The DEQ Environmental Assistance Center (EAC) is available to provide direct access to environmental programs, answers to environmental questions, referrals to technical staff, and quick response. Questions on any items listed in the calendar can be referred to the EAC.
Information relating to these decisions is available on the following pages.
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ALERIS RECYCLING, INC., COLDWATER, BRANCH COUNTY (SRN: N5957). Written comments are being accepted on a proposed consent order to administratively resolve alleged air pollution violations. You may obtain copies of the proposed consent order and Staff Activity Report at www.deq.state.mi.us/aps/downloads/Enforcement/AQD-Consent-Orders.shtml. Submit written comments to Jason Wolf, 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 April 23, 2014 to be considered by the decision-maker prior to final action. If a request is received in writing by April 23, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: Jason Wolf, Air Quality Division, wolfj2@michigan.gov or 517-284-6772. Decision-maker: G. Vinson Hellwig, Air Quality Division Chief.

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**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.

**MARCH 24, 2014**

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING MPI ACQUISITION LLC, MANISTIQUE, SCHOOLCRAFT COUNTY, (SRN: A6475),** for the proposed draft permit for installation and operation of a new natural gas-fired boiler. The facility is located at 453 South Mackinac Avenue, Manistique, Michigan. Additionally, the installation and operation of a new natural gas-fired boiler will require revisions to Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) No. Mi-ROP-A6475-2009. This public comment period meets the public participation requirements for a future administrative amendment to the ROP. The responsible official for the source is Jon Johnson, 453 South Mackinac Avenue, Manistique, 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 March 24, 2014, a public hearing will be held March 27, 2014 (see March 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. Information Contact: Catherine Asselin, Air Quality Division, asselinc@michigan.gov or 517-284-6786.

**MARCH 26, 2014**

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING MICHIGAN POWER LIMITED PARTNERSHIP, LUDINGTON, MASON COUNTY, (SRN: N4975),** for the draft renewal of a Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of a natural gas fired electric/steam cogeneration facility. 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 Kenneth Tomaski, 5795 West Sixth Street, Ludington, Michigan 49431. Written comments on the draft ROP, or a request to hold a public hearing, are to be submitted to Kurt Childs, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Cadillac District Office, 120 West Chapin Street, Cadillac, Michigan 49601-2158, or via e-mail to childsk@michigan.gov by March 26, 2014. The Decision-maker for the permit is Janis Denman Cadillac District Supervisor. If requested in writing by March 26, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: Kurt Childs, Air Quality Division childsk@michigan.gov or 231-876-4411.

**MARCH 26, 2014**

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING MICHIGAN POWER LIMITED PARTNERSHIP, LUDINGTON, MASON COUNTY, (SRN: N4975),** for the draft renewal of an Acid Rain Permit, Clean Air Interstate Rule (CAIR) Annual Sulfur Dioxide (SO2) Budget Permit, CAIR Annual Nitrogen Oxide (NOx) Budget Permit, and CAIR Ozone NOx Budget Permit for the operation of natural gas fired turbine equipped with a heat recovery system generator. The Acid Rain Permit, the CAIR Annual SO2 Budget Permit, the CAIR Annual NOx Budget Permit, and the CAIR Ozone NOx Budget Permit public notice documents can be viewed at www.deq.state.mi.us/aps. The designated representative of the stationary source is Kenneth Tomaski, Plant Manager, 5795 West Sixth Street, Ludington, Michigan 49431. Written comments on the draft Acid Rain Permit, the draft CAIR Annual SO2 Budget Permit, the draft CAIR Annual NOx Budget Permit, and the draft CAIR Ozone NOx Budget Permit, or a request to hold a public hearing, are to be submitted to Brian Carley, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Cadillac District Office, 301 East Louis Glick Highway, Cadillac, Michigan 49601-1556, or via e-mail to carleyb@michigan.gov by March 26, 2014. The Decision-maker for these permits is Janis Denman, Cadillac District Supervisor. If requested in writing by March 26, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: Brian Carley, Air Quality Division carleyb@michigan.gov or 517-780-7843.

**MARCH 26, 2014**

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING AZTEC PRODUCING COMPANY, INC., MANISTEE, MANISTEE COUNTY, (SRN: B7093),** for the draft renewal of a Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of a sour gas sweetening plant. 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 Louis Bartz, 3312 Twelfth Street, Wayland, Michigan 49348. Written comments on the draft ROP, or a request to hold a public hearing, are to be submitted to Caryn Owens, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Cadillac District Office, 120 West Chapin Street, Cadillac, Michigan 49601-2158.
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MARCH 26, 2014
1:00 p.m.

TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING FAIRMOUNT MINERALS LTD, BRIDGMAN, BERRIEN COUNTY, (SRN: A2367), for the proposed draft permit for proposed installation and operation of a new Resin Plant 2 with sand coating operations at an existing facility. The facility is located at 3840 Livingston Road, Bridgman, Michigan. Additionally, the proposed installation and operation of a new Resin Plant 2 with sand coating operations at an existing facility will require revisions to Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) No. MI-ROP-A0367-2011. This public comment period meets the public participation requirements for a future administrative amendment to the ROP. The responsible official for the source is Robert Larson, 3840 Livingston Road, Bridgman, 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 March 26, 2014, a public hearing will be held March 26, 2014, in the William Ford Conference Room, located at Constitution Hall, 525 West Allegan Street, Lansing, Michigan. The public hearing will begin at 1:00 p.m. Those interested may contact the Air Quality Division at 517-284-6789 on March 17, 2014, to determine if a hearing was requested and will be held. Information Contact: Caryn Owens, Air Quality Division owensc1@michigan.gov or 231-876-4414.

