



**State of Wisconsin / Department of Natural Resources**

Tony Evers , Governor

Preston D Cole , Secretary

Office of the Secretary Approval:

Signature: *Todd Lemke*  
 Date: 7/27/2021 | 8:50 AM CDT

**Report to the Natural Resources Board (NR 1.41(4))**

Land Transaction Status Prior to Governor's Approval

11-Aug-21  
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**Function: Natural Areas**  
**Transaction Type: Fee - Acquisition**

Grantor / Property Name	File No	Acres	Cost	County	Type Land	Date Option	Transaction Status
Mycelium LLC, a Wisconsin Limited Liability Company	NA 20181 *	28.61	\$0.00	Crawford	Gift	N/A	Option Expires: NA
RUSH CREEK NATURAL AREA							Board - August
Land donation of 28.61 acres consisting of a ridgetop parcel that is irregular in shape and is mostly oak forest which provides additional habitat for rare plants and animals found on the adjacent SNA.							

Mycelium LLC, a Wisconsin Limited Liability Company	NA 20182 *	222.95	\$0.00	Crawford	Gift	N/A	Option Expires: NA
RUSH CREEK NATURAL AREA AND RUSH CREEK STREAMBANK PROTECTION AREA							Board - August
Land donation of 222.95 acres, comprised of primarily oak forest and including 2,700 feet of two-bank frontage on Rush Creek, a class II trout stream, and 1,127 feet of two-bank frontage on Cooley Creek, a class I trout stream. The portion of the parcel within Rush Creek Streambank Protection Area will be designated as a state natural area and will be managed together with the Rush Creek Natural Area. This large contiguous block of oak forest provides critical habitat and will provide additional recreational opportunities for the public.							

**Function: Northern Forests**  
**Transaction Type: Easement - Acquisition**

Grantor / Property Name	File No	Acres	Cost	County	Type Land	Date Option	Transaction Status
The Conservation Fund	NF 30296 *	12,496.73	\$4,675,600.00	Oneida	Stew2010	N/A	Option Expires: NA
FOREST LEGACY PROGRAM							Sent for JFC Approval
Acquisition of a 12,496.73-acre working forest conservation easement from The Conservation Fund who has an accepted offer to purchase on lands currently owned by Heartwood Forestland Fund IV Limited Partnerships. A total of \$500,000 of the purchase price will be set aside and placed in an endowment, with earnings available to pay for road maintenance and repair on designated open access roads on the easement. If approved, the department also requests the establishment of the official name of Pelican River Forest Conservation Easement, under the authority of MC 2281.1.							

**Transaction Type: Fee - Acquisition**

Grantor / Property Name	File No	Acres	Cost	County	Type Land	Date Option	Transaction Status
Ronald Meier GREEN BAY WEST SHORES WILDLIFE AREA	WM 60744 *	120.38	\$289,000.00	Oconto	NRDA, NAWCA	4/27/2021	Option Expires: 10/24/2021 Board - August
Fee acquisition of 120.38 acres of vacant land, with the majority of the property lying within the project boundary, but 4.88 acres and two access easements totaling 0.33 acres included with the acquisition lying outside of the boundary. This portion of the acquisition provides additional access to County Highway Y. The two access easements run across an adjacent parcel to the south that will help eliminate trespassing across said parcel and will provide management access for that portion of the Wildlife Area.							
Thomas Ancis Jatnieks BIG SWAMP WILDLIFE AREA	WM 60745 *	1.50	\$0.00	Buffalo	Gift	6/8/2021	Option Expires: 10/06/2021 Board - August
Land donation of 1.5 acres of sedge/wet meadow wetlands and road ditch uplands with approximately 207 feet of two-bank frontage on Bear Creek, a class III trout stream. This parcel also has the potential to provide additional roadside parking for Big Swamp Wildlife Area, a significant need for the property.							
Kenosha County NEW MUNSTER WILDLIFE AREA	WM 60746 *	1.50	\$0.00	Kenosha	Gift	N/A	Option Expires: NA Board - August
Land donation of a 1.5-acre landlocked parcel surrounded by department-owned land. The department maintains a mowed trail that crosses the county-owned parcel. The trail is important for management and access, serving as a firebreak, a pheasant stocking road, and providing hunter access.							



