

## INTENT TO MINE

LH Stokes & Son Inc. has applied to the S.C. Department of Health and Environmental Control (SCDHEC) for a permit to mine sand/ clay and topsoil in South Carolina (Application I-001881). A proposed reclamation plan has been submitted indicating the site will be restored to grassland after mining. The proposed mine is located in Florence County approximately 2 miles north of Florence, South Carolina. The site is about 1.0 mile northeast of the intersection of SC Secondary Highways S-16-35 (Mechanicsville Road) and S-21-342 (N. Douglas Street). One half mile east of this intersection, county road Cicero Lane joins N. Douglas Street. The proposed mine is at the end of Cicero Lane. For more information concerning this application, go to the Public Notice site on the SCDHEC webpage ([http://www.scdhec.net/environment/lwm/public\\_notice.asp](http://www.scdhec.net/environment/lwm/public_notice.asp)) and click on **Intent to Mine Notice I-001881, LH Stokes & Son Inc.** Comments or inquiries concerning this application should be sent to the attention of Pam Bergstrand, SCDHEC, Division of Mining and Solid Waste Management, Bureau of Land and Waste Management, 2600 Bull Street, Columbia, South Carolina, 29201, phone (803) 896-4236. Comments must be received by the SCDHEC before 5:00 p.m. on November 12, 2009. Any individuals with disabilities or special needs who want to review the file should contact the Department at least one week prior to the end of the comment period to discuss any special services required.