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No decision listed in the DEQ Calendar will be made prior to seven days after the initial Calendar publication date.

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**PART I:
ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES, PERMITTING AND RELATED REGULATIONS**

Permit Decisions Before the Office of the Director

**AIR QUALITY
DIVISION**
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LOUIS PADNOS IRON & METAL, HOLLAND, OTTAWA COUNTY, for the proposed draft permit for a modification to the briquetter system. The facility is located at 185 West 8th Street, Holland, Michigan. The New Source Review public notice documents can be viewed at www.deq.state.mi.us/aps. Written comments are being accepted until February 21, 2012. If requested in writing, an informational session and public hearing will be held February 29, 2012 (see February 29 listing in this calendar). Written comments should be sent to Mary Ann Dolehanty, Permit Section Supervisor, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909. All statements received by February 21, 2012, will be considered by the decision-maker prior to final action. Information Contact: **Julie Brunner**, Air Quality Division, brunnerj1@michigan.gov or 517-373-7088. Decision-maker: **G. Vinson Hellwig**, Air Quality Division Chief.

Other Decisions Before the Office of the Director

**RESOURCE
MANAGEMENT
DIVISION**
See Map - ❷

HAZARDOUS WASTE MANAGEMENT FACILITY OPERATING LICENSE EXPANSION; WAYNE DISPOSAL, INC. (WDI), BELLEVILLE, MICHIGAN; WAYNE COUNTY, MID 048 090 633. The Resource Management Division (RMD) has reviewed an application for the expansion of WDI's Part 111, Hazardous Waste Management, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended, hazardous waste management facility operating license. Based on that review, the RMD has prepared a draft expansion license for public review pursuant to Part 111. The RMD has scheduled a public hearing on March 12, 2012, at the Van Buren Township Hall located at 46425 Tyler Road, Van Buren Township at 7 p.m. with a public comment period from February 9, to March 26, 2012, on the draft expansion license. The facility is located at 49350 North I-94 Service Drive in Belleville, Michigan. Information Contact: **Peter Quackenbush**, RMD, 517-373-7397, or e-mail at quackenbushp@michigan.gov. Decision-maker: **Liane J. Shekter Smith, P.E.**, Chief, RMD

**WATER
RESOURCES
DIVISION**
See Map - ❸

PROPOSED PUBLIC USE AGREEMENT, ALGER COUNTY. Proposed public use agreement to 5.86 acres of Lake Superior public trust bottomlands offshore of the Village of Grand Marias, Burt Township, Alger County. File LS 060. Contact: **Tom Graf**, Water Resources Division, 517-335-3471. Decision-maker: **Water Resources Division Chief**.

Proposed Settlements of Contested Cases

NONE

Administrative Rules Promulgation

NONE

Announcements

**RESOURCE
MANAGEMENT
DIVISION**

S2 GRANT PROGRAM APPLICATIONS (State Revolving Fund/Strategic Water Quality Initiatives Fund). Pursuant to Parts 52 and 53 of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended, the following S2 Grant applications have been received by the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Resource Management Division, Revolving Loan Section. The S2 Grant Program provides funding from the sale of Great Lakes Water Quality Bonds to local units of government to complete comprehensive project planning for wastewater infrastructure and to design needed system improvements. Recipients can utilize the revolving loan fund programs (State Revolving Fund or Strategic Water Quality Initiatives Fund) or other funding sources to finance project construction.

9046-02
 City of Eastpointe
 Grant Req. \$210,000 for Design Engineering Costs
 Received: January 5, 2012

9207-01
 City of Fraser
 Grant Req. \$783,477 for Project Planning, Design Engineering, and User Charge System Development Costs
 Received: January 10, 2012

9140-02
 North Kent Sewer Authority
 Grant Req. \$450,000 for Design Engineering and User Charge System Development Costs
 Received: December 29, 2011

These applications will be considered within the next 60 days for administrative completeness and project eligibility. Questions about these applications should be directed to **Ms. Sonya T. Butler** at 517-373-2161.

Public Hearings and Meetings

Note: Persons with disabilities needing accommodations for effective participation in any of the meetings noted in this Calendar should call or write the appropriate meeting information contact listed below at least a week in advance to request mobility, visual, hearing, or other assistance.

