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MADISON – Members of the public can comment until Monday, Aug. 22, on a proposal to replace a culvert where Evergreen Avenue crosses Ten Mile Creek in the Town of Grant, Portage County.

The Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection has prepared an environmental assessment of the project that finds the project would not affect the environment significantly. The project requires DATCP approval because Ten Mile Creek is part of a drainage district. The department oversees drainage districts in Wisconsin.

The Town of Grant is reconstructing Evergreen Avenue to meet current road design standards. The replacement culvert is designed to allow proper drainage from the district land and allow passage of coldwater fish.

The environmental assessment is posted online at https://datcp.wi.gov/Documents/TenMileCrEA.pdf. Paper copies are available by mail by contacting Chris Clayton, 608-224-4630, christopher.clayton@wi.gov. It can also be viewed at the department's Madison office, 2811 Agriculture Drive, 7:45 a.m.-4:30 p.m. weekdays.

Comments may be emailed to christopher.clayton@wi.gov or mailed to DATCP-ARM, ATTN Chris Clayton, P.O. Box 8911, Madison, 53708-88911. They must be received by 4:30 p.m. Monday, Aug. 22.

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