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## ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEWS COMPLETED

Project reviews completed from December 15 to January 15 are listed below. These projects have been screened through the internal environmental review process for potential impacts on wetlands, threatened and endangered species, and cultural and archaeological resources, etc. Through the review process it was determined that environmental impacts have been kept to a minimum and mitigated as necessary, that they do not meet the criteria for significant actions as defined in the environmental review process, and may proceed. All of these projects are in compliance with the Endangered Species Protection Act, Natural Areas Preservation Act, Interagency Wetlands Policy Act and cultural resource statutes.

- **Ramsey Lake State Park**

1608229 - This project involves construction of new walkways that lead from campgrounds to the shoreline. There are five locations total and two of which have existing wooden walkways that need to be replaced. At all five locations, a new hiking trail will be built with an aggregate tread to connect these areas to the shore. Project was submitted for review on 3-8-16.

- **Matthiessen State Park**

1705887 - This project involves replacing the roof on the shelter and the fort at Matthiessen SP. Project was submitted for review on 1-5-17.

- **Edward Madigan State Park**

1704051 - This project involves renovations to three picnic shelters at Edward Madigan SP. Project was submitted for review on 10-31-16.

- **Len Small Levee Breach Repair**

1703305 - This project involves assisting the Len Small Drainage and Levee District with the design of levee repair. Project was submitted for review on 9-29-16.

### Questions and Comments

All questions and comments about the environmental review process or this newsletter should be directed to:

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