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Kewaunee County Notifies Residents of Manure Incident under DNR Investigation

LUXEMBURG, WI – Kewaunee County is notifying Town of Lincoln residents and businesses in the area of CTH P and Pheasant Road of a solid manure runoff event (spill) under investigation by the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR).

The Kewaunee County Land & Water Conservation Department is assisting the DNR with the incident reported on Friday, September 6, 2019.

Due to the karst nature of the area, an alert went out on text/phone to those in the affected area who are registered under the RAVE notification system and on Facebook (Kewaunee County, Kewaunee County Emergency Management, Kewaunee County Public Health Department and Kewaunee County Land & Water Conservation Department pages).

The Kewaunee County Public Health Department is also going door to door of homes and businesses in the area with notice to use caution with drinking water. Officials advise that bottled water is used if there is a difference in color, smell or taste of tap water.

The Kewaunee County Public Health Department as well as the Kewaunee County Land & Water Conservation Department have water testing kits available. If those in the affected area have questions, contact the Public Health Department at (920) 388-7160 or the Land & Water Conservation Department at (920) 845-9700.

Kewaunee County residents interested in signing up for RAVE system messaging can do so online through the Kewaunee County website at www.kewauneeco.org under the Stay Informed icon.

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