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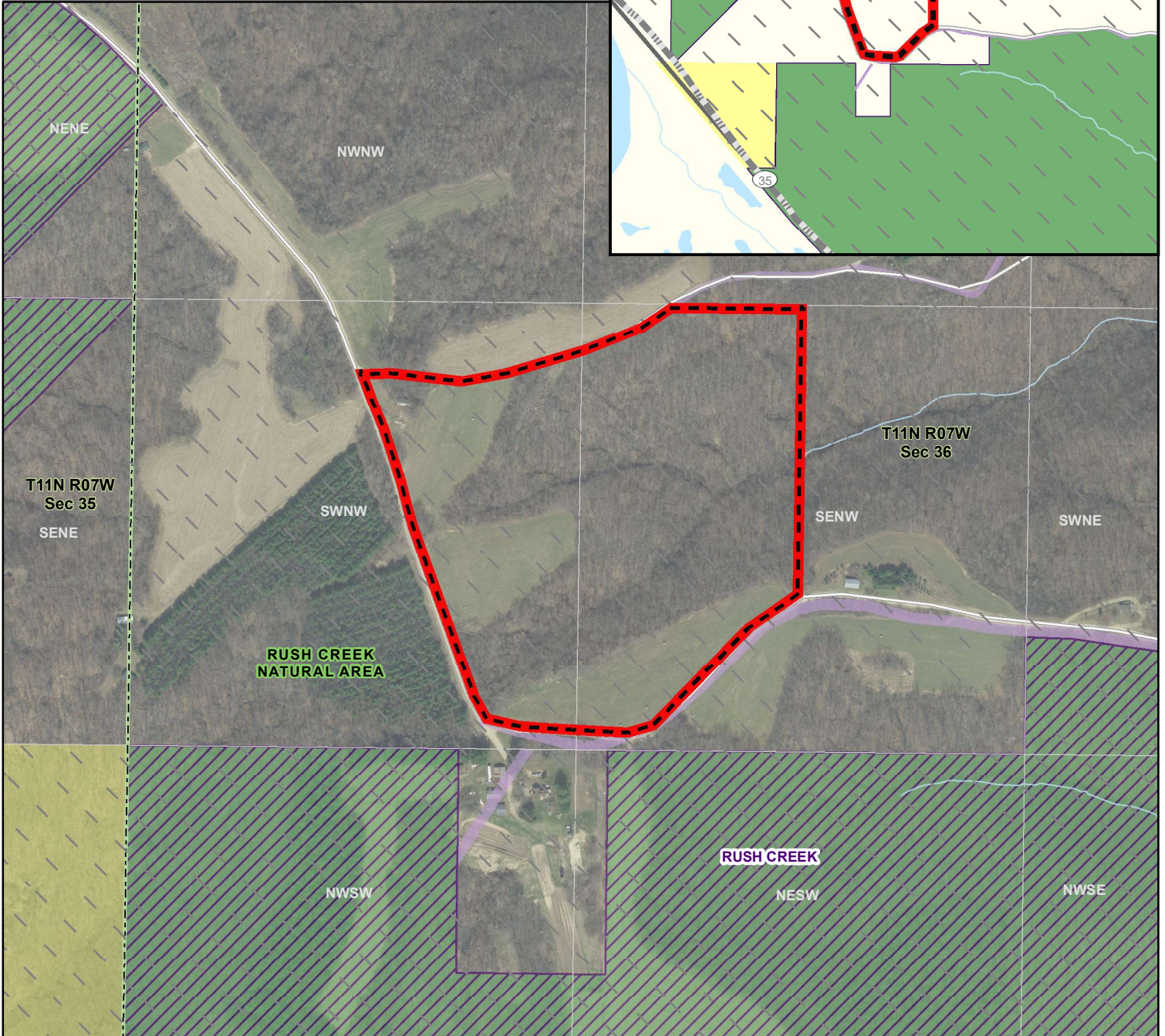
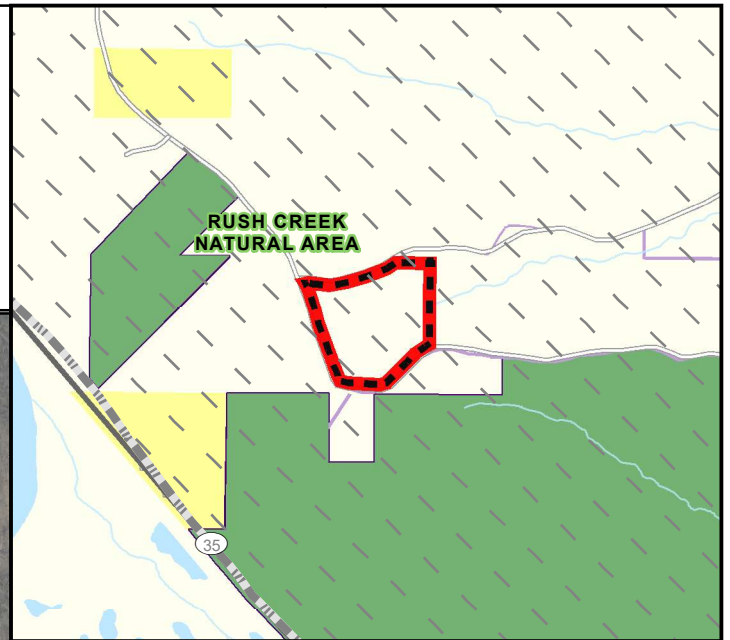
## Stewardship Expenses / Allotment For Fiscal Year 2022









