

PUBLIC NOTICE
PRELIMINARY ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS DETERMINATION

The Village of Bensenville intends to apply for and obtain funding for water system improvements utilizing a low interest loan from the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA) Public Water Supply Loan Program (PWSLP). Section 662.520 of the Illinois Procedures for Issuing Loans from the PWSLP requires that the IEPA publish an assessment of the environmental impacts of proposed public water supply projects to be funded with loans. Prior to granting approval of the plan, the IEPA requires that the public be granted an opportunity to comment as to whether or not the anticipated impacts of the project have been adequately assessed.

The water system improvements projects to be funded by the PWSLP include the following: replacement of portions of the existing White Pines Area water distribution system, which may include lead service lines. The project consists of 16,923 feet of 8-inch diameter and 823 feet of 6-inch diameter water mains, valves, valve vaults, fire hydrants, copper water services, abandonment of existing water mains, and construction area restoration.

The IEPA has reviewed the project plan and concurs with the Village's finding that the proposed project is technically appropriate and cost-effective. Unless new information provided through the public comment process causes a reconsideration, the IEPA will approve this planning at the close of the public comment period.

A copy of the Project Plan and the IEPA Project Summary and Preliminary Environmental Impacts Determination (PEID) are available for public inspection at the Bensenville Village Hall, 12 South Center Street, Bensenville and the Bensenville Public Works Department, 717 E. Jefferson Street, Bensenville.

All interested parties are invited to review the documents and attend the public hearing on July 23, 2019, at 6:30 PM, at the Village of Bensenville Village Hall, 12 South Center Street, Bensenville. Verbal comments will be accepted at the public hearing. Written comments may be submitted to the attention of Mr. Joseph Caracci, Director of Public Works, and/or Mr. Chris Nifong of the IEPA, within 10 days following the public hearing date. The addresses for written comments are:

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