MARCH 27, 2014

DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING GENERAL MOTORS LLC – FLINT, GENESEE COUNTY, for the proposed draft permit for the proposed installation of a new paint shop to replace an existing paint shop. The facility is located at G-3100 Van Slyke Road, Flint, Michigan. Additionally, the proposed installation of a new paint shop to replace an existing paint shop will require revisions to Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) No. MI-ROP-B1606-2009b. This public comment period meets the public participation requirements for a future administrative amendment to the ROP. The responsible official for the source is Amy D. Farmer, G-3100 Van Slyke Road, Flint, 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 March 27, 2014, an informational session and public hearing will be held April 2, 2014 (see April 2 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. Information Contact: Vrajesh Patel, Air Quality Division, pately@michigan.gov or 517-284-6798.

MARCH 27, 2014
10:00 p.m.

TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING MPI ACQUISITION LLC, MANISTIQUE, SCHOOLCRAFT COUNTY, (SRN: A6475), for the proposed draft permit for installation and operation of a new natural gas-fired boiler. The facility is located at 453 South Mackinac Avenue, Manistique, Michigan. Additionally, the new installation and operation of a new natural gas-fired boiler will require revisions to Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) No. MI-ROP-A6475-2009. This public comment period meets the public participation requirements for a future administrative amendment to the ROP. The responsible official for the source is Jon Johnson, 453 South Mackinac Avenue, Manistique, 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 March 24, 2014, a public hearing will be held March 27, 2014, in the William Ford Conference Room, located at Constitution Hall, 525 West Allegan Street, Lansing, Michigan. The public hearing will begin at 10:00 a.m. Those interested may contact the Air Quality Division at 517-284-6786 on March 25, 2014, to determine if a hearing was requested and will be held. Information Contact: Catherine Asselin, Air Quality Division, asselinc@michigan.gov or 517-284-6786.

APRIL 2, 2014
6:00 p.m.
INFORMATIONAL SESSION
7:00 p.m.
PUBLIC HEARING

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Brennan Park Community Center, 1301 Pingree Avenue, Flint, 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 be available to answer questions; the public hearing will immediately follow. Those interested may contact the Air Quality Division at 517-284-6796 on March 28, 2014, to determine if a hearing was requested and will be held. Information Contact: Vrajesh Patel, Air Quality Division, patelv@michigan.gov or 517-284-6796.

APRIL 3, 2014
6:00 p.m.
PUBLIC HEARING ON PERMIT APPLICATION SUBMITTED BY MR. CRAIG GUSHOW, MDEQ FILE NUMBER 14-56-0002-P. The Water Resources Division will hold a public hearing on Thursday, April 3, at 6:00 p.m. at the Lincoln Township Hall, 1882 North Hope Road, Midland, Michigan 48642. The hearing will be for Mr. Craig Gushow, 2595 Sielders Road, Midland, MI 48642. The applicant proposes to place approximately 358 cubic yards of fill and dredge approximately 201 cubic yards of material from approximately 10,880 square feet of wetland for the purpose of constructing a road and install utilities for a proposed residential housing development. A 1.83-acre storm water detention basin is proposed to be constructed within 500 feet of the Hahn Drain. The basin is proposed to outfall to the Hahn Drain, and require approximately 1 cubic yard of riprap on five square feet of the stream bank. Mitigation is not proposed. The project is located in T15N, R2E, Section 31, City of Midland, Midland County, Michigan. Information Contact: Cathy Sleight, Saginaw Bay District Office, Water Resources Division, 989-894-6222, sleightc@michigan.gov.

APRIL 4, 2014
DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING GREAT LAKES PETROLEUM TERMINAL, LLC, DETROIT, WAYNE COUNTY, for the proposed draft permit for the proposed installation and operation of two 5,250,000 gallon asphalt cement storage tanks equipped with vapor condensation and recovery systems or equivalent control equipment. The facility is located at 12500 Stocker Road, Detroit, 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 April 4, 2014, an informational session and public hearing will be held April 9, 2014 (see April 9 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. Information Contact: Andrew Drury, Air Quality Division, drurya@michigan.gov or 517-284-6792.

APRIL 4, 2014
DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING RECYCLING AND TREATMENT TECHNOLOGIES OF DETROIT, LLC, DETROIT, WAYNE COUNTY, for the proposed draft permit for the proposed installation and operation of odor control equipment. The facility is located at 530 South Rouge Street, Detroit, 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 April 4, 2014, an informational session and public hearing will be held April 9, 2014 (see April 9 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. Information Contact: Andrew Drury, Air Quality Division, drurya@michigan.gov or 517-284-6792.