Function	<u>Allotment</u>	<u>Allotment</u>	<u>Allotment</u>	<u>Cost to Date</u>	<u>Remaining</u>		<u>Acres</u>
	<u>Stewardship</u>	<u>Federal/Other</u>	<u>Total</u>		<u>Balance</u>	<u>Percent</u>	
Fisheries Management	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.00%	0.00
Parks & So. Forests	\$540,000	\$0	\$0	\$540,000	\$0	0.00%	220.00
Rivers and Resource Areas	\$0	\$226,500	\$226,500	\$226,500	\$0	0.00%	52.15
Wildlife Management	\$0	\$289,000	\$289,000	\$289,000	\$0	0.00%	123.38
Natural Areas	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.00%	251.56
Forestry	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.00%	0.00
Ice Age Trail Fee	\$333,333	\$0	\$333,333	\$0	\$333,333	100.00%	0.00
Statewide Fee Acquisition	\$2,126,667	\$0	\$2,126,667	\$0	\$2,126,667	79.75%	0.00
Other Properties	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.00%	0.00
BCPL	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.00%	0.00
Fisheries Easements	\$7,200	\$0	\$7,200	\$7,200	\$0	0.00%	0.10
Dam Repair	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.00%	0.00
Department Initiatives	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.00%	0.00
Ice Age Trail Easements	\$666,667	\$0	\$666,667	\$0	\$666,667	100.00%	0.00
Statewide Easements	\$5,326,133	\$0	\$5,326,133	\$0	\$5,326,133	99.86%	0.00
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$9,000,000</b>	<b>\$515,500</b>	<b>\$9,515,500</b>	<b>\$1,062,700</b>	<b>\$8,452,800</b>	<b>88.83%</b>	<b>647.19</b>



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# File Number - NA 20181

Grantor Name: Mycelium LLC, a Wisconsin  
 Limited Liability Company  
 Grantee Name: Wisconsin DNR  
 Acres: 28.61  
 County: Crawford



-  Subject
-  DNR Fee Title
-  DNR Easement
-  Original Pre-2013 Project Boundary - Not Subject to JFC Review
-  State Natural Area
-  Federal Land
-  Section Boundary
-  QQ Section Boundary