FEBRUARY 15, 2012 | **DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING PAULSTRA CRC CORPORATION, GRAND RAPIDS, KENT COUNTY (SRN: E5094)**, for the proposed approval of a draft Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of automotive truck and motor mount manufacturing processes. The draft permit is intended to simplify and clarify the facility's applicable requirements and will not result in any air emission changes at the stationary source. The ROP public notice documents can be viewed at www.deq.state.mi.us/aps. The responsible official of the stationary source is Edward Martin, Facilities Manager, Paulstra CRC Corporation, 460 Fuller Avenue NE, Grand Rapids, Michigan 49503. Comments on the draft permit are to be submitted to Cal Peters, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Grand Rapids District Office, 350 Ottawa Avenue NW, Unit 10, Grand Rapids, Michigan 49503. Written comments will be accepted by e-mail and all statements must be received by February 15, 2012. The decision-maker for the permit is Heidi Hollenbach, Grand Rapids District Supervisor. If requested in writing by February 15, 2012, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: **Cal Peters**, Air Quality Division, petersc@michigan.gov or 616-356-0245.

FEBRUARY 15, 2012 | **DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING TOYOTA MOTOR ENGINEERING AND MANUFACTURING, NORTH AMERICA, INC., ANN ARBOR, WASHTENAW COUNTY (SRN: N2915)**, for the proposed approval of a draft initial Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of vehicle research and testing. The draft permit is intended to simplify and clarify the facility's applicable requirements and will not result in any air emission changes at the stationary source. The ROP public notice documents can be viewed at www.deq.state.mi.us/aps. The responsible official of the stationary source is James Knott, Assistant Manager, 1555 Woodridge, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48105. Comments on the draft permit are to be submitted to Diane Kavanaugh Vetort, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Jackson District Office, 301 East Louis Glick Highway, Jackson, Michigan 49201. Written comments will be accepted by e-mail and all statements must be received by February 15, 2012. The decision-maker for the permit is Scott Miller, Jackson District Supervisor. If requested in writing by February 15, 2012, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: **Diane Kavanaugh Vetort**, Air Quality Division, kavanaughhd@michigan.gov or 517-780-7864.

FEBRUARY 15, 2012 | **DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING MCLAREN PERFORMANCE TECHNOLOGIES, LIVONIA, WAYNE COUNTY (SRN: A8217)**, for the proposed approval of a draft renewal of a Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of dynamometers used in engine

testing. The draft permit is intended to simplify and clarify the facility's applicable requirements and will not result in any air emission changes at the stationary source. The ROP public notice documents can be viewed at www.deq.state.mi.us/aps. The responsible official of the stationary source is Phillip Guys, President, 32233 West Eight Mile Road, Livonia, Michigan 48152. Comments on the draft permit are to be submitted to Lee Varner, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Detroit Field Office, 3058 West Grand Boulevard, Suite 2-300, Detroit, Michigan 48202. Written comments will be accepted by e-mail and all statements must be received by February 15, 2012. The decision-maker for the permit is Teresa Seidel, Field Operations Supervisor. If requested in writing by February 15, 2012, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: **Lee Varner**, Air Quality Division, varnerl@michigan.gov or 313-456-4684.

FEBRUARY 16, 2012
6:30 p.m.

PUBLIC MEETING ON A PROPOSED REMEDIATION PLAN FOR THE VELSICOL CHEMICAL CORPORATION SUPERFUND SITE AT OPERABLE UNIT 1, GRATIOT COUNTY.. A public meeting to discuss the proposed Velsicol cleanup has been scheduled. EPA and MDEQ representatives will present details of a plan they are proposing to clean up the site of the former chemical plant and some nearby residential properties.. The proposed plan involves; Containment, in-place treatment and removal of dense non aqueous phased liquid contamination, and the treatment or removal of soil in highly contaminated areas.. This plan proposes the construction of a vertical barrier around the entire site and a complex drainage system around the property, cleaning of contaminated soil in some areas and the removal of contaminated soil in others. This plan aggressively deals with dense liquid contamination below the surface of the site which is considered a threat to the Pine River.. In addition the plan involves the replacement of the city of St. Louis water supply, removal of contaminated soil in the nearby residential neighborhood, collection and treatment of ground water on-site, collection, treatment, and disposal of dense liquid contamination, installation of an improved engineered cap, and institutional controls such as deed restrictions to protect people and the environment in the future.. Additional copies of the proposed plan will be available at the public meeting to be held at Nurnberger Middle School, 312 Union St., St. Louis.. After January 31, 2012 the proposed plan will also be available at the T.A. Cutler Memorial Library, 312 Michigan Ave, St. Louis, or on the Web at www.epa.gov/region5/cleanup/velsicolmichigan. Information Contact: **Scott Cornelius**, Remediation Division, 517-373-7367, Corneliuss@michigan.gov.

