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## ENVIRONMENTAL CALENDAR

September 22, 2014

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◆ **TIMETABLE FOR DECISIONS**

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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**LAFARGE MIDWEST, INC., ALPENA, ALPENA COUNTY**, for the proposal to burn additional fuels in the existing five (5) cement kilns. The facility is located at 1435 Ford Avenue, Alpena, Michigan. Additionally, the proposal to burn additional fuels in the existing five (5) cement kilns will require revisions to Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) No. MI ROP-B1477-2012. This public comment period meets the public participation requirements for a future administrative amendment to the ROP. The responsible official for the source is David Keen, 1435 Ford Avenue, Alpena, Michigan. The New Source Review and ROP public notice documents can be viewed at [www.deq.state.mi.us/aps](http://www.deq.state.mi.us/aps). Written comments will be taken through September 22, 2014. If a public hearing is requested in writing by September 22, 2014, a public hearing will be held October 1, 2014 (see October 1 listing in this calendar). Written comments and/or a request for a hearing should be sent to Mark C. Mitchell, Acting Permit Section Supervisor, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909. All statements received by September 22, 2014, will be considered by the decision-maker prior to final action. Information Contact: **Melissa Byrnes**, Air Quality Division, [byrnesm@michigan.gov](mailto:byrnesm@michigan.gov) or 517-284-6790. Decision-maker: **Lynn Fiedler**, Acting Air Quality Division Chief.

**Other Decisions Before the Office of the Director**

**AIR QUALITY  
DIVISION**  
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**GENERAL MOTORS, LLC, SAGINAW METAL CASTING OPERATIONS, SAGINAW, SAGINAW COUNTY (SRN: B1991)**. 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](http://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 September 24, 2014 to be considered by the decision-maker prior to final action. If a request is received in writing by September 24, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: **Jason Wolf**, Air Quality Division, [wolfj2@michigan.gov](mailto:wolfj2@michigan.gov) or 517-284-6772. Decision-maker: **Lynn Fiedler**, Air Quality Division Acting Chief.

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**EES COKE BATTERY, LLC, RIVER ROUGE, WAYNE COUNTY (SRN: P0408)**. 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](http://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 October 8, 2014 to be considered by the decision-maker prior to final action. If a request is received in writing by October 8, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: **Jason Wolf**, Air Quality Division, [wolfj2@michigan.gov](mailto:wolfj2@michigan.gov) or 517-284-6772. Decision-maker: **Lynn Fiedler**, Air Quality Division Acting Chief.

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**ENTECH, INC. WHITE PIGEON, ST. JOSEPH COUNTY (ID: U75130649)**. 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](http://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 October 8, 2014 to be considered by the decision-maker prior to final action. If a request is received in writing by October 8, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: **Jason Wolf**, Air Quality Division, [wolfj2@michigan.gov](mailto:wolfj2@michigan.gov) or 517-284-6772. Decision-maker: **Lynn Fiedler**, Air Quality Division Acting Chief.

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**PRS MANUFACTURING, WALKER, KENT COUNTY (SRN: N1229).** 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](http://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 October 8, 2014 to be considered by the decision-maker prior to final action. If a request is received in writing by October 8, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: **Jason Wolf**, Air Quality Division, [wolfj2@michigan.gov](mailto:wolfj2@michigan.gov) or 517-284-6772. Decision-maker: **Lynn Fiedler**, Air Quality Division Acting Chief.

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**MAC CONTRACTING, LANSING, INGHAM COUNTY.** 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](http://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 October 8, 2014 to be considered by the decision-maker prior to final action. If a request is received in writing by October 8, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: **Jason Wolf**, Air Quality Division, [wolfj2@michigan.gov](mailto:wolfj2@michigan.gov) or 517-284-6772. Decision-maker: **Mary Ann Dolehanty**, Air Quality Division Acting Assistant Division Chief.

**OFFICE OF WASTE MANAGEMENT AND RADIOLOGICAL PROTECTION**  
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**ALLIED WASTE SYSTEMS, INC.-PONTIAC TRANSFER STATION, OAKLAND COUNTY.** Consideration of a Part 115 Solid Waste Management construction permit application for a renewal of a transfer station and processing plant construction permit on the existing property. A decision is expected by January 1, 2015. Information Contact: **Ms. Tracy Kecskemeti** at 586-753-3840 or e-mail [kecskemetit@michigan.gov](mailto:kecskemetit@michigan.gov). Decision-maker: DEQ OWMRP Division Chief

**WATER RESOURCES DIVISION**  
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**PROPOSED PRIVATE USE AGREEMENT, ALGER COUNTY.** Proposed private use agreement to a 0.09-acre parcel of Lake Superior public trust bottomlands, City of Munising, Alger County. File LS 063. Contact: **Tom Graf**, Water Resources Division, 517 284-5561; [graft@michigan.gov](mailto:graft@michigan.gov). Decision-maker: **Water Resources Division Chief**.