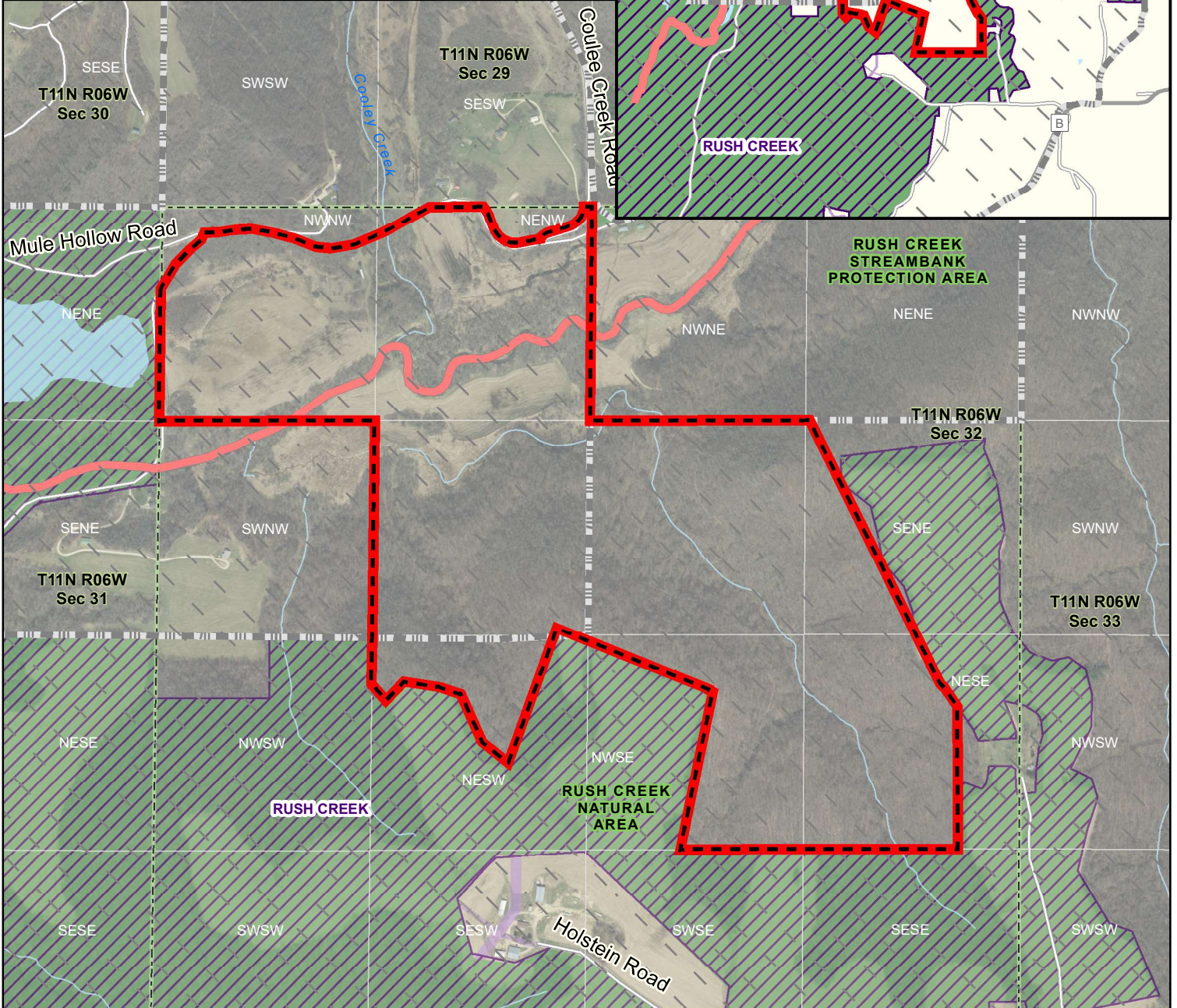
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# File Number - NA 20182

Grantor Name: Mycelium LLC, a Wisconsin Limited Liability Company  
 Grantee Name: WI DNR  
 Property Name: Rush Creek Natural Area and Rush Creek Streambank Protection Area  
 Acres: 222.95  
 County: Crawford