APRIL 9, 2014
DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING CONSUMERS ENERGY FREEDOM COMPRESSOR, MANCHESTER, WASHTENAW COUNTY, (SRN: N3920), for the draft renewal of a Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of a natural gas transport station. 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 Ocie Gregory, Consumers Power, 4600 Coolidge Highway, Royal Oak, Michigan, 48073. Written comments on the draft ROP, or a request to hold a public hearing, are to be submitted to Serena White, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Jackson District Office, 301 E. Louis Glick Highway, Jackson, Michigan 49201, or via e-mail to whites1@michigan.gov by April 9, 2014. The Decision-maker for the permit is Scott Miller, Jackson District Supervisor. If requested in writing by April 9, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: Serena White, Air Quality Division whites1@michigan.gov or 517-780-7844.

APRIL 9, 2014
DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING GERKEN MATERIALS, INC., ADRIAN, LENAWEE COUNTY (SRN: B7068), OTTAWA LAKE, MONROE COUNTY, (SRN: N1536), JONESVILLE, HILLSDALE COUNTY (SRN: N7740), Written comments are being accepted on a
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Decision-maker: G. Vinson Hellwig, Air Quality Division Chief. Information Contact: Jenine Camilleri, Air Quality Division, camilleriJ@michigan.gov or 517-284-6768.

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DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING METAL TECHNOLOGIES, INC. - RAVENNA DUCTILE IRON, RAVENNA, MUSKEGON COUNTY, (SRN: N5866), for the draft renewal of a Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of a ductile iron foundry. 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 Brian Warner, Vice President - Environmental Strategy, P.O. Box 229, Cadillac, Michigan 49601. Written comments on the draft ROP, or a request to hold a public hearing, are to be submitted to Eric Grinstein, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Grand Rapids District Office, 350 Ottawa Avenue NW, Unit 10, Grand Rapids, Michigan 49503, or via e-mail to grinsteiner@michigan.gov by April 9, 2014. The Decision-maker for the permit is Heidi Hollenbach Grand Rapids District Supervisor. If requested in writing by April 9, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: Eric Grinstein, Air Quality Division grinsteiner@michigan.gov or 616-356-0266.

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DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING POST FOODS, LLC, BATTLE CREEK, CALHOUN COUNTY, (SRN: B1548), for the draft renewal of a Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of a cereal manufacturing plant. 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 http://www.deq.state.mi.us/aps. The responsible official of the stationary source is Don Holtan, 275 Cliff Street, Battle Creek, Michigan 49015. Written comments on the draft ROP, or a request to hold a public hearing, are to be submitted to Dorothy Bohn, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Kalamazoo District Office, 7953 Adobe Road, Kalamazoo, Michigan 49009, or via e-mail to bohnd@michigan.gov by April 9, 2014. The Decision-maker for the permit is Mary Douglas, Kalamazoo District Supervisor. If requested in writing by April 9, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: Dorothy Bohn, Air Quality Division bohnd@michigan.gov or 269-567-3552.

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DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING WOLVERINE POWER SUPPLY COOPERATIVE INC - VANDYKE GENERATING PLANT, DORR, ALLEGAN COUNTY, (SRN: B5421), for the draft renewal of a Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of an electrical generating plant. 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 Brian Warner, Vice President - Environmental Strategy, P.O. Box 229, Cadillac, Michigan 49601. Written comments on the draft ROP, or a request to hold a public hearing, are to be submitted to Dale Turton, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Kalamazoo District Office, 7953 Adobe Road, Kalamazoo, Michigan 49009, or via e-mail to turtond@michigan.gov by April 9, 2014. The Decision-maker for the permit is Mary Douglas Kalamazoo District Supervisor. If requested in writing by April 9, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: Dale Turton, Air Quality Division turtond@michigan.gov or 269-567-3554.

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5:00 p.m.
INFORMATIONAL SESSION
6:00 p.m.
PUBLIC HEARING

TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED INFORMATIONAL SESSION & PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING GREAT LAKES PETROLEUM TERMINAL, LLC, DETROIT, WAYNE COUNTY, for the proposed draft permit for the proposed installation and operation of two 5,250,000 gallon asphalt cement storage tanks equipped with vapor condensation and recovery systems or equivalent control. The facility is located at 12500 Stocker Road, Detroit, 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 April 4, 2014, an informational session and public hearing will be held April 9, 2014, at the Kemeny Center, 2260 South Fort Street, Detroit, Michigan. The informational session will be held from 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., where staff will be available to answer questions; the public
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TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED INFORMATIONAL SESSION & PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING RECYCLING AND TREATMENT TECHNOLOGIES OF DETROIT, LLC, DETROIT, WAYNE COUNTY, for the proposed draft permit for the proposed installation and operation of two 5,250,000 gallon asphalt cement storage tanks equipped with vapor condensation and recovery systems or equivalent control. The facility is located at 530 South Rouge Street, Detroit, 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 April 4, 2014, an informational session and public hearing will be held April 9, 2014, at the Kemeny Center, 2260 South Fort Street, Detroit, Michigan. The informational session will be held from 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., where staff will be available to answer questions; the public hearing will immediately follow. Those interested may contact the Air Quality Division at 517-284-6796 on April 7, 2014, to determine if a hearing was requested and will be held. Information Contact: Andrew Drury, Air Quality Division, drurya@michigan.gov or 517-284-6792.

