ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEWS COMPLETED

Project reviews completed from March 16 to April 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 these projects are in compliance with the Endangered Species Protection Act, Natural Areas Preservation Act, Interagency Wetlands Policy Act and cultural resource statutes.

• Marshall County State Conservation Area
  2209556—This project permits BP access through the property to replace an existing pipeline portion that currently runs through the IL River, to now be bored under the riverbed. Project originally submitted for review on 2-10-2022.

• Illinois Department of Natural Resources
  2210855—This project will install storage sheds at the state car lot on Taintor Rd. Project originally submitted for review on 3-17-2022.

• Beaubian Woods
  2207866—This project will permit Coastal Management Program to fund a restoration effort at the Forest Preserves of Cook Co property. Project originally submitted for review on 12-14-2021.

• Lincoln Trail Homestead
  2209064—This project will install two interpretive signs at the Whitley Cemetery. Project originally submitted for review on 1-27-2022.

• Weinberg-King State Park
  2210642—This project will demolish the existing deteriorated site residence at the Scripps unit of the site. Project originally submitted for review on 3-14-2022.

• Burning Star State Fish and Wildlife Area
  2211024—This project will install wood duck nest boxes and Canada goose nest platforms at the site. Project originally submitted for review on 3-22-2022.

• Kickapoo State Park
  2209354—This project will remove silt from a boat ramp in Middle Fork lake. Project originally submitted for review on 2-04-2022.

• Cave in Rock
  2211459—This project will replace a section of steel culvert adjoining the playground. Project originally submitted for review on 3-30-2022.

• Nauvoo State Park
  2206646—This project will complete the installation of four underground flexible corrugated drainage pipes at the Rheinberger House Museum. Project originally submitted for review on 10-26-2021.

• Carl Sandburg State Historic Site
  2211457—This project will replace a fence at the site that was previously erroneously removed by an adjacent contractor. Project originally submitted for review on 3-30-2022.

Questions and Comments
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