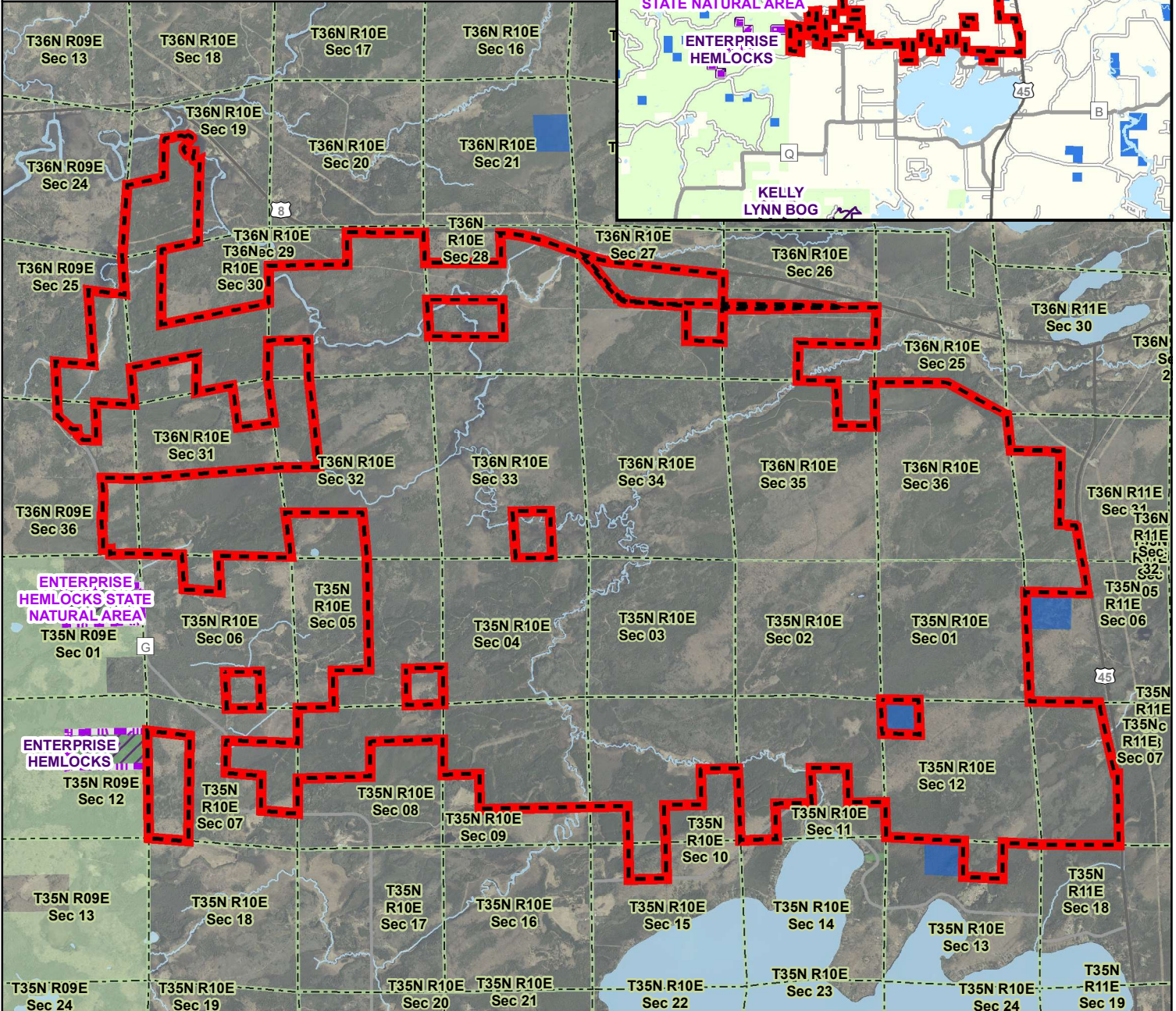
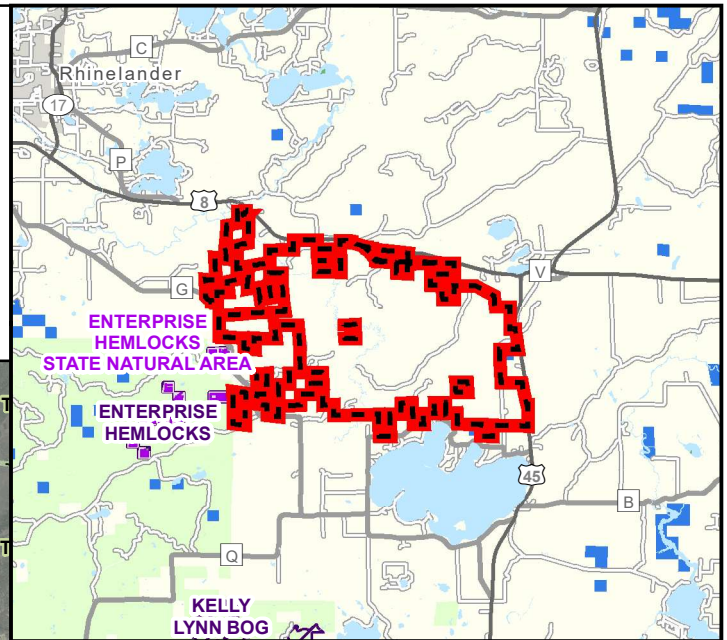
-  Subject
-  Original Pre-2013 Project Boundary - Not Subject to JFC Review
-  State Natural Area
-  Streambank Eligible Stream
-  DNR Fee Title
-  DNR Easement
-  DNR Easement (Closed to Public Access)
-  Section Boundary
-  QQ Section Boundary








