# BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

## **Notice of Public Hearing**

## Proposed State Implementation Plan Revision – Redesignation Request and Maintenance Plan for the Kenosha County, Wisconsin Portion of the Chicago-Naperville (IL-IN-WI) 2008 Ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standard Nonattainment Area

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that pursuant to ss. 285.11(5) and (6), *Wis. Stats.*, the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR) will hold a public hearing on a proposed revision to the Wisconsin State Implementation Plan (SIP).

# Date and Time

December 1, 2021 1:00 PM CST

Join online Zoom meeting https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87187637092

Meeting ID: 871 8763 7092

Join by phone Phone Number: 1-929-205-6099 Meeting ID: 87187637092# Find your local number: https://us02web.zoom.us/u/kbt16wlKtk

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# Availability of the Proposed SIP Documents

Background information and proposed documents related to the SIP submittal can be downloaded at <u>http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/AirQuality/Input.html</u> or hard copies can be obtained, free of charge, by contacting Olivia Salmon as indicated below.

#### Background

The DNR developed the proposed SIP revision requesting that EPA redesignate the Wisconsin portion of the Chicago-Naperville, IL-IN-WI, nonattainment area to attainment for the 2008 8-hour ozone National Ambient Air Quality Standard (NAAQS). The Chicago-Naperville nonattainment area for the 2008 ozone NAAQS consists of the eastern portion of Kenosha County in Wisconsin and all or portions of 10 counties in Illinois and Indiana. Based on air quality monitoring data, the entire Chicago-Naperville nonattainment area has demonstrated attainment of the 2008 ozone NAAQS for the years 2019 through 2021. This proposed SIP submittal demonstrates that all applicable provisions of the Clean Air Act regarding redesignation to attainment have been met for the Kenosha County portion of the Chicago-Naperville nonattainment area.

#### **Action Subject to Comment**

The DNR is soliciting comment on this proposed SIP submittal.

#### **Agency Contact and Submitting Comment**

Comments on this proposed SIP submittal should be received on or before December 2, 2021. Written comments may be submitted by U.S. mail or email and will have the same weight and effect as verbal statements presented at the public hearing.

Questions or requests related to the hearing and written comments or questions on the proposed SIP should be submitted to:

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Dated at Madison, Wisconsin 10/27/2021 | 12:25 PM CDT

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