FEBRUARY 20, 2012
7:00 p.m.

PUBLIC HEARING ON PERMIT APPLICATION SUBMITTED BY QUAIL RUN HOMEOWNERS ASSOCIATION, PLYMOUTH, MICHIGAN. The Water Resources Division will hold a public hearing at the Plymouth Charter Township Hall, 9955 North Haggerty Road, Plymouth, Michigan 48170-4673. The hearing will be for Permit Application Number 10-82-0113-P, submitted by Quail Run Homeowners Association, Attn: Dennis Oszust, President, 8948 Cobblestone Circle, Plymouth, Michigan 48170. The applicant proposes to draw down a wetland pond and cut and fill the edges of the pond for the purpose of stopping further erosion and loss of land. Mitigation is not proposed. Information Contact: **Jeremy Richardson**, Water Resources Division, 586-753-3860.

FEBRUARY 21, 2012

DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING LOUIS PADNOS IRON & METAL, HOLLAND, OTTAWA COUNTY, for the proposed draft permit for a modification to the briquetter system. The facility is located at 185 West 8th Street, Holland, Michigan. The New Source Review public notice documents can be viewed at www.deq.state.mi.us/aps/cwerp.shtml. If a public hearing is requested in writing by February 21, 2012, an informational session and public hearing will be held February 29, 2012 (see February 29 listing in this calendar). Written comments and/or a request for a hearing should be sent to Mary Ann Dolehanty, Permit Section Supervisor, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan, 48909. Written comments will be accepted by e-mail and all statements must be received by February 21, 2012. Information Contact: **Julie Brunner**, Air Quality Division, brunnerj1@michigan.gov or 517-373-7088.

FEBRUARY 22, 2012

DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING GENERAL MOTORS TECHNICAL CENTER, WARREN, MACOMB COUNTY, for the proposed draft permit for the installation of thirteen diesel fueled emergency generators. The facility is located at 30001 Van Dyke Road, Warren, Michigan. Additionally, the installation of thirteen diesel fueled emergency generators will require revisions to Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) No. MI-ROP-B4049-2009. This public comment period meets the public participation requirements for a future administrative amendment to the ROP. The responsible official for the source is Craig T. Duprey, 30001 Van Dyke Road, Warren, Michigan. New Source Review and ROP public notice documents can be viewed at www.deq.state.mi.us/aps. If a public hearing is requested in writing by February 22, 2012, a public hearing will be held February 27, 2012

(see February 27 listing in this calendar). Written comments and/or a request for a hearing should be sent to Mary Ann Dolehanty, Permit Section Supervisor, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909. Written comments will be accepted by e-mail and all statements must be received by February 22, 2012. Information Contact: **Jennifer Bixby**, Air Quality Division, bixby@michigan.gov or 517-335-6978.

FEBRUARY 22, 2012
7:00 p.m.

PUBLIC HEARING ON PERMIT APPLICATION SUBMITTED BY TOWER MARINE, DOUGLAS, MICHIGAN. The Water Resources Division will hold a public hearing at the City of the Village of Douglas City Hall, Council Room, 86 West Center Street, Douglas, Michigan 49406. The hearing will be for Permit Application Number 11-03-0082-P, submitted by Tower Marine, Attn: Mr. R. J. Peterson, P.O. Box 188, Douglas, Michigan 49406. The applicant proposes to dredge an emergency channel along the west side of Kalamazoo Lake for the purpose of removing accumulated silt to provide sufficient depth for navigation and access to docks. Information Contact: **Kameron Jordan**, Water Resources Division, 269-567-3565.

FEBRUARY 24, 2012
7:00 p.m.

