



February 7, 2025

PUBLIC NOTICE

**PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION WITHIN THE WATERS OF THE ROCK RIVER,
LEE COUNTY**

Notice is hereby given to all interested parties that the Illinois Department of Natural Resources, Office of Water Resources (IDNR/OWR) has received an application for permit from Helm Group, Inc., 2283 Business US 20 East, Freeport, Illinois 61032, to authorize construction within the Rock River. A location map is provided on the next page of this notice.

The proposed work includes the temporary installation of a tramway of barges to be used to facilitate rehabilitation of existing piers and construction of shared use path bridge over the river. Permanent construction activities include the demolition of existing piers and installation of a new shared use path bridge over the Rock River.

Inquiries may be directed to Kristian Peterson at 217/558-4532. All interested parties are invited to submit written statements regarding the proposed work to the Illinois Department of Natural Resources, One Natural Resources Way, Springfield, Illinois 62702 by **March 8, 2025**.



Approximate Project Location:
(41.84448, -89.4909)
0.25 MI. W. of Peoria Ave. Bridge