  
  
  
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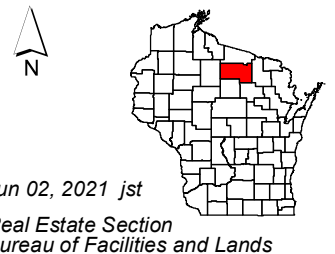
# File Number - NF 30296

Grantor Name: The Conservation Fund  
 Grantee Name: WI DNR  
 Property Name: Forest Legacy Program  
 Acres: 12,496.73  
 County: Oneida



-  Subject
-  State Natural Area Project Boundary
-  State Natural Area
-  DNR Fee Title
-  County Forest Lands
-  Board of Commissioners of Public Lands
-  Section Boundary

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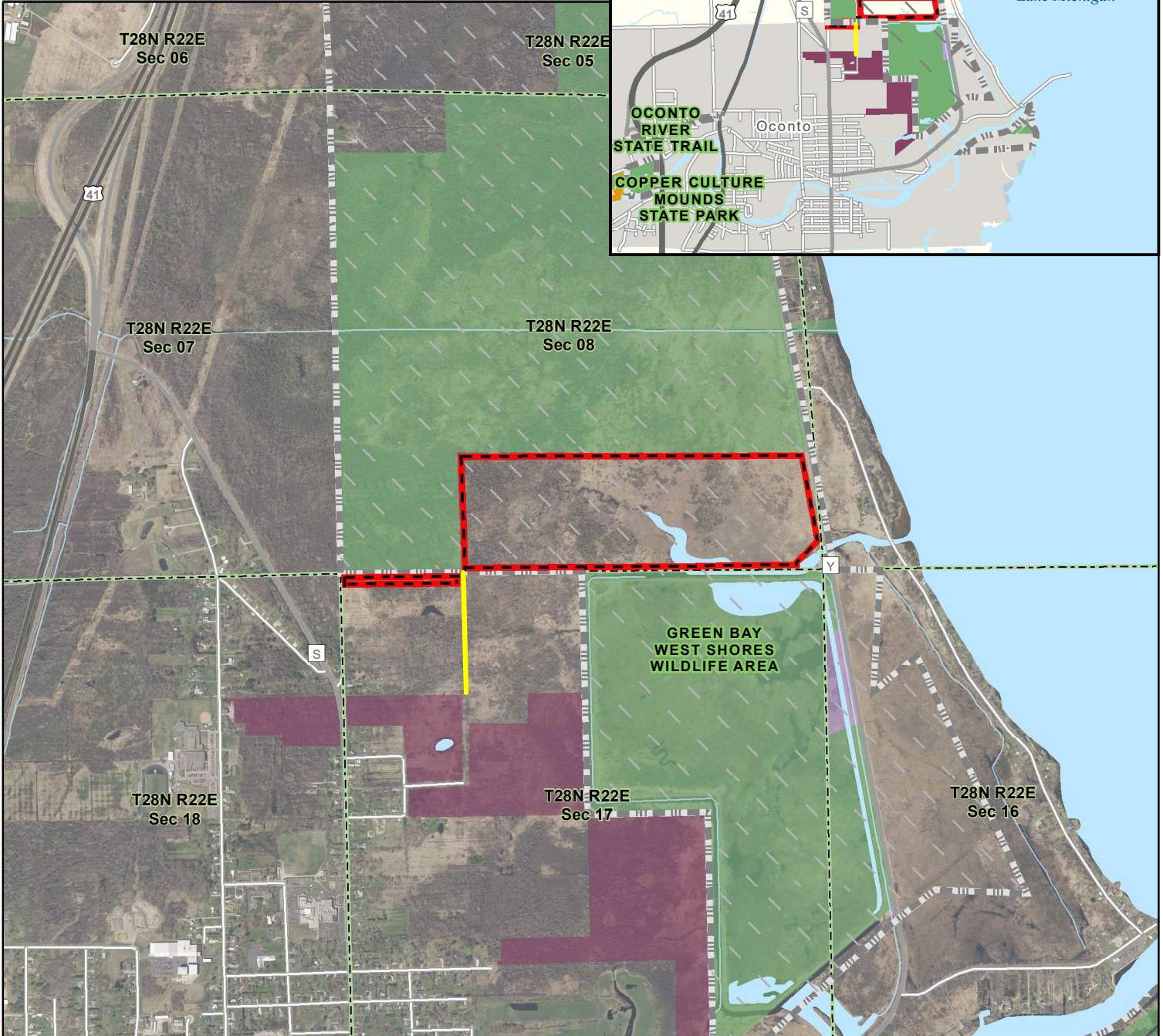