PUBLIC HEARING ON PERMIT APPLICATION SUBMITTED BY THE VAN BUREN COUNTY DRAIN COMMISSIONER, PAW PAW, MICHIGAN. The Water Resources Division will hold a public hearing at the Keeler Township Hall, 64121 Territorial Road West, Hartford, Michigan 49057. The hearing will be for Permit Application Number 11-80-0064-P, submitted by the Van Buren County Drain Commissioner, Attn: Joe Parman, 219 East Paw Paw Street, Suite 301, Paw Paw, Michigan 49079. The applicant proposes to extend the Mud Lake and Osborn Drain to Keeler Lake to prevent the flooding of homes and property surrounding Keeler Lake. The project is located at 60374 Klett Drive. Information Contact: **Derek Haroldson**, Water Resources Division, 269-567-3567.

FEBRUARY 27, 2012
1:30 p.m.

TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING GENERAL MOTORS TECHNICAL CENTER, WARREN, MACOMB COUNTY, on the proposed draft permit for the installation of thirteen diesel fueled emergency generators. The facility is located at 30001 Van Dyke Road, Warren, Michigan. Additionally, the installation of thirteen diesel fueled emergency generators will require revisions to Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) No. MI-ROP-B4049-2009. This public comment period meets the public participation requirements for a future administrative amendment to the ROP. The responsible official for the source is Craig T. Duprey, 30001 Van Dyke Road, Warren, Michigan. The New Source Review and ROP public notice documents can be viewed at www.deq.state.mi.us/aps. If a public hearing is requested in writing by February 22, 2012, a public hearing will be held February 27, 2012, in the Lillian Hatcher Conference Room, Constitution Hall, 525 West Allegan Street, 3rd Floor, North Tower, Lansing, Michigan. Those interested may contact the Air Quality Division at 517-335-6978 on February 23, 2012, to determine if a hearing was requested and will be held. Information Contact: **Jennifer Bixby**, Air Quality Division, bixby@michigan.gov or 517-335-6978.

FEBRUARY 28, 2012
2:00 p.m.

PUBLIC MEETING OF THE BROWNFIELD REDEVELOPMENT BOARD.. The Board will prioritize sites to be funded by the State–Owned Sites Cleanup Program.. Copies of the proposed prioritization will be available at the public meeting, to be held in the D. Hale Brake Conference Room, Atrium Level, South Tower, Constitution Hall, 525 W. Allegan, Lansing.. Information Contact: **Robert Reisner**, Remediation and Redevelopment Division, e-mail address: reisnerr@michigan.gov; phone 517-335-6843

FEBRUARY 28, 2012
6:30 p.m.

PUBLIC HEARING ON PERMIT APPLICATION SUBMITTED BY FOREST LAWN LANDFILL, INC., THREE OAKS, MICHIGAN. The Water Resources Division will hold a public hearing at the Three Oaks Township Hall, 8 East Linden Street, Three Oaks, Michigan 49128, on Tuesday, February 28, 2012, with an informal 30 minute question and answer period beginning at 6:30 p.m. and the actual Public Hearing starting at 7:00 p.m. The hearing will be for Permit Application Number 11-11-0094-P, submitted by Forest Lawn Landfill, Inc., Attn: Jim Spencer, 8230 West Forest Lawn Road, Three Oaks, Michigan. The applicant proposes to construct a lake for the purpose of reclaiming the borrow area property in a method that is aesthetically pleasing and provides the local community with a recreation area. The project is located at 19101 South Basswood Road. Information Contact: **Larry Poynter**, Water Resources Division, 269-567-3566.

FEBRUARY 28, 2012
7:00 p.m.

PUBLIC HEARING ON PERMIT APPLICATION SUBMITTED BY CITY OF ANN ARBOR, ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN. The Water Resources Division will hold a public hearing at the Clague Middle School, Cafeteria, 2616 Nixon Road, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48105. The hearing will be for Permit Application Number 11-81-0062-P, submitted by the City of Ann Arbor, Field Operations, Attn: Lara

Treemore Spears, 1831 Traver Road, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48105. The applicant proposes to dredge and stabilize Millers Creek for the purpose of preventing damage to nearby culverts, preventing flooding, directing storm flow, reconnecting to the adjacent wetland and protecting public safety. The project is located at 401 Huron Parkway in the Ruthven Nature Area. Mitigation is not proposed. Information Contact: **James Sallee**, Water Resources Division, 517-780-7910.

FEBRUARY 29, 2012

DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING MICHIGAN STATE IMPLEMENTATION PLAN ELEMENTS TO ADDRESS THE LEAD NATIONAL AMBIENT AIR QUALITY STANDARD.

