



Ordinance No. 963 (2026)
ORDINANCE REPEALING AND RECREATING CHAPTER 14 –
NONMETALLIC MINING RECLAMATION – OF THE ST. CROIX
COUNTY CODE OF ORDINANCES

1 The County Board of Supervisors of the County of St. Croix does ordain as follows:
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3 **WHEREAS**, Chapter 14 – Nonmetallic Mining Reclamation – of the St. Croix County
4 Code of Ordinances is authorized by Wis. Stat. §§ 59.692, 59.694, subchapter I of Chapter 295,
5 and Wisconsin Administrative Code Chapter NR 135; and
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7 **WHEREAS**, Chapter 14 – Nonmetallic Mining Reclamation – regulates nonmetallic
8 mining facilities within the unincorporated areas of the County; and
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10 **WHEREAS**, the amendments to the current ordinance include provisions to ensure
11 compliance with Wisconsin Administrative Code Chapter NR 135 and eliminates duplicate
12 standards addressed in other County Ordinances; and
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14 **WHEREAS**, a public hearing was held on Thursday, February 19, 2026, at the St. Croix
15 County Government Center by the Community Development Committee of the St. Croix County
16 Board of Supervisors regarding the proposed amendments; and
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18 **WHEREAS**, the Community Development Committee has reviewed said amendments and
19 recommends the St. Croix County Board of Supervisors enact said amendments to Chapter 14 –
20 Nonmetallic Mining Reclamation – of the St. Croix County Code of Ordinances.
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22 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED** by the St. Croix County Board of Supervisors
23 that Chapter 14 – Nonmetallic Mining Reclamation – of the St. Croix County Code of Ordinances
24 is repealed and recreated as attached hereto.
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26 **BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that the provisions of the repealed and recreated Chapter
27 14 – Nonmetallic Mining – shall supersede any prior ordinance provisions.
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29 **BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that the St. Croix County Community Development
30 Department is directed to forward the repealed and recreated ordinance to necessary governmental
31 units and agencies throughout St. Croix County.
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33 **BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that the amended Chapter 14 – Nonmetallic Mining
34 Reclamation – of the St. Croix County Code of Ordinances shall be published by the County Clerk,
35 pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 59.14, and will become effective upon publication.
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37 This ordinance shall not be codified.



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Community Development Committee Recommended

MOVER: Ryan Sherley

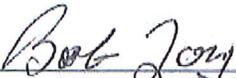
SECONDER: Jerry VanSomeren

AYES: Scott Counter, Kerry Reis, Ryan Sherley, Jerry VanSomeren, Dick Hesselink

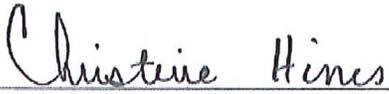
EXCUSED: None

St. Croix County Board of Supervisors Action:

This Ordinance was ENACTED by the St. Croix County Board of Supervisors on March 3, 2026.



Bob Long, County Board Chair



Christine Hines, County Clerk