

# **NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY**

## **DRAFT ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT**

### **Veterans Home Grand Rapids, Michigan**

The Michigan Veterans Affairs Agency (MVAA) announces the preparation and availability of a “Draft Environmental Assessment” (DEA) for the proposed construction and operation associated with the new MVAA Senior Living home, which would be located at the current Grand Rapids Home for Veterans site, replacing some of the buildings.

Comments are encouraged from veterans, stakeholders, government agencies, and members of the public.

This project is funded through a U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs State Home Grant Program. The DEA has been prepared in accordance with the regulations for implementing the procedural provisions of the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), (Public Law 91-190, 42 USC 4321-4347 January 1, 1970), amendments, and VA's Implementing Regulations (38 CFR Part 26).

MVAA intends to issue a “Finding of No Significant Impact” (FONSI) following a thirty day comment period in accordance with the Council on Environmental Quality Regulations for Implementing NEPA, Section 1508.13 providing there are no substantive comments which warrant further evaluation.

**WHAT:** Comments on the draft “Environmental Assessment of Proposed Construction and Operation”

**WHERE:** The draft document is available online at <https://www.preinnewhof.com/wp-content/uploads/2018/06/report-VA-EA-2018-06-15-Grand-Rapids-CLC-Site.pdf> and in print at the Grand Rapids Home for Veterans.

**WHEN:** By July 18, 2018 at 5:00 p.m.

**HOW:** Please submit comments to Kimberly at [kjongsma@preinnewhof.com](mailto:kjongsma@preinnewhof.com).