Written comments are being accepted on a proposed certification that the Michigan State Implementation Plan (SIP) contains the necessary infrastructure elements to address the 2008 Lead National Ambient Air Quality Standard. The proposed certification can be viewed at www.michigan.gov/degair. Submit written comments to Mary Maupin, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909. Written comments will be accepted by e-mail and all statements must be received by February 29, 2012. If a request is received in writing by February 29, 2011, a public hearing will be held on March 6, 2012 (see March 6 listing in this calendar). Information Contact: **Mary Maupin**, Air Quality Division, maupinm@michigan.gov or 517-373-7039. Decision-maker: **G. Vinson Hellwig**, Air Quality Division Chief.

FEBRUARY 29, 2012
6:00 p.m. -
INFORMATIONAL
SESSION
7:00 p.m. - PUBLIC
HEARING

TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED INFORMATIONAL SESSION & PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING

LOUIS PADNOS IRON & METAL, HOLLAND, OTTAWA COUNTY, for the proposed draft permit for a modification to the briquetter system. The facility is located at 185 West 8th Street, Holland, Michigan. The New Source Review public notice documents can be viewed at www.deg.state.mi.us/aps/cwerp.shtml. If a public hearing is requested in writing by February 21, 2012, an informational session and public hearing will be held February 29, 2012, in the Holland City Hall Building, City Council Chambers, 270 River Avenue, Holland, Michigan. The informational session will be held from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., where staff will provide a brief introduction regarding the proposed project and will be available to answer questions; the public hearing will immediately follow. Those interested may contact the Air Quality Division at 517-373-7088 on February 22, 2012, to determine if a hearing was requested and will be held. Information Contact: **Julie Brunner**, Air Quality Division, brunnerj1@michigan.gov or 517-373-7088.

FEBRUARY 29, 2012
7:00 p.m.

PUBLIC HEARING ON PERMIT APPLICATION SUBMITTED BY AMERICAN TOWERS, LLC,

WOBURN, MASSACHUSETTS. The Water Resources Division will hold a public hearing at the Bedford Township Hall, Board Room, 8100 Jackman Road, Temperance, Michigan 48182. The hearing will be for Permit Application Number 11-58-0019-P, submitted by American Towers, LLC, 10 Residential Way, Woburn, Massachusetts 01801. The applicant proposes to construct a 100-foot by 100-foot telecommunications compound at 10483 Secor Road to provide expanded and more reliable cell phone coverage. Mitigation is not proposed. Information Contact: **Kathy David**, Water Resources Division, 517-780-7021.

FEBRUARY 29, 2012
7:00 p.m.

PUBLIC HEARING ON PERMIT APPLICATION SUBMITTED BY TUSCOLA BAY WIND, LLC,

JUNO BEACH, FLORIDA. The Water Resources Division will hold a public hearing at the Blumfield Township Hall, 1175 West Vassar Road, Reese, Michigan 48757-9307. The hearing will be for Permit Application Number 11-79-0020-P, submitted by Tuscola Bay Wind, LLC, Attn: Jason Utton, 700 Universe Blvd. FEW/JB, Juno Beach, Florida 33408. The applicant proposes to construct a wind energy generation facility in Bay, Saginaw and Tuscola Counties with seventy five 1.6 megawatt wind turbines. Information Contact: **Theresa Custodio**, Water Resources Division, 989-894-6223.

MARCH 1, 2012
7:00 p.m.

PUBLIC HEARING ON PERMIT APPLICATION SUBMITTED BY JOSEPH MESSINA, HINSDALE,

ILLINOIS. The Water Resources Division will hold a public hearing at the Watervliet Charter Township Hall, 4959 M-140, Watervliet, Michigan 49098. The hearing will be for Permit Application Number 11-11-0090-P, submitted by Joseph Messina, 226 West 9th Street, Hinsdale, Illinois 60521. The applicant proposes to install a permanent roof over the existing U-shaped permanent dock on Paw Paw Lake at 5586 Woodland Ave. The purpose of the project is to protect personal water craft from environmental elements and provide a roof that can withstand wind storms. Information Contact: **Nancy Deskins**, Water Resources Division, 269-567-3563.

MARCH 6, 2012
1:00 p.m.

TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING THE MICHIGAN STATE IMPLEMENTATION PLAN (SIP),

for the proposed certification that all elements required under Section 110(a)(1) and 110(a)(2) of the federal Clean Air Act for the 2008 Lead National Ambient Air

Quality Standard are addressed in the Michigan SIP. If a public hearing is requested in writing by February 29, 2012, a public hearing will be held March 6, 2012, in the Lillian Hatcher Conference Room, Constitution Hall, 525 West Allegan Street, 3rd Floor, North Tower, Lansing, Michigan. The hearing will begin at 1:00 p.m. and will be closed after all participants have a chance to speak. Those interested may contact the Air Quality Division at 517-373-7039 on March 1, 2012, to determine if a hearing was requested and will be held. Information Contact: **Mary Maupin**, Air Quality Division, maupinm@michigan.gov or 517-373-7039.

MARCH 7, 2012
7:00 p.m.

PUBLIC HEARING ON PERMIT APPLICATION SUBMITTED BY CONOR MCCAHERILL, MCFUN VENTURE I, LLC, GLEN ARBOR, MICHIGAN. The Water Resources Division will hold a public hearing at the Glen Arbor Township Hall, 6394 West Western Avenue, Glen Arbor, Michigan 49636. The hearing will be for Permit Application Number 11-45-0055-P, submitted by Conor McCahill, McFun Venture I, LLC, 8137 South Glen Lake Road, Glen Arbor, Michigan 49636. The applicant proposes to expand the On The Narrows Marina on Glen Lake at 8137 South Glen Lake Road to meet increased demand. Additional free-standing seasonal docks will be added and the mooring field will be expanded. No dredging or boat launches are proposed with this project. Information Contact: **Robyn Schmidt**, Water Resources Division, 231-876-4444.

MARCH 13, 2012

DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING THE PROPOSED REMOVAL OF THE DEGRADATION OF AESTHETICS BENEFICIAL USE IMPAIRMENT FROM THE 1) KALAMAZOO RIVER AND 2) RIVER RAISIN AREAS OF CONCERN. A link to the Removal Recommendation document can be found under the "Information" heading at: www.michigan.gov/deqaocprogram. Submit written comments to John Riley, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Office of the Great Lakes, P.O. Box 30273, Lansing, Michigan, 48909-7773, or to rileyj2@michigan.gov by midnight on March 13, 2012. If requested in writing, a public hearing may be scheduled. All comments received by March 13, 2012, will be considered prior to final action. Additional details on this proposed action may be obtained from: **John Riley**, Office of the Great Lakes, 517-335-4122, rileyj2@michigan.gov.

MARCH 14, 2012

DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING ATLAS EPS, A DIVISION OF ATLAS ROOFING CORPORATION, BYRON CENTER, KENT COUNTY (SRN:N1794), for the proposed approval of a draft renewal of your Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of expanded polystyrene product manufacturing. The draft permit is intended to simplify and clarify the facility's applicable requirements and will not result in any air emission changes at the stationary source. The ROP public notice documents can be viewed at www.deq.state.mi.us/aps. The responsible official of the stationary source is Robert Butkus, General Manager, Atlas EPS, A Division of Atlas Roofing Corporation, 8240 Byron Center Road, Byron Center, Michigan 49035. Submit comments to Cal Peters, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Grand Rapids District Office, 350 Ottawa Avenue NW, Unit 10, Grand Rapids, Michigan 49503-2341. Written comments will be accepted by e-mail and all statements must be received by March 14, 2012. The decision-maker for the permit is Heidi Hollenbach, Grand Rapids District Supervisor. If requested in writing by March 14, 2012, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: **Cal Peters**, Air Quality Division, petersc@michigan.gov or 616-356-0245.

Division Permit Contacts

For additional information on permits, contact:

Air Quality Division		
Air Quality Permits on Public Notice	517-335-4607	Cari DeBruler
New Source Review (NRS) on Public Notice		
Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) on Public Notice		
Resource Management Division	517-335-2690	
Office of Oil, Gas, and Minerals	517-241-1515	
Oil and Gas Permits		
Mineral Well and Sand Dune Mining Permits		
Water Resources Division		
Wetland and Land/Water Interface Permits	517-373-8798	Wendy Fitzner
Wetland and Land/Water Interface Permits on Public Notice		
Wastewater Discharge Permits	517-241-1346	Susan Ashcraft
Groundwater Permits on Public Notice		
NPDES Permits on Public Notice		
Certificates of Coverage on Public Notice		

PART II: CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS AND TRAINING PROGRAMS

Conferences, Workshops, and Training

ANNOUNCEMENT – The DEQ’s Office of Environmental Assistance (OEA) now accepts Visa, MasterCard, and Discover for all DEQ/OEA workshop payments!