APRIL 10, 2014

DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING VENTRA FOWLERVILLE, LLC, FOWLERVILLE, LIVINGSTON COUNTY, for the proposed draft permit for the proposed modification of a plastic parts automotive coating line. The facility is located at 8887 West Grand River, Fowlerville, Michigan. Additionally, the proposed modification of a plastic parts automotive coating line will require revisions to Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) No. MI ROP-N7413-2009. This public comment period meets the public participation requirements for a future administrative amendment to the ROP. The responsible official for the source is Kenneth Spitler, 8887 West Grand River, Fowlerville, 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 April 10, 2014, an informational session and public hearing will be held April 14, 2014 (see April 14 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. Information Contact: Julie Brunner, Air Quality Division, brunner1@michigan.gov or 517-284-6789.

APRIL 11, 2014

PUBLIC HEARING ON PERMIT APPLICATION SUBMITTED BY SHIP’N SHORE HOTEL LLC, ATTENTION RANDY KING. The Water Resources Division will hold a public hearing on Friday, April 11, at 6:30 p.m. at the Saugatuck High School Media Center, 401 Elizabeth Street, Saugatuck, Michigan 49453. The hearing will be for Ship’n Shore Hotel LLC, Attention Randy King, 13520 Barry Street, Holland, Michigan 49424. The applicant proposes to reconfigure the existing marina to allow for rafting and mooring of watercraft along the existing seawall. An area of Kalamazoo River bottomlands measuring 269 feet long by approximately 93 feet wide will be designated for broadside boat mooring. Boats will be first broadside moored to the existing seawall, with additional boats tied together with rope and protected with fenders (rafted) to those moored at the seawall. The project is located at Ship’n Shore Hotel, 528 Water Street, Saugatuck Michigan, 49453, in T3N, R16W, Section 9, City of Saugatuck, Allegan County, Michigan. Information Contact: Derek Haroldson, Water Resources Division, 269-567-3567, harlodsond@michigan.gov.

APRIL 14, 2014

DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING UNIVERSAL COATING, INC., FLINT, GENESEE COUNTY, for the proposed draft permit for the proposed request for facility-wide federally enforceable permit limits on hazardous air pollutants to greater than 90 percent of the major source threshold and the installation of a new spindle conveyor adhesive coating line at the facility. The facility is located at 5204 Energy Drive, Flint, 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 April 14, 2014, an informational session and public hearing will be held April 17, 2014 (see April 17 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. Information Contact: Vrajesh Patel, Air Quality Division, patelv@michigan.gov or 517-284-6796.

APRIL 14, 2014

TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED INFORMATIONAL SESSION & PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING VENTRA FOWLERVILLE, LLC, FOWLERVILLE, LIVINGSTON COUNTY, for the proposed draft permit for the proposed modification of a plastic parts automotive coating line. The facility is
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<td>DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING ALERIS RECYCLING, INC., COLDWATER, BRANCH COUNTY (SRN: N5957). Written comments are being accepted on a proposed consent order to administratively resolve alleged air pollution violations. You may obtain copies of the proposed consent order and Staff Activity Report at <a href="http://www.deq.state.mi.us/aps/downloads/Enforcement/AQD-Consent-Orders.shtml">www.deq.state.mi.us/aps/downloads/Enforcement/AQD-Consent-Orders.shtml</a>. Submit written comments to Jason Wolf, 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 April 23, 2014 to be considered by the decision-maker prior to final action. If a request is received in writing by April 23, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Decision-maker: G. Vinson Hellwig, Air Quality Division Chief. Information Contact: Jason Wolf, Air Quality Division, <a href="mailto:wolfj2@michigan.gov">wolfj2@michigan.gov</a> or 517-284-6772.</td>
<td>DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING, PHARMACIA &amp; UPJOHN LLC, KALAMAZOO, KALAMAZOO COUNTY (SRN: B3610), for the draft renewal of a Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of a pharmaceutical manufacturing facility. 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 <a href="http://www.deq.state.mi.us/aps">www.deq.state.mi.us/aps</a>. The responsible official of the stationary source is Frank Foley, Site Leader, 7000 Portage Road, Kalamazoo, Michigan 49001-0199. Written comments on the draft ROP, or a request to hold a public hearing, are to be submitted to Dennis Dunlap, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Kalamazoo District Office, 7953 Adobe Road, Kalamazoo, Michigan 49009-5025, or via e-mail to <a href="mailto:dunlapd@michigan.gov">dunlapd@michigan.gov</a> by April 23, 2014. The decision-maker for the permit is Mary Douglas, Kalamazoo District Supervisor. If requested in writing by April 23, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: Dennis Dunlap, Air Quality Division, <a href="mailto:dunlapd@michigan.gov">dunlapd@michigan.gov</a> or 269-567-3553.</td>
<td>DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING, STURGIS MUNICIPAL POWER PLANT, STURGIS, SAINT JOSEPH COUNTY (SRN: B7287), for the draft renewal of a Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of a power plant utilizing a dual fuel engine generator with 8,285 horsepower. 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 <a href="http://www.deq.state.mi.us/aps">http://www.deq.state.mi.us/aps</a>. The responsible official of the stationary source is John J. Griffith, Superintendent, 130 North Nottawa Street, Sturgis, Michigan. Additionally, the proposed modification of a plastic parts automotive coating line will require revisions to Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) No. MI ROP-N7413-2009. This public comment period meets the public participation requirements for a future administrative amendment to the ROP. The responsible official for the source is Kenneth Spitler, 8887 West Grand River, Fowlerville, Michigan. The New Source Review and ROP public notice documents can be viewed at <a href="http://www.deq.state.mi.us/aps">www.deq.state.mi.us/aps</a>. If a public hearing is requested in writing by April 10, 2014, an informational session and public hearing will be held April 14, 2014, at the Village of Fowlerville, 213 South Grand Avenue, Fowlerville, Michigan. The informational session will be held from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., where the Air Quality Division 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 517-284-6789 on April 11, 2014, to determine if a hearing was requested and will be held. Information Contact: Julie Brunner, Air Quality Division, <a href="mailto:brunnerj@michigan.gov">brunnerj@michigan.gov</a> or 517-284-6789.</td>
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Michigan 49091. Written comments on the draft ROP, or a request to hold a public hearing, are to be submitted to Dennis Dunlap, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Kalamazoo District Office, 7953 Adobe Road, Kalamazoo, Michigan 49009-5025, or via e-mail to dunlapd@michigan.gov by April 23, 2014. The decision-maker for the permit is Mary Douglas, Kalamazoo District Supervisor. If requested in writing by April 23, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: Dennis Dunlap, Air Quality Division, dunlapd@michigan.gov or 269-567-3553.