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# File Number - WM 60744

Grantor Name: Ronald Meier  
 Grantee Name: Wisconsin DNR  
 Acres: 120.38 (fee) and 0.33 (easement)  
 County: Oconto



-  Subject - Fee
-  Subject - Easement
-  DNR Fee Title
-  DNR Easement
-  Original Pre-2013 Project Boundary - Not Subject to JFC Review
-  Expansion from Original Pre-2013 Project Boundary - Subject to JFC Review
-  Public Land - Funded by Stewardship Grants
-  Section Boundary

  
  
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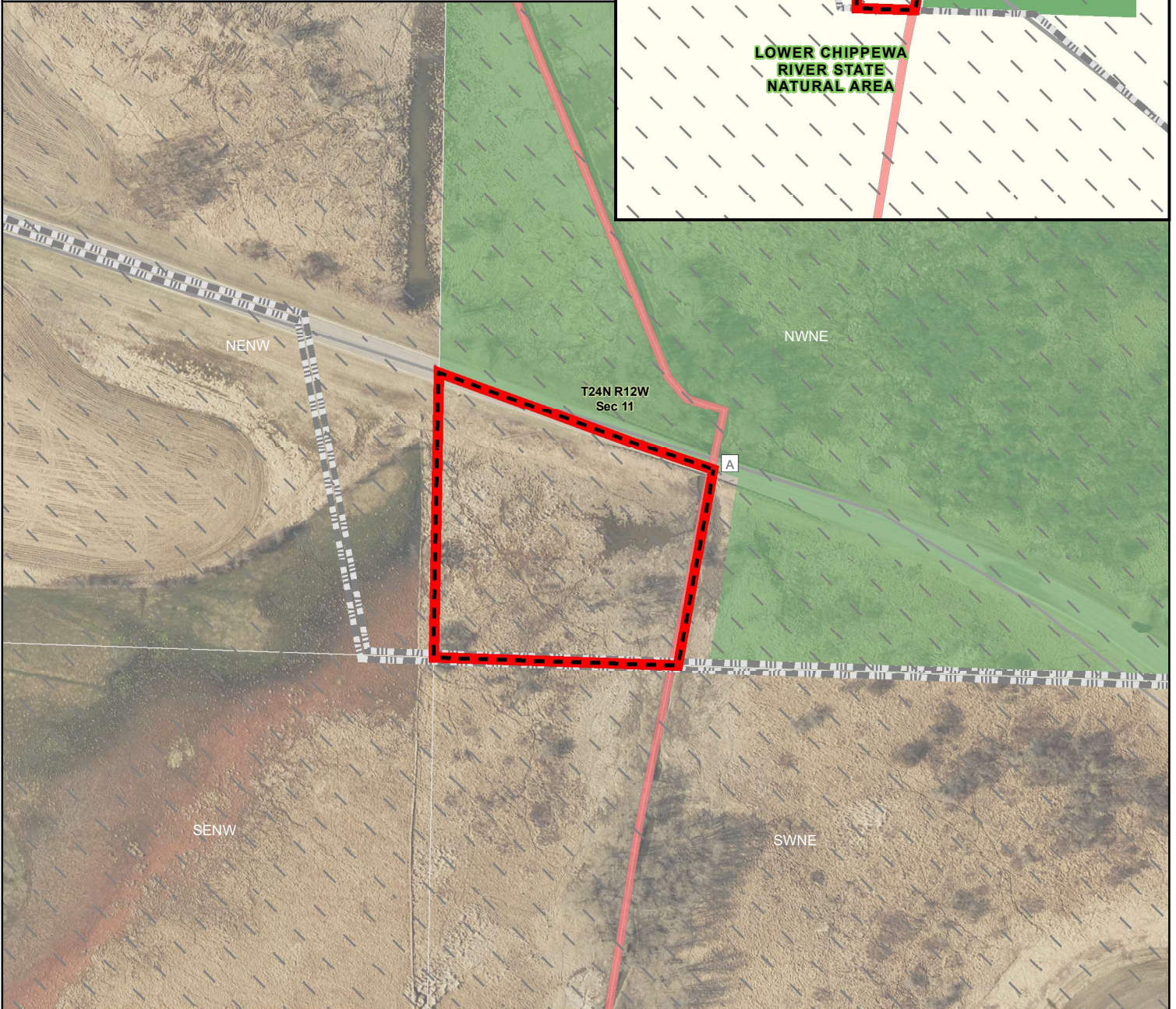
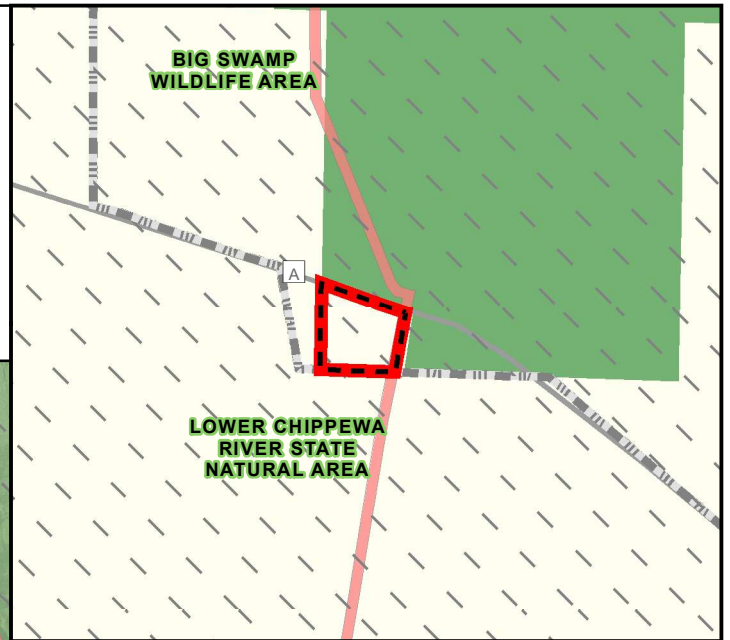
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**File Number - WM 60745**