FEBRUARY 2012
1:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

2012 INTRODUCTION TO MAERS (MICHIGAN AIR EMISSIONS REPORTING SYSTEMS) WORKSHOP, VARIOUS LOCATIONS, MICHIGAN. The Introduction to MAERS workshop is offered annually to help companies submit their MAERS reports. This workshop has been designed specifically for businesses subject to MAERS reporting. Workshop participants will be taken step-by-step through the system in an interactive, hands-on format. Introduction to MAERS Workshop participants will learn how to register as a user in MAERS, how to navigate through the Web-based forms and utilities, and how to complete and submit reports using MAERS. MAERS reporting begins January 2012. A limited number of seats are available so register early. Workshop attendees will receive the “MAERS Workbook” and other guidance materials. Updated event information is available on the Web at www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops, click on “DEQ Workshops.”

*Note: This workshop is introductory and designed for businesses subject to MAERS reporting. Consultants and users already familiar with the MAERS system may wish to view the on-line tutorials and other on-line tools at www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops (click on “Online Learning” then “MAERS”). Information Contact: **Jim Ostrowski**, Office of Environmental Assistance, 517-241-8057, or e-mail at ostrowskij2@michigan.gov. Registration Information: **Environmental Assistance Center**, 800-662-9278, or e-mail at deq-assist@michigan.gov.*

<u>Date</u>	<u>Location</u>
2/14/12	VisTaTech at Schoolcraft College, Livonia (SOLD OUT)
2/16/12*	Lansing Community College, West Campus, Lansing

*The February 16 workshop will also be broadcast as a Webinar for those unable to attend a live session. You can register for either a live session or the Webinar at <http://www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops>.

FEBRUARY 15, 2012
10:00 a.m. –
11:30 a.m.

GREENHOUSE GAS AIR PERMITTING WEBINAR. Do you know if your Greenhouse Gas emissions will make you a major source of air emissions? This Webinar, hosted by the DEQ Office of Environmental Assistance and Air Quality Division, will provide a brief overview of the Greenhouse Gas regulations and how they apply to air permitting under Title V of the Clean Air Act. Attendees will learn: the basics of the US EPA GHG Tailoring Rule; how to determine if you are a major source of GHG emissions; what the options are to comply if it is determined that you are a major source; and, tools and resources available. Reserve your Webinar seat now at www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops, click on "DEQ Webinars." Information Contact: **James Ostrowski**, Office of Environmental Assistance, 517-241-8057, or e-mail at ostrowskij2@michigan.gov. Registration Information: **Environmental Assistance Center**, 800-662-9278, or e-mail at deq-assist@michigan.gov.

FEBRUARY 24, 2012
9:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) PESTICIDE GENERAL PERMIT REVIEW AND APPLICATION TRAINING, LANSING COMMUNITY COLLEGE, WEST CAMPUS, LANSING, MICHIGAN. This workshop is being offered by the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) Water Resources Division (WRD) to provide information to the regulated community regarding the 2009 6th Circuit Court ruling which established pesticide applications as point source discharges of pollutants under the Clean Water Act and mandated that these discharges now be covered under the NPDES permit program. WRD staff will provide a detailed review of the content of the pesticide general permits, explain the permit application process, summarize the record keeping and reporting requirements, and explain how the DEQ expects to handle compliance activities. Any persons or entities that have responsibility for determining whether pesticide treatments are needed; have the financial responsibility for pesticide treatments; or apply pesticides in, over, or near surface waters of the State of Michigan for the purposes of controlling aquatic nuisance plants and algae, controlling aquatic nuisance animals, reclaiming fish populations, controlling mosquitoes and other flying insect pests, or controlling forest canopy pests should attend this event. Registration fee: \$75 includes workshop materials and refreshments. Updated workshop information and registration is available on the Web at www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops, click on "DEQ Workshops". If you have questions about the new general permits or need additional assistance to determine whether you should attend this training, contact **Jeff Fischer**, DEQ WRD at 517-335-4188 or e-mail fischerj1@michigan.gov. Registration Information: **Environmental Assistance Center**, 800-662-9278, or e-mail at deq-assist@michigan.gov.

