

Illinois Department of Natural Resources

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**COMPREHENSIVE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW PROCESS**

Regional CERP code: ILB-16-04 Project title: Paxton Drive Realignment  
 Site name: Illinois Beach SP Proposed start date: Spring 2016 (estimated)—**RUSH review requested**  
 Contact person: Barry Hart Phone: 847-608-3100x32035 County: Lake  
 Township: T46N Range: R12E Section: 27

**Project Description:**

Beginning in 2010, the Village of Beach Park has requested a license agreement that will allow them to realign Paxton Drive so it intersects Wadsworth Road instead of Sheridan Road. To do this, Paxton Drive would cross IDNR land on the south side of Wadsworth Road opposite the CVS Pharmacy access driveway on Wadsworth Road's north side. (That access driveway was built over IDNR land per extended license agreement #6624, 07/15/2009, having a term of 30 years.)

Most likely, field work and engineering design for Paxton Drive's reconstruction will commence after the extended license agreement between IDNR and the Village is completed.

The proposed width for the new alignment across IDNR land is 60'; the road pavement width is 24'. A culvert pipe will be needed where the road crosses Wadsworth Road's south ditch. Actual details will become known during engineering design. Appended to this form are two conceptual plans; one is the Paxton Drive realignment and the other is a potential commercial building development at the southeast corner of Wadsworth Road and Sheridan Road.

Regional staff comments from reviews in 2010 and 2015 are appended to this form. Among the comments are recommend a number of required commitments and suggested commitments that are desired from the Village.

Is work area in a Federal Aid Project boundary? Yes or No Federal Aid type:  
 Funding source: IDNR Capital— Heavy Equipment— Force Account—  
 Other State, Local, or Private agency— **Village of Beach Park**  
 Federal Agency— Federal Program—

Approval by Site Superintendent (for all NON-CAPITAL projects, e.g., heavy equipment, force account, leases, r-o-w, etc.)

Signature, Site Superintendent: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: November 4, 2015

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 REVIEWS PERFORMED**

	Approved	Approved w/ Restrictions	Comments
Threatened & Endangered Species Natural Areas/Nature Preserves	<u>X</u>	_____	_____
Wetlands	<u>X</u>	_____	_____
Cultural Resources	<u>X</u>	_____	_____
Other	<u>N/A</u>	_____	_____

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