

# Appendix 4

## Federal, State, County & Local Regulations

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It is necessary to identify all permits and regulations that govern over a restoration activity. There are federal, state, county, and local regulations that have jurisdiction at RNC. Regulations applicable to Riveredge restoration activities are as follows:

- S.26.03 Wis. State Stats. requires a cutting notice to be filed with the county clerk, as well as state DNR because RNC falls under Managed Forest Law (WDNR, 2003).
- Chapter NR 103, Wis. Adm. Code- Water Quality Standards for Wetlands: “establishes wetland water quality standards, criteria, and implementation procedures for the application of these standards”; standards are based on effects to wetland functional values (WDNR, 2003).
- Chapter NR 116, Wis. Adm. Code- Wisconsin's Floodplain Management Program: regulates the maintenance of the 100-year floodplain and dictates that nothing “buoyant, flammable, explosive, or injurious to human, animal, plant, fish, or other aquatic life can be stored in floodway areas” (WDNR, 2003).
- Chapter NR 115, Wis. Adm. Code- Wisconsin's Shoreland Management Program: Regulate and restrict the forestry activity in the land that is within 35' of a river's high water mark (WDNR, 2003).
- Chapter ATPC 29, Wis. Adm. Code- Pesticide Use and Control: “regulates the registration, licensing, certification, manufacturing, use, storage, and sale of pesticides in Wisconsin” (WDNR, 2003).

There are further restrictions that ban the construction of structures, roadways, or bridges in, near, and over a riverway.

When controlled burning is to be implemented, the Village of Newburg Fire Department, Ozaukee Dispatch, and Washington County dispatch must be notified the morning of prior to any burning.