

**State of Wisconsin
Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection**

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING AND COMMENT PERIOD

The Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection announces that it will hold a public hearing on a permanent rule for ATCP 21 relating to plant inspection and pest control, at the time and place shown below.

Hearing Dates and Locations:

DATE: Wednesday April 6, 2022

TIME: 1:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

LOCATION: In Person: Prairie Oak State Office Building, Room 106
2811 Agriculture Drive
Madison, Wisconsin 53708

Virtual: <https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1617628468?pwd=bVRqcEFoc3lIQS9vNXovMXc3c3FHdz09>

Telephone: +1 (551) 285-1373, Meeting ID: 161 762 8468 Passcode: 696078

DATE: Thursday April 7, 2022

TIME: 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

LOCATION:

In Person: Marathon County Public Library
Wausau Community Room (2nd Floor)
300 North First Street Wausau WI 54403 USA
Wausau, Wisconsin

Virtual: <https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1604718168?pwd=VHh6Nk5CMzlfUWUxakRGRzdHQ2ZSQT09>

Telephone: +1 (551) 285-1373, Meeting ID: 160 471 8168 Passcode: 442089

Appearances at the Hearing and Submittal of Written Comments:

Comments may be submitted to Shahla Werner, Plant Protection Section Manager, Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection, 2811 Agriculture Drive, P.O. Box 8911, Madison, WI 53708-8911 or by email to shahla.werner@wisconsin.gov. Comments must be received by April 26, 2022 to be included in the record of rule-making proceedings.

The rule may be reviewed and comments made at: <https://docs.legis.wisconsin.gov/code/chr/hearings>. You may also obtain a copy by contacting the Plant Protection Section Manager, Shahla Werner, at shahla.werner@wisconsin.gov or by calling (608) 957-5100.

Hearing-impaired persons may request accommodation for this hearing. Please make reservations by April 4, 2022 by writing, calling, or emailing Plant Protection Section Manager, Shahla Werner.

Initial Regulatory Flexibility Analysis

The rule has some economic impacts on small businesses, as defined in s. 227.114 (1), Stats. The Initial Regulatory Flexibility Analysis is attached.

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