APRIL 23, 2014

DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING, MUSKEGON DEVELOPMENT COMPANY SOUR ZONE CENTRAL PRODUCTION FACILITY, HOUGHTON LAKE, ROSCOMMON COUNTY (SRN: N0924), for the draft renewal of a Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of central production facility that collects a mixture of gas, crude oil, condensate and brine via flow lines from wells in its surrounding area. 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 William C. Myler, 1425 south Mission road, Mount Pleasant, Michigan 48858. Written comments on the draft ROP, or a request to hold a public hearing, are to be submitted to Rebbecca Radulski, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Cadillac District, Gaylord Field Office, 2100 west M32, Gaylord, Michigan 49735, or via e-mail to radulskir@michigan.gov by April 23, 2014. The decision-maker for the permit is Janis Denman, Cadillac District Supervisor. If requested in writing by April 23, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: Rebbecca Radulski, Air Quality Division, radulskir@michigan.gov or 989-705-3404.

APRIL 24, 2014

DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT ON A NO FURTHER ACTION REPORT FOR THE FORMER MANUFACTURED GAS PLANT ANNEX PROPERTY, GRAND RAPIDS, KENT COUNTY. Written comments are being accepted on an Intent to Approve a Limited Non-Residential No Further Action (NFA) Report for the Former Manufactured Gas Plant (MGP) facility, a site of environmental contamination located at 634 Godfrey Avenue, Grand Rapids, MI. The Former MGP Annex property is the current location of the Grand Rapids Community College M-Tec building. The NFA report describes remedial action implemented to mitigate pathway specific risk at the property. A post closure plan for the NFA includes maintenance of a restrictive covenant (which is filed with the Kent County Register of Deeds office) that details land use restrictions, engineered exposure control barriers, and limited downgradient groundwater monitoring. The NFA report will be available for viewing beginning 03/24/2014 at the Grand Rapids Public Library, 111 Library Street NE, Grand Rapids, MI 49503 and is available for viewing during normal business hours at the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Grand Rapids District Office, 350 Ottawa NW, Grand Rapids, MI 49503. Written comments should be mailed prior to 04/24/2014 to Darlene Stringer, DEQ, Remediation and Redevelopment Division, 350 Ottawa Avenue, NW, Unit 10, Grand Rapids, MI 49503-2341. Information Contact: Darlene Stringer, Remediation and Redevelopment Division, 616-356-0023 or e-mail at: stringerd2@michigan.gov.
**Division Permit Contacts**

For additional information on permits, contact:

**Air Quality Division**
- Air Quality Permits on Public Notice
  - New Source Review (NRS) on Public Notice: 517-284-6793  
    - Contact: Amie Hartman
  - Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) on Public Notice: 517-284-6634  
    - Contact: Joanne Foy

**Office of Oil, Gas, and Minerals**
- Oil and Gas Permits: 517-284-6826
- Mineral Well and Sand Dune Mining Permits

**Water Resources Division**
- Aquatic Nuisance Permits: 517-284-5593  
  - Contact: Pam Studebaker
- Dams: 517-284-6821  
  - Contact: Byron Lane
- Wetland and Land/Water Interface Permits: Contact District Office Staff

**Wastewater Discharge Permits**
- NPDES Permits on Public Notice: 517-284-5568  
  - Contact: Susan Ashcraft
- Certificates of Coverage on Public Notice: 517-284-5557  
  - Contact: Sherry Thelen

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**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!

