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PUBLIC NOTICE

Operation and Maintenance of Maplebrook Estates Dam in Will County, Illinois

Notice is hereby given to all interested parties that an application has been received from the Village of Bolingbrook, 375 West Briarcliff Road, Bolingbrook, IL 60440 for operation and maintenance authorization of Maplebrook Estates Dam located on Lily Cache Creek, downstream of Maplebrook Estates.

The dam is provisionally classified as a small-size, Class III dam. It is located in the Northeast Quarter of Section 19, Township 37 North, Range 10 East of the 3rd Principal Meridian in Will County.

The concrete weir and earthen embankment dam were constructed around the year 1977, under a permit issued by the Illinois Division of Waterways as a detention storage structure. It is approximately seven feet tall, with minimum top of dam elevation of 642.35 ft. The maximum impounding capacity for the pond is 97 acre-ft. There is no normal pool level as outflow is controlled through a 15-foot wide notch in the concrete weir, at streambed elevation. Small riprap protects the downstream side of the weir.

All interested parties are invited to submit written comments regarding the proposed work to the above address by December 4, 2023. You are herein provided, per the State of Illinois "Rules for Construction and Maintenance of Dams" (17 IAC CH. I, Section 3702), opportunity to request a hearing regarding the classification. Any request for such classification hearing must be in writing and include sufficient information to establish the degree of threat to life and property damage in the event of a dam failure. Inquiries may be directed to Gina Stewart at (217)785-1661 or gina.stewart@illinois.gov.