and collection system improvement projects to include lining of the sanitary intercepting sewer.

Impacts of the proposed improvements include minor disturbances at the wastewater treatment plant and collection system locations for improvements and replacement of existing equipment.

The total construction costs for the proposed improvements are estimated at \$2,184,340. The proposed improvements could increase the City's sewer customers' quarterly bills. The City will conduct a rate study to determine the appropriate cost distribution prior to loan closing.

A copy of the Project Plan detailing the proposed projects is available for inspection at the following location:

Otsego City Hall 117 East Orleans Street Otsego, MI 49078

Written comments received before the hearing record is closed on Monday, June 1, 2015, at the completion of the public hearing, will receive responses in the final Project Plan. Written comments should be sent to:

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