**MARCH 24-27, 2014**  
MANAGING FLOODPLAIN DEVELOPMENT THROUGH THE NATIONAL FLOOD INSURANCE PROGRAM (NFIP), UTICA PUBLIC LIBRARY, UTICA, MICHIGAN. Sponsored by FEMA, the Association of State Floodplain Managers (ASFPM), and the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, this course is designed to provide an organized training opportunity for local officials responsible for administering their local floodplain management ordinance. The course will focus on the NFIP and concepts of floodplain management, maps and studies, ordinance administration, and the relationship between floodplain management and flood insurance. This is the field deployed version of the FEMA Emergency Management Institute (EMI) MI E273 course. Who should attend? Federal/State/regional floodplain managers also are encouraged to attend. The course is designed for those officials with less than 3 years of floodplain management experience. Registration Cost: Course is free, but registration required. Separate registration and fee required to sit for the CFM exam (optional).  
**Course:** To register for the course, please contact **Maria Zingas** at zingasm@michigan.gov or call 586-753-3872. Seating is limited, register early!  
**Exam:** To register for the CFM Exam, please complete the CFM Exam Application materials and submit with fee to **Anita Larson**, Certification Coord. at ASFPM 575 D’Onofrio Dr. Ste. 200; Madison, WI 53719. Submit CFM Exam related questions to cfm@floods.org or call 608-828-3000.
MARCH 26, 2014
8:30 a.m. – 3:15 p.m.

MICHIGAN WATERSHED SUMMIT, EAGLE EYE BANQUET FACILITY, EAST LANSING, MICHIGAN. Hosted by the Michigan Water Environment Association and partnering with the DEQ, the purposes of this summit include; bringing together as many of Michigan’s watershed groups as possible; providing an opportunity for speakers from other organizations to share information and updates; giving these groups a chance to interact with and learn from each other; and, facilitating discussion on current status, concerns and outlooks regarding Michigan’s water environment. Register online or fill out this registration form and send to MWEA by MARCH 19. Registration is $25 for representatives of Michigan watershed organizations. For more information, contact Jerry Harte, jerry@mi-wea.org.

2014 MONTHLY CONSTRUCTION STORM WATER OPERATOR/SOIL EROSION INSPECTOR TRAINING, VARIOUS LOCATIONS, MICHIGAN. The DEQ Water Resources Division will be hosting training and exams for Certification as a Construction Storm Water Operator. These half-day sessions will include a training video outlining inspector/certified operator requirements, best practices for soil erosion and sedimentation control, and common compliance problems found on construction sites. Not all information on the test is included in the training, so participants are expected to have read and understand the information presented in the “Certified Storm Water Operator and Soil Erosion and Sedimentation Control Inspector/Comprehensive Manual” chapters 1-5. The training will be followed by a fifty question, multiple choice exam. A score of 70% is required to pass and become certified. Complete Training and Exam schedules can be found on the web at www.michigan.gov/soilerosion and by clicking on the first link under the training header. Cost: $95. Information Contact: Sarah Ehinger, WRD, 269-567-3515, or ehingers1@michigan.gov. To register, determine the training date and location you would like to attend and contact the district staff person for that location.

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APRIL 9-10, 2014
DEQ COMPREHENSIVE SOIL EROSION SELF-STUDY EXAMS, CONSTITUTION HALL, LANSING, MICHIGAN. The DEQ Water Resources Division (WRD) will be hosting a training and exam for Comprehensive Soil Erosion and Sedimentation Control for individuals who have valid Construction Storm Water Operator Certificates and work for Part 91 Agencies where the individual may have soil erosion and sedimentation control plan review and design responsibilities. The training will cover the required components of a soil erosion and sedimentation control plan, the soil erosion and sedimentation control law, an overview of common best management practices for soil erosion and sedimentation control, and an exercise in plan review in design. Not all information in the exam is covered in the training, so participants are expected to have read and understand the information presented in the “Certified Storm Water Operator and Soil Erosion and Sedimentation Control Inspector/Comprehensive Manual.” The exam consists of a forty question, multiple choice exam. A score of 70% is required to pass and receive a certificate of training. The Comprehensive Training and Exam schedules can be found on the web at www.michigan.gov/soilerosion and by clicking on the first link under the training header. Cost: $225. To register, contact Susan Doty, WRD at 517-284-6664, or dotys2@michigan.gov and be prepared to provide your Construction Storm Water Operator certification number.

APRIL 11, 2014
REVITALIZING OUR URBAN AREAS, COOLEY LAW SCHOOL, TEMPLE CONFERENCE CENTER, LANSING, MICHIGAN. This annual conference, sponsored by the American Society for Public Administration, Michigan Capital Area Chapter, is intended for public administrators interested
in expanding their networks and knowledge base. City managers, public service professionals, non-profit managers, department directors, legislators, legislative staff, executive staff, academics and students are encouraged to attend. This conference will feature interesting speakers and panelists from academia and public service who will discuss what Michigan public administrators are doing to improve their communities. Come hear keynote speaker, The Honorable Mayor George Heartwell, City of Grand Rapids and panel presentations on placemaking, education, local development, career preparation and internships panel, sustainable cities, insurance reform, and community development. The DEQ is on the planning committee for this event. For more information and to register, visit www.mipaforum.org.

