

Xcel Energy – Soil Boring work in La Crosse River Marsh

Board of Public Works – Jan. 28, 2019

Request – Xcel Energy and its Geotechnical Consultant supported by Brennan Company would like to access our transmission easement in the La Crosse River marsh from Myrick Park for soil boring tests in mid- February. The equipment set-up, borings and take-down will take approximately two weeks. The map below shows the area at Myrick Park that is best suited for accessing the marsh and staging this equipment.

Reason - Soil borings in 5 locations in the marsh are required before Transmission line #3205 is reconstructed in late 2019. Transmission line #3205 begins at our La Crosse Substation on Lange Drive, travels east up the bluff, then south along the upper shelf before dropping west down the bluff to our Coulee Avenue Substation near Ward Avenue.

Marsh Buggy with soil boring rig

