

### U.S. Department of Justice

Office of Justice Programs

Bureau of Justice Assistance

Washington, D.C. 20531

# **Draft Finding of No Significant Impact**

In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), codified at 42 U.S.C. 4321 et seq., a Draft Environmental Assessment has been prepared for providing Federal financial assistance to the White Earth Reservation. The project is subject to NEPA review because it is being funded, in part, with Federal funding available from the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Bureau of Justice Assistance.

## **Proposed Action**

The project consists of improvements to the Jack Haw Property making it usable and effective as an overall therapeutic treatment complex. The actions include:

- Existing structure remodeling and upgrading the cabin
- New construction: addition of administrative building, a resident dorm and parking space

#### Location

The Jack Haw property is located at 32537 370th St. Ogema, MN 56569.

## **Finding**

The U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Bureau of Justice Assistance has determined that the proposed demolition and replacement of the facility would not significantly affect the quality of the human or physical environment. It is not expected that an environmental impact statement will be prepared for this project.

#### **Public Comments**

Interested parties may obtain a copy of the Draft Environmental Assessment from or may submit written comments relating to this Draft Finding of No Significant Impact to the following address:

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No administrative action will be taken on the project before May 13, 2021.	Which is 30 calendar
days after the public notice of this Draft Finding of No Significant Impact.	

Monica Al Hedstrom 4-13-2021
Tribal Authorizing Signature Date