FEBRUARY 27, 2012

CRUMB RUBBER MODIFIED ASPHALT 101 WORKSHOP, THE JAMES B. HENRY CENTER FOR EXECUTIVE DEVELOPMENT, LANSING, MICHIGAN. This one-day workshop is designed to provide attendees with all of the information needed to begin the implementation of different types of Crumb Rubber Enhanced Asphalt Mixtures. The Workshop fee is \$75 for industry and \$40 for state/local/municipal government and academia. This training is sponsored in part by the Michigan Department of Transportation, the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Michigan State University, the Rubber Pavements Association, and the Rubber Manufacturers Association. For questions, please contact **Dr. M. Emin Kutay, P.E.**, at kutay@msu.edu or at 517-353-9297. More information and online registration will be available soon at www.egr.msu.edu/CRMA101/.

MARCH 9-10, 2012

MEECS TRAINING: MICHIGAN SCIENCE TEACHERS ASSOCIATION (MSTA) ANNUAL CONFERENCE, RADISSON HOTEL AND LANSING CENTER, LANSING. The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality is holding six Michigan Environmental Education Curriculum Support (MEECS) training workshops during the MSTA Conference: Air Quality and Climate Change, Ecosystems & Biodiversity, Energy Resources, Land Use for Elementary Teachers, Outdoor Education, and Water Quality. Registration is available for these workshops on the Web at www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops, click on "DEQ Workshops." MEECS training is available only to MSTA Conference registrants. If you have not already done so, please register for the conference at www.msta-mich.org/conference. Information Contact: **Thomas Occhipinti**, Office of Environmental Assistance, 517-373-2379, or e-mail at occhipinti@michigan.gov. Registration Information: **Environmental Assistance Center**, 800-662-9278, or e-mail at deq-assist@michigan.gov.

MARCH 28, 2012

MICHIGAN WATERSHED SUMMIT, EAGLE EYE BANQUET FACILITY, EAST LANSING, MICHIGAN. The purpose of this summit, hosted by the Michigan Water Environment Association partnering with DEQ, include: bring together as many of Michigan's watershed groups as possible; provide an opportunity for speakers from other organizations to share information and updates; give these groups a chance to interact with and learn from each other; and, facilitate discussion on current status, concerns and outlooks regarding Michigan's water environment. For questions, please contact **Jerry Harte**, MWEA at jerry@mi-wea.org. More information and online registration is available at <http://www.mi-wea.org/>.

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AIR PERMIT APPLICATION WORKSHOP FOR FIRST-TIME APPLICANTS, CONSTITUTION HALL, LANSING, MICHIGAN. For most first-time applicants, completing the Permit to Install application is a daunting task. However, submitting a complete and timely application can be more manageable if you know what's expected. The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality is offering this workshop designed to give information on how to submit a complete permit application. Since this workshop is geared to first-time applicants, a significant portion of the session is devoted to your specific application. Air Quality Division permit engineers will be available to discuss your permit application with you one-on-one. To take full advantage of this time with the permit engineer, it is recommended you bring detailed information about your project with you to the session. This training is designed for first-time air permit applicants who need help completing their permit application; however, those who have applied before and need a refresher are welcome to attend as well. Registration fee is \$35 and includes workshop materials. Updated workshop information and registration is available on the Web at www.michigan.gov/degworkshops, click on "DEQ Workshops". Information Contact: **James Ostrowski**, Office of Environmental Assistance, 517-241-8057, or e-mail at ostrowskij2@michigan.gov. Registration Information: **Environmental Assistance Center**, 800-662-9278, or e-mail at deg-assist@michigan.gov.

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2012 MICHIGAN ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE CONFERENCE, VARIOUS LOCATIONS, MICHIGAN. The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality is presenting this conference to help the regulated community comply with environmental requirements. Three concurrent tracks with over 15 sessions will cover waste management, water quality requirements, air quality requirements, pollution prevention, energy efficiency, and more. All conference attendees will receive the brand new 7th Edition of the *Michigan Guide to Environmental, Health, and Safety Regulations*. Updated conference information is available on the Web at www.michigan.gov/degworkshops, click on "DEQ Workshops." Information Contact: **Jim Ostrowski**, Office of Environmental Assistance, 517-241-8057, or e-mail at ostrowskij2@michigan.gov. Registration Information: **Environmental Assistance Center**, 800-662-9278, or e-mail at deg-assist@michigan.gov.

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