Grantor Name: Thomas Ancis Jatnieks  
 Grantee Name: WI DNR  
 Property Name: Big Swamp Wildlife Area  
 Acres: 1.5  
 County: Buffalo



Subject



Section Boundary



Original Pre-2013 Project  
 Boundary - Not Subject to  
 JFC Review



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DNR Fee Title



Streambank Eligible Stream



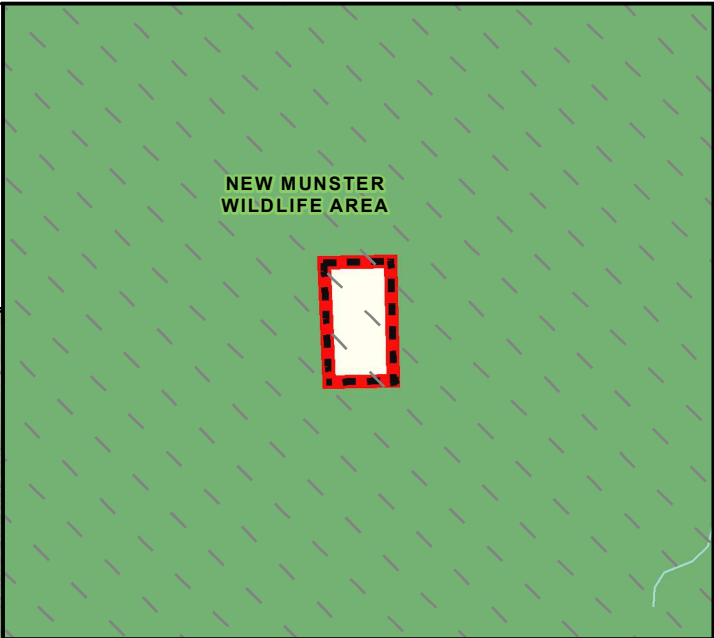
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# File Number - WM 60746

Grantor Name: Kenosha County  
Grantee Name: Wisconsin DNR  
Acres: 1.5  
County: Kenosha



Subject



DNR Fee Title



Original Pre-2013 Project  
Boundary - Not Subject to  
JFC Review



Section Boundary



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