

Some Wisconsin property owners are often unaware of mine prospecting near their property. Sometimes they learn of a planned mine by talking with neighbors or reading news stories after the mine application is approved. To State Senator, Kathleen Vinehout, that process is not fair and she's trying to do something about it.

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In response to their serious concerns Vinehout introduced a five-point plan Wednesday to protect property-owners right to know about sand mines in their neighborhood. She says she's already gotten calls from both democrats and republicans wanting to co-sign onto the legislation.