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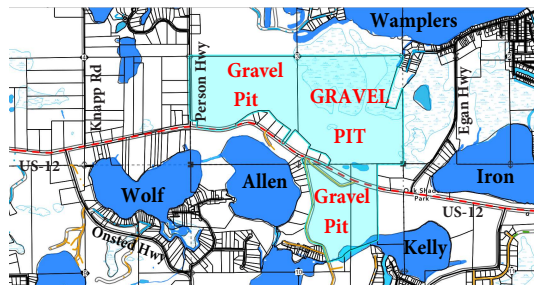
THE IRISH HILLS

The Cambridge Township, Michigan, Board of Trustees and Planning Commission are considering conditional use permit applications to allow the **extraction of sand and stone** (also known as aggregate mining) in the **heart of the Irish Hills**. The proposed **open pit gravel mine** (quarry) would be located on **325+ acres** of land **between several lakes** (Stony, Timber, Wampplers, Iron, Wolf, Allen, Meadow, Kelly). Cross streets along US-12 to the proposed site are Person Hwy (W), Killarney Hwy (S), and Egan Hwy (E). **As proposed, the mining operations will be from sunrise to sunset up to seven days a week for over 10+ years.**

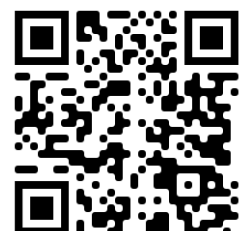
VERY SERIOUS CONSEQUENCES OF SAND & GRAVEL MINING INCLUDE:

- Degredation of Property Values
- Adverse Impacts on Personal Health (Silica Dust, Noise, Air Pollution)
- Watershed, Ground Water & Well Disturbance
- Reduced funding for Municipal Budgets & Increased taxes to offset shortfalls
- Negative Effects on Pedestrian & Traffic Safety
- Harm to the Environment (Wetlands, Woodlands, Wildlife)
- Loss of Historical, Cultural & Heritage Resources
- Increased Demand on Emergency Services, Road Infrastructure & Maintenance

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Upcoming Events

Date/Time	Citizens Protect Irish Hills	Location
15-MAR-2023 6:30 pm	Townhall Meeting <i>Guest Speaker: Mike Wilczynski</i> Pangea Environmental, LLC Certified Professional Geologist	The Winery North of 12 12775 Knapp Rd Brooklyn, MI 49230
17-APR-2023 6:30 pm	Townhall Meeting <i>Guest Speaker: Meija Knafel</i> River Raisin Watershed Council	Harold's Place 10625 Onsted Hwy Brooklyn, MI 49230
22-MAY-2023 6:30 pm	Townhall Meeting <i>Guest Speaker: Susan Stewart</i> Biology Professor	Harold's Place 10625 Onsted Hwy Brooklyn, MI 49230
Date/Time	Cambridge Township	Location
29-MAR-2023 7:00 pm	Planning Commission Meeting <i>Agenda: Tentatively will include discussion & review of the Modified Zoning Ordinance related to quarries, mineral extraction, and allowable conditional uses</i>	Cambridge Township Hall 9990 W M-50 Onsted, MI 49265
12-APR-2023 7:00 pm	Board of Trustees Meeting <i>Agenda: Likely will include Discussion, Presentation &/or Review of the New Mineral Extraction License Ordinance</i>	Cambridge Township Hall 9990 W M-50 Onsted, MI 49265
26-APR-2023 7:00 pm	Planning Commission Meeting <i>Agenda: Public Hearing on the Modified Zoning Ordinance related to quarries, mineral extraction and allowable uses followed by a regular planning commission meeting</i>	Cambridge Township Hall 9990 W M-50 Onsted, MI 49265
10-MAY-2023 7:00 pm	Board of Trustees Meeting <i>Agenda: Tentatively will include discussion, presentation &/or review of the New Mineral Extraction License Ordinance proposed by Carlisle Wortman</i>	Cambridge Township Hall 9990 W M-50 Onsted, MI 49265
31-MAY-2023 7:00 pm	Planning Commission Meeting <i>Agenda: May include discussion & review of the Modified Zoning Ordinance related to quarries, mineral extraction and allowable conditional uses</i>	Cambridge Township Hall 9990 W M-50 Onsted, MI 49265