APRIL 15-16, 2014 MICHIGAN SAFETY CONFERENCE, LANSING CENTER, LANSING, MICHIGAN. The Michigan Safety Conference is a two-day world class health and safety training event, held every Spring. Training is targeted at workplace health and safety issues. All businesses in Michigan are encouraged to send their employees responsible for health, safety and risk management operations. The DEQ will have speakers and an exhibitor table at this event. For more information, go to http://www.michsafetyconference.org/.

APRIL 17, 2014 2014 MICHIGAN ASSOCIATION OF HAZARDOUS MATERIALS PROFESSIONAL ANNUAL CONFERENCE, CLEARY UNIVERSITY JOHNSON CENTER, HOWELL, MICHIGAN. Don't miss the annual conference featuring updates from the DEQ, MIOSHA, and MDARD, followed by technical sessions and the annual chapter business meeting. For more information, go to http://mi-ahmp.org/.

APRIL 23, 2014 CLEARING THE AIR: AN OVERVIEW OF FEDERAL, REGIONAL AND STATE AIR QUALITY ISSUES IN 2014, MMA HEADQUARTERS, LANSING, MICHIGAN. This 5th Annual Conference is co-sponsored by the Michigan Manufacturers Association (MMA) and the Air Committee of the Environmental Law Section of the State Bar of Michigan and will feature updates on the most urgent environmental regulatory issues facing Michigan companies. Experts from government, industry, advocacy groups, and the legal profession will address the latest developments and what to expect. The DEQ will have a speaker at this event. Environmental professionals, attorneys, managers with environmental compliance responsibilities, and individuals charged with strategic planning should attend this event. For more information, go to www.mimfg.org or contact LeAnn Hicks at 517-487-8557 or hicks@mimfg.org.

APRIL 24, 2014 WEST MICHIGAN AIR & WASTE MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION ANNUAL SPRING CONFERENCE, EBERHARD CENTER, GVSU GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN. The focus of this year’s conference is “Environmental Compliance – What you Need to Know and How to Get It Done.” The program includes a keynote address on Turning Compliance into an Innovation Platform by Gabe Wing, a panel discussion on communications, updates from the DEQ Chiefs, issues facing the Great Lakes, experiences from the trenches, DEQ tools and resources available to assist with compliance, and advice on effective communications from an expert in the field. For more information contact Jill Kamp at jkwmaawma@comcast.net or visit the Website at www.wmawma.org.

APRIL 29 – MAY 1, 2014 MICHIGAN RECYCLING COALITION ANNUAL CONFERENCE AND TRADE SHOW, YPSILANTI, MICHIGAN. This annual, state-wide conference is the place to be to make business contacts, learn about what is coming down the road that will impact your operations, and network with other recycling professionals. Join the many businesses and organizations that showcase their products, programs, services, and support for recycling. The three-day event boasts a variety of tours, training and networking events for anyone interested in learning more about recycling in Michigan. The DEQ is a conference partner and will have speakers and an exhibit table at the event. For further information contact Kerrin O'Brien at kerrinmrc@gmail.com or 517-974-3672 or visit the Website at www.michiganrecycles.org.

MAY 1-3, 2014 MICHIGAN INLAND LAKES CONVENTION: PARTNERING TO PROTECT MICHIGAN’S INLAND LAKES BOYNE MOUNTAIN, MICHIGAN. The inaugural Michigan Inland Lakes Convention presents an opportunity for lake enthusiasts, lake professionals, researchers, local government officials and anyone else interested in protecting our water resources to participate in three days of educational presentations and discussion, in-depth workshops, tours, exhibits and much more focused on Michigan’s 11,000 inland lakes. Convention sessions will cover a wide variety of topics, including aquatic invasive species management and control, natural shoreline management, Cooperative Lakes Monitoring Program training, the latest in lake research, riparian rights and water
MAY 7, 2014
MICHIGAN CHAMBER 15TH ANNUAL ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES FORUM, MICHIGAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, LANSING, MICHIGAN. Dan Wyant, DEQ Director, will speak as part of the Michigan Chamber’s 15th Annual Environmental Issues Forum. Topics include water quality & quantity regulations, renewable energy policy & practice, environmental site assessments & continuing “due care” obligations, vapor intrusion closure & mitigation strategies, air pollution regulatory updates, sustainability beyond environmental management. For a full agenda and details, please visit the Michigan Chamber web site at http://www.michamber.com/events/15th-annual-environmental-issues-forum or call toll-free at 1-888-763-0514 or direct at 517-371-7670.

