



**Request for Written Bid  
Earthwork/Gravel Placement for the  
Louis M. Groen Nature Preserve Entrance  
Corner of Waters Road and Gingell Road  
Johannesburg, Michigan**

**BID SOLICITATION**

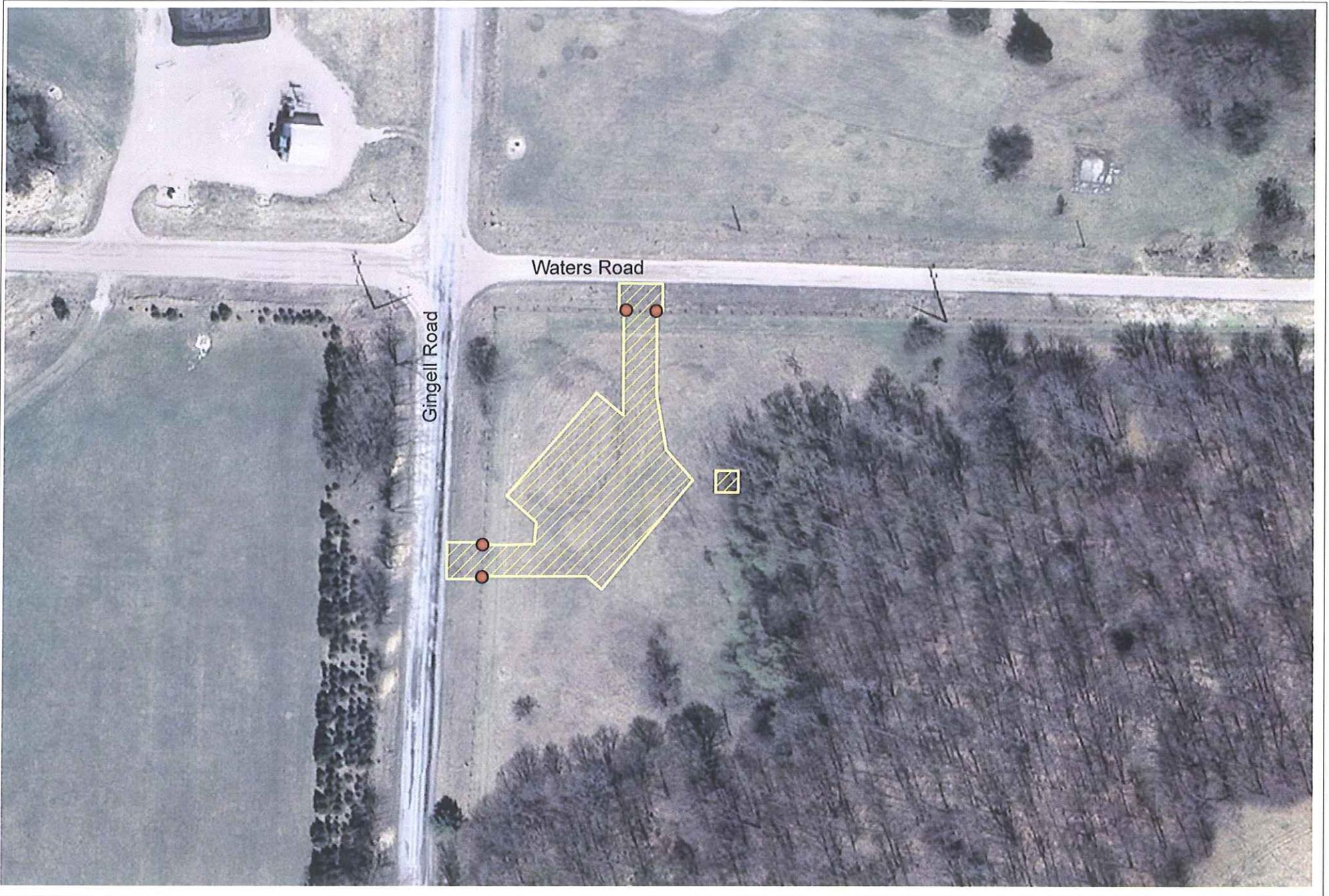
Written bids are being sought for earth preparation and placement of gravel for the entrances/parking area for the Louis M. Groen Nature Preserve at the corner of Gingell Road and Waters Road. Attached is an aerial photo showing the entranceway including the boundaries of the areas included in this bid.

The following services are being sought:

- Grading/shaping area prior to gravel placement as marked in hatched areas on aerial photo. The area shown measures approximately .41 acres which includes the entrances, parking, and a 16' x 16' area for a storage barn. Since this calculation is not precise, .50 acres should be considered the area to be included in the bid.
- Placement of 23-A Gravel compacted @ 5" shaped with positive water drainage off gravel areas.
- Dirt/Gravel needs to be placed at the two entranceways so that the entrances are flush with the road and inner parking area. The entrance on the west has a prominent ditch, though the Road Commission will not require a culvert on either.

The work will need to be accomplished by the end of April. Please submit a timeline with bids. Please submit bids by Wednesday, April 18 at Noon. You can send the bid to my attention via fax at 989-731-7529, email at [jburt@otsegocountymi.gov](mailto:jburt@otsegocountymi.gov), or mail to 225 W. Main Street, Gaylord, Michigan, 49735. For questions contact me at any of the above, or call 989-731-7527.

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Louis M. Groen Nature Preserve

Gravel Parking Area

Scale: 1" = 100'

