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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

On February 19, 2010, the Blue Earth County Board of Commissioners hereby gives notice of a public hearing regarding the Subsurface Sewage Treatment System (SSTS) Ordinance. This new Ordinance is required by State Statutes, Chapter 115.55 Subp 2 and Minnesota Rule Chapter 7082.

The Subsurface Sewage Treatment System (SSTS) Ordinance authorizes the use and conditions for septic systems servicing unsewered properties in Blue Earth County. It establishes minimum standards for and the regulation of Subsurface Sewage Treatment Systems and defines the standards for installation, inspection, upgrade, repair, replacement or abandonment of septic systems. Copies of the Ordinance may be viewed at the Blue Earth County Library, the MSU Library, in the Environmental Services Department or on the Blue Earth County website at www.co.blue-earth.mn.us under Environmental Health. This hearing will give the public an opportunity to comment on the Ordinance before it is submitted to the Blue Earth County Board of Commissioners on March 2, 2010.

The hearing will be held at 9:30 a.m., March 2, 2010, in the County Commissioners Room at the Blue Earth County Courthouse, 204 South Fifth Street, Mankato, Minnesota.