SRF PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

The City of Oelwein will be holding a Public Hearing to review an application for a State Revolving Fund (SRF) loan and to make available to the public the contents of an environmental information document and the City's project plan. These documents include design and environmental information related to the proposed improvements to the City's wastewater treatment system.

The proposed project includes the rehabilitation of the existing 30,000 sq. ft. of reed beds; the construction of two additional reed bed cells (anticipated area of 23,000 sq. ft), and any necessary connections, to provide a total reed bed area of 53,000 sq. ft. to address the issues of meeting the Iowa nutrient reduction goals for phosphorus and the solids loading rates to the reed beds. Additionally, the proposed project also includes replacement of the membrane liner in the existing flow equalization basin.

The purpose of this Public Hearing is to inform area residents of the community of Oelwein of this proposed action, discuss the actual cost and user fees associated with this project, and to address citizen's concerns, if any, with the plan.

The Public Hearing location and time are as follows:

April 10, 2023 – 6:00 p.m. Oelwein City Hall 20 2nd Ave SW Oelwein, Iowa 50662

All interested persons are encouraged to attend this hearing. Written comments on this proposal may also be submitted prior to the hearing. Questions regarding this hearing or the availability of documentation may be directed to the City Clerk's Office at 319-283-5440.