MAY 8-9, 2014
MICHIGAN GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE CONFERENCE: PROTECTING WATER RESOURCES AND PROMOTING ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, THE LANSING CENTER, LANSING, MICHIGAN. Save the date - a major Green Infrastructure Conference is coming to Lansing on May 8-9, 2014. This conference is a natural outgrowth of the Governor’s 2012 Special Message on Energy and the Environment. The Governor identified green infrastructure (GI) as a way to improve water quality in Michigan and create recreational space at the same time. The conference expands on this theme to highlight a broad range of benefits and opportunities provided by green infrastructure planning and preservation at local and regional scales. “How-to” presentations and case studies will be highlighted. Many experts will be available at this two-day conference to discuss what’s being done to advance GI at the federal and state levels. The regional and local levels will focus on codes and ordinances, funding, cost/benefits, and partnerships. The site-specific level will feature presentations on preparation, design, placement, sizing, and maintenance of structural and vegetative controls. This conference is targeted towards local government decision makers and engineers, planners, consultants and landscape architects, developers and builders, drain commissioners, road agencies, business and industry, conservation organizations, foundations and environmental non-profits groups, and anyone with duties related to land use and stormwater management. Updated conference information is available on the Web at www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops, click on “DEQ Workshops”. Information Contact: David Drullinger, Office of Environmental Assistance, 517-284-6855, or e-mail at drullingerd@michigan.gov. Registration Information: Environmental Assistance Center, 800-662-9278, or e-mail at deq-assist@michigan.gov.

MAY 8-9, 2014
DEQ COMPREHENSIVE SOIL EROSION SELF-STUDY EXAMS, SOUTHEAST MI DEQ OFFICE, WARREN, MICHIGAN. The DEQ Water Resources Division (WRD) will be hosting a training and exam for Comprehensive Soil Erosion and Sedimentation Control for individuals who have valid Construction Storm Water Operator Certificates and work for Part 91 Agencies where the individual may have soil erosion and sedimentation control plan review and design responsibilities. The training will cover the required components of a soil erosion and sedimentation control plan, the soil erosion and sedimentation control law, an overview of common best management practices for soil erosion and sedimentation control, and an exercise in plan review in design. Not all information in the exam is covered in the training, so participants are expected to have read and understand the information presented in the “Certified Storm Water Operator and Soil Erosion and Sedimentation Control Inspector/Comprehensive Manual.” The exam consists of a forty question, multiple choice exam. A score of 70% is required to pass and receive a certificate of training. The Comprehensive Training and Exam schedules can be found on the web at www.michigan.gov/soilerosion and by clicking on the first link under the training header. Cost: $225. To register, contact Cheryl Petroski, WRD at 586-753-3718, or petroskic@michigan.gov and be prepared to provide your Construction Storm Water Operator certification number.

2014 PTI SERIES
AIR PERMIT-TO-INSTALL APPLICATION TRAINING, CONSTITUTION HALL, LANSING, MICHIGAN. Attend this workshop to learn more about how to complete the air Permit-to-Install Application. The workshop includes a general question & answer session, and for those who are “project ready,” the opportunity to meet with a permit engineer for individual assistance on your specific application. Registration fee is $45 and includes workshop materials. Updated workshop information and registration is available on the Web at www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops, 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
MAY-JUNE 2014

**2014 MICHIGAN ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE CONFERENCE, VARIOUS LOCATIONS, MICHIGAN.** The Michigan Environmental Compliance Conference (MECC) is the DEQ’s premier compliance assistance event designed to help businesses and environmental professionals comply with their environmental requirements. The 2014 MECC will offer 4 concurrent tracks with 22 sessions that cover waste and wastewater management, air quality requirements, remediation, pollution prevention and other topics. Whether you are new to the environmental field or an experienced veteran, this conference has something for everyone! All conference attendees will receive the new 8th Edition of the *Michigan Guide to Environmental, Health, and Safety Regulations*. Updated conference information is available on the Web at [www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops](http://www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops), click on “DEQ Workshops.” Information Contact: **Jim Ostrowski**, Office of Environmental Assistance, 517-284-6870, or e-mail at ostrowskij2@michigan.gov. Registration Information: **Environmental Assistance Center**, 800-662-9278, or e-mail at deq-assist@michigan.gov.

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**ADVANCED WASTE CHARACTERIZATION WORKSHOPS, VARIOUS LOCATIONS, MICHIGAN.** The DEQ is hosting two workshops to explain the process of characterizing business waste. This half-day workshop will focus on hazardous and liquid industrial waste and will provide information on the basic waste characterization concepts, including practical details to use when evaluating any waste. This workshop will be beneficial to environmental, health, and safety professionals at small quantity and large quantity generators of hazardous waste and anyone who manages waste for their business or institution. Topics will include: point of origination or when a waste first becomes subject to regulation; hazardous waste exclusions, where they are cited, and when you can use them; how to determine whether your waste meets the land disposal restrictions, needs to be treated before disposal, and how to determine the underlying hazardous constituents in your waste; how to determine when a listing applies and when generator treatment is an option; and how to collect random samples, what analysis is required, and when you can use less costly analysis method. Although solid waste will not be covered in the presentations, technical staff will be available on site. Updated workshop information is available on the Web at [www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops](http://www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops), click on “DEQ Workshops.” Information Contact: **Christine Grossman**, Office of Environmental Assistance, 517-284-6860, or e-mail at grossmanc@michigan.gov. Registration Information: **Environmental Assistance Center**, 800-662-9278, or e-mail at deq-assist@michigan.gov.

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