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**PROPOSED FILLED BOTTOMLANDS DEED, ST. CLAIR COUNTY.** Proposed deed to a 0.27-acre parcel of filled Lake St. Clair public trust bottomlands, Clay Township, St. Clair County. File SBC 052. Contact: **Tom Graf**, Water Resources Division, 517 284-5561; [graft@michigan.gov](mailto:graft@michigan.gov). Decision-maker: **Water Resources Division Chief**.

## Proposed Settlements of Contested Cases

NONE

## Administrative Rules Promulgation

NONE

## Announcements

NONE

## 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.**

**WATER  
RESOURCES  
DIVISION**

Active Public Notices and Hearings regarding Wetlands, Inland Lakes and Streams, Great Lakes Submerged Lands, Dam Safety, Shorelands Protection and Management, and Sand Dunes are available for public view through the Coastal and Inland Waters Permit Information System ([www.deq.state.mi.us/ciwpiis](http://www.deq.state.mi.us/ciwpiis)).

**SEPTEMBER 22,  
2014**

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING LAFARGE MIDWEST, INC., ALPENA, ALPENA COUNTY**, for the proposed draft permit for the proposal to burn additional fuels in the existing five (5) cement kilns. The facility is located at 1435 Ford Avenue, Alpena, Michigan. Additionally, the proposal to burn additional fuels in the existing five (5) cement kilns will require revisions to Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) No. MI ROP-B1477-2012. This public comment period meets the public participation requirements for a future administrative amendment to the ROP. The responsible official for the source is David Keen, 1435 Ford Avenue, Alpena, Michigan. New Source Review and ROP public notice documents can be viewed at [www.deq.state.mi.us/aps](http://www.deq.state.mi.us/aps). If a public hearing is requested in writing by September 22, 2014, an informational session and public hearing will be held October 1, 2014 (see October 1 listing in this calendar). Written comments and/or a request for a hearing should be sent to Mark Mitchell, Acting Permit Section Supervisor, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909. Information Contact: **Melissa Byrnes**, Air Quality Division, [byrnesm@michigan.gov](mailto:byrnesm@michigan.gov) or 517-284-6790.

**SEPTEMBER 24,  
2014  
6:00 p.m.  
INFORMATIONAL  
SESSION  
7:00 p.m.  
PUBLIC HEARING**

**TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED INFORMATIONAL SESSION & PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING KIRTLAND PRODUCTS, BOYNE CITY, CHARLEVOIX COUNTY**, for the proposed draft permit for the proposed modification and operation of their existing wood pellet manufacturing plant. The proposed modification is to adjust the stack testing deadlines for the plant air system and the grinder/dryer system due to the current wood supply's low moisture content. The facility is located at 1 Altair Drive, Boyne City, Michigan. The New Source Review public notice documents can be viewed at [www.deq.state.mi.us/aps/cwerp.shtml](http://www.deq.state.mi.us/aps/cwerp.shtml). If a public hearing is requested in writing by September 12, 2014, an informational session and public hearing will be held September 24, 2014, at the City of Boyne City, 319 North Lake Street, Boyne City, Michigan. The informational session will be held from 6:00 p.m. until 7:00 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 517-284-6794 on September 15, 2014, to determine if a hearing was requested and will be held. Information Contact: **Jeremy Hoeh**, Air Quality Division, [hoehj@michigan.gov](mailto:hoehj@michigan.gov) or 517-284-6794.

**SEPTEMBER 24,  
2014**

**GENERAL MOTORS, LLC, SAGINAW METAL CASTING OPERATIONS, SAGINAW, SAGINAW COUNTY (SRN: B1991)**. 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](http://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 September 24, 2014 to be considered by the decision-maker prior to final action. If a request is received in writing by September 24, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Decision-maker: **Lynn Fiedler**, Air Quality Division Acting Chief. Information Contact: **Jason Wolf**, Air Quality Division, [wolfj2@michigan.gov](mailto:wolfj2@michigan.gov) or 517-284-6772.

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2014**

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS REGARDING DTE ENERGY COMPANY, DTE GAS COMPANY, ALPENA COMPRESSOR STATION, HARRISON, CLARE COUNTY (SRN: N5935)**, for the draft renewal of a Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of a natural gas compressor station. The 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 on the Web at [www.deq.state.mi.us/aps](http://www.deq.state.mi.us/aps). The responsible official of the stationary source is Karla Shawhan-Bonnee, 1250 MichCon Lane, Kalkaska, Michigan 49646. Written comments on the draft ROP or a request to hold a public hearing, are to be submitted to Sharon LeBlanc, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Saginaw Bay District Office, 401 Ketchum Street, Suite B, Bay City, Michigan 48708, or via e-mail

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to [leblancs@michigan.gov](mailto:leblancs@michigan.gov) by September 24, 2014. The decision-maker for the permit is Chris Hare, Saginaw Bay District Supervisor. If requested in writing by September 24, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: **Sharon LeBlanc**, Air Quality Division, [leblancs@michigan.gov](mailto:leblancs@michigan.gov) or 989-894-6212.

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS REGARDING VENTRA FOWLerville, FOWLerville, LIVINGSTON COUNTY (SRN: N7413)**, for the draft renewal of a Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of producing bumper components for automobiles. The 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 on the Web at [www.deq.state.mi.us/aps](http://www.deq.state.mi.us/aps). The responsible official of the stationary source is Ken Spittler, 8887 West Grand River Avenue, Fowlerville, Michigan 48836. Written comments on the draft ROP or a request to hold a public hearing are to be submitted to Robert Byrnes, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Lansing District Office, Constitution Hall, 525 West Allegan, P.O. Box 30242, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor South, Lansing, Michigan 48909, or via e-mail to [byrnesr@michigan.gov](mailto:byrnesr@michigan.gov) by September 24, 2014. The decision-maker for the permit is Michael McClellan, Lansing District Supervisor. If requested in writing by September 24, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: **Robert Byrnes**, Air Quality Division, [byrnesr@michigan.gov](mailto:byrnesr@michigan.gov) or 517-284-6632.

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**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS REGARDING PITSCH SANITARY LANDFILL, BELDING, IONIA COUNTY (SRN: N5619)**, for the draft renewal of a Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of a municipal solid waste landfill. The 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 on the Web at [www.deq.state.mi.us/aps](http://www.deq.state.mi.us/aps). The responsible official of the stationary source is Gary Pitsch, 675 Richmond NW, Grand Rapids, Michigan 49504. Written comments on the draft ROP or a request to hold a public hearing are to be submitted to Dave Morgan, 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 [morgand2@michigan.gov](mailto:morgand2@michigan.gov) by September 24, 2014. The decision-maker for the permit is Heidi Hollenbach, Grand Rapids District Supervisor. If requested in writing by September 24, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: **Dave Morgan**, Air Quality Division, [morgand2@michigan.gov](mailto:morgand2@michigan.gov) or 616-356-0009.

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**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS REGARDING MERIT ENERGY COMPANY, KALKASKA GAS PLANT, KALKASKA, KALKASKA COUNTY (SRN: B4292)**, for the draft renewal of a Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of an existing natural gas processing plant for extracting propane and heavier hydrocarbons from natural gas using a cryogenic process. The 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 on the Web at [www.deq.state.mi.us/aps](http://www.deq.state.mi.us/aps). The responsible official of the stationary source is Kurt Jagoda, P.O. Box 910, Kalkaska, Michigan 49646. Written comments on the draft ROP or a request to hold a public hearing are to be submitted to Shane Nixon, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Cadillac District Office, 120 West Chapin Street, Cadillac, Michigan 49601, or via e-mail to [nixons@michigan.gov](mailto:nixons@michigan.gov) by September 24, 2014. The decision-maker for the permit is Janis Ransom, Cadillac District Supervisor. If requested in writing by September 24, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: **Shane Nixon**, Air Quality Division, [nixons@michigan.gov](mailto:nixons@michigan.gov) or 231-876-4413.

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2014

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS REGARDING DETROIT DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC LIGHTING MISTERSKY POWER STATION, DETROIT, WAYNE COUNTY (SRN: B2185)**, for the draft renewal of a Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of a municipal power plant. The 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 on the Web at [www.deq.state.mi.us/aps](http://www.deq.state.mi.us/aps). The responsible official of the stationary source is Beau Taylor, 1340 Third Street, Detroit, Michigan 48226. Written comments on the draft ROP or a request to hold a public hearing are to be submitted to Stephen Weis, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Detroit District Office, 3058 West Grand Boulevard, Suite 2-300, Detroit, Michigan 48202, or via e-mail to [weiss@michigan.gov](mailto:weiss@michigan.gov) by September 24, 2014. The decision-maker for the permit is Wilhemina McLemore, Detroit District Supervisor. If requested in writing by September 24, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: **Stephen Weis**, Air Quality Division, [weiss@michigan.gov](mailto:weiss@michigan.gov) or 313-456-4688.

SEPTEMBER 25,  
2014

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING PROPOSED OPEN WATER DISPOSAL OF DREDGED MATERIALS.** Pursuant to Part 325, Great Lakes Submerged Lands of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended, the MDEQ's Water Resources Division is proposing a new policy to review permit applications requesting the open water disposal of dredged material in the Great Lakes and as beach nourishment under certain conditions. The purpose of this public notice is to provide an opportunity for public review and comment prior to issuance of the policy. The proposed policy can be found at [http://www.michigan.gov/deq/0,4561,7-135-3313\\_3677\\_3697---,00.html](http://www.michigan.gov/deq/0,4561,7-135-3313_3677_3697---,00.html). Written comments should be submitted to the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Water Resources Division, P.O. Box 30459, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7958 to the attention of Tom Graf. All comments must be received by September 25, 2014. Information Contact: **Tom Graf**, Water Resources Division, 517-284-5561, [graft@michigan.gov](mailto:graft@michigan.gov).

OCTOBER 1, 2014  
6:00 p.m.  
INFORMATIONAL  
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7:00 p.m.  
PUBLIC HEARING

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OCTOBER 6, 2014

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT ON A NOTICE OF INTENT TO APPROVE A RESTRICTED RESIDENTIAL CLOSURE – NO FURTHER ACTION REPORT, WELSH ABOVEGROUND STORAGE TANK SITE, PRESQUE ISLE COUNTY.** Written comments are being accepted on the intent to approve a restricted residential No Further Action (NFA) Report for actions taken in response to a gasoline release from an above ground storage tank that occurred at a residential property on Mar-Ral Road in Presque Isle Township. The restricted residential closure pertaining to hazardous substances in groundwater and soil requires use restrictions for groundwater and soil on the residential property. All hazardous substances attributed to the release of gasoline and remaining on the property are addressed in the deed restriction placed on the property by the current property owner. The NFA Report and supporting documentation is available at the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality's Gaylord Office, 2100 West M-32, Gaylord, Michigan. Written comment should be mailed prior to October 6, 2014 to Elaine Pelc, DEQ Remediation & Redevelopment Division, 2100 West M-32 Gaylord, MI 49735. Information Contact: **Elaine Pelc** 989-705-3441 or email at [pelce@michigan.gov](mailto:pelce@michigan.gov)

OCTOBER 7, 2014

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING MARQUETTE GREEN ENERGY, LLC, GWINN, MARQUETTE COUNTY,** for the proposed draft permit for the proposed installation and operation of a biomass and tire derived fuel (TDF) fired steam and electricity generation facility. The facility will be located at 413 First Street, Gwinn, Michigan. The New Source Review public notice documents can be viewed at [www.deq.state.mi.us/aps/cwerp.shtml](http://www.deq.state.mi.us/aps/cwerp.shtml). If a public hearing is requested in writing by October 7, 2014, an informational session and public hearing will be held October 14, 2014 (see October 14 listing in this calendar). Written comments and/or a request for a hearing should be sent to Mark C. Mitchell, Acting Permit Section Supervisor, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan, 48909. Information Contact: **John Vial**, Air Quality Division, [vialj@michigan.gov](mailto:vialj@michigan.gov) or 517-284-6805.

OCTOBER 8, 2014

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OCTOBER 8, 2014

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**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS REGARDING PRS MANUFACTURING, WALKER, KENT COUNTY (SRN: N1229).** 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](http://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 October 8, 2014 to be considered by the decision-maker prior to final action. If a request is received in writing by October 8, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Decision-maker: **Lynn Fiedler**, Air Quality Division Acting Chief. Information Contact: **Jason Wolf**, Air Quality Division, [wolfj2@michigan.gov](mailto:wolfj2@michigan.gov) or 517-284-6772.

OCTOBER 8, 2014

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS REGARDING MAC CONTRACTING, LANSING, INGHAM COUNTY.** 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](http://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 October 8, 2014 to be considered by the decision-maker prior to final action. If a request is received in writing by October 8, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Decision-maker: **Mary Ann Dolehanty**, Air Quality Division Acting Assistant Division Chief. Information Contact: **Jason Wolf**, Air Quality Division, [wolfj2@michigan.gov](mailto:wolfj2@michigan.gov) or 517-284-6772.

OCTOBER 8, 2014

**DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS REGARDING DETROIT DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC LIGHTING – MISTERSKY POWER STATION, DETROIT, WAYNE COUNTY (SRN: B2185),** for the draft renewal of an Acid Rain Permit, a draft renewal of Clean Air Interstate Rule (CAIR) Sulfur Dioxide (SO<sub>2</sub>) Budget Permit, a draft renewal of CAIR Annual Nitrogen Oxide (NO<sub>x</sub>) Budget Permit, and a draft renewal of CAIR Ozone NO<sub>x</sub> Budget Permit for the operation of municipal power plant. The ROP public notice documents can be viewed on the Web at [www.deq.state.mi.us/aps](http://www.deq.state.mi.us/aps). The responsible official of the stationary source is Beau Taylor, 1340 Third Street, Detroit, Michigan 48226. Written comments on the draft Acid Rain Permit, CAIR SO<sub>2</sub> Budget Permit, CAIR Annual NO<sub>x</sub> Budget Permit, and CAIR Ozone NO<sub>x</sub> 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, Jackson District Office, 301 East Louis Glick Highway, Jackson, Michigan 49201, or via e-mail to [carleyb@michigan.gov](mailto:carleyb@michigan.gov) by October 8, 2014. The decision-maker for the permit is Wilhemina McLemore, Detroit District Supervisor. If requested in writing by October 8, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: **Brian Carley**, Air Quality Division, [carleyb@michigan.gov](mailto:carleyb@michigan.gov) or 517-780-7843.

- OCTOBER 14, 2014**  
**6:00 p.m.**  
**INFORMATIONAL SESSION**  
**7:00 p.m.**  
**PUBLIC HEARING**
- TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED INFORMATIONAL SESSION & PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING MARQUETTE GREEN ENERGY, LLC, GWINN, MARQUETTE COUNTY**, for the proposed draft permit for the proposed installation and operation of a biomass and tire derived fuel (TDF) fired steam and electricity generation facility. The facility will be located at 413 First Street, Gwinn, Michigan. The New Source Review public notice documents can be viewed at [www.deq.state.mi.us/aps/cwerp.shtml](http://www.deq.state.mi.us/aps/cwerp.shtml). If a public hearing is requested in writing by October 8, 2014, an informational session and public hearing will be held October 14, 2014, at the Gwinn Clubhouse, 165 North Maple, Gwinn, Michigan. The informational session will be held from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 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 517-284-6805 on October 8, 2014, to determine if a hearing was requested and will be held. Information Contact: **John Vial**, Air Quality Division, [vialj@michigan.gov](mailto:vialj@michigan.gov) or 517-284-6805.
- OCTOBER 22, 2014**  
**2:00 p.m.**
- PUBLIC HEARING TO ACCEPT SUGGESTIONS TO MODIFY THE PART 4, WATER QUALITY STANDARDS (PART 4 RULES), AND PART 8, WATER QUALITY-BASED EFFLUENT LIMIT DEVELOPMENT FOR TOXIC SUBSTANCES (PART 8 RULES), PROMULGATED PURSUANT TO PART 31, WATER RESOURCES PROTECTION, OF THE NATURAL RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION ACT, 1994 PA 451, AS AMENDED (ACT 451)**. Beginning October 1, 2014, a public comment period will commence during which comments and suggestions for modifications to the Part 4 and Part 8 Rules are requested. The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Water Resources Division, will conduct a public hearing to accept suggested modifications to the rules as part of the 2012-2014 triennial review of water quality standards as required by Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Section 131.2. The public hearing will be held on October 22, 2014, at 2:00 p.m., in the Forum Auditorium located in the Michigan Library and Historical Center, 702 West Kalamazoo Street, Lansing, Michigan. Oral and written comments will be taken at the October 22, 2014, public hearing. Written comments may be submitted to Sylvia Heaton, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Water Resources Division, P.O. Box 30458, Lansing, Michigan, 48909-7958 by 5:00 p.m., October 30, 2014. Copies of the current rules may be obtained at [http://www.michigan.gov/deq/0,4561.7-135-3313\\_3686\\_3728---,00.html](http://www.michigan.gov/deq/0,4561.7-135-3313_3686_3728---,00.html) or by contacting Sylvia Heaton at 517-284-5542 or [heatons@michigan.gov](mailto:heatons@michigan.gov).
- OCTOBER 22, 2014**
- DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS REGARDING HUTCHINSON ANTIVIBRATION SYSTEMS, CADILLAC, WEXFORD COUNTY (SRN: A9364)**, for the draft initial Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of an automotive parts manufacturer. The 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 on the Web at [www.deq.state.mi.us/aps](http://www.deq.state.mi.us/aps). The responsible official of the stationary source is Thomas Kelley, 600 Seventh Street, Cadillac, Michigan 49601. Written comments on the draft ROP or a request to hold a public hearing are to be submitted to Rob Dickman, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