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NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY

ACTION: The Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) Midwest Region prepared an Environmental Assessment (EA) for the BIA Routes 6006 & 6007 Project (BIA-RP) analyzing relevant impact(s) to the human environment potentially occurring from activities associated with a Tribal road construction project in Goodhue County, Minnesota. Based on the analysis detailed in the EA, BIA Midwest is publishing a Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) for the BIA-RP.

BIA determined that the proposed action will not have a significant impact on the quality of the human environment; therefore, an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) is not required. The FONSI is available for a 30-day public comment period regarding the proposed BIA-RP.

COMMENT PERIOD FOR 30 DAYS: BIA invites your written comments on the FONSI of the proposed BIA-RP. Written comments will be accepted at the address below for 30 days from **October 08, 2018**. Please include your name and address with your written comments.


This FONSI is a finding on environmental effects, not a decision to proceed with an action, therefore cannot be appealed. 25 C.F.R. § 2.7 requires an appeal period after the decision to proceed with an action is made before the action may be implemented. Appeal information will be made publically available when the decision to proceed is made.

CONTACT INFORMATION: The EA is available for your review through a formal written request received by mail or facsimile by the BIA Midwest Office. All requests must include your name and mailing address to:

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