



## University of Wisconsin-Extension, Cooperative Extension

### State and local research and education resources on mining

#### State mining resources

##### **Wisconsin Geological and Natural History Survey (WGNHS)**

*Researching, mapping, and reporting on Wisconsin's rocks, soils, and groundwater*

WGNHS staff members annually respond to more than 20,000 requests for information and assistance in the areas of geology, hydrology, minerals and mining, soils, biology, natural hazards, topographic maps, and other environmental and natural resource topics. Survey staff members also give testimony, act as consultants to legislative and state agency committees, and serve on state, local, and national committees considering resources, environment, and education.

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#### Local mining resources

##### **Community, Natural Resource and Economic Development (CNRED)**

*Putting university knowledge to work for Wisconsin communities*

Community, Natural Resource and Economic Development colleagues on university campuses and in county offices across the state team up with Wisconsin communities to address challenges and maximize opportunities for growth. CNRED programs provide statewide leadership to promote education, resources, and partnerships that help create an environment for communities to thrive. County-based educators help facilitate local dialogue around important issues, and state specialists provide assistance with applied research on issues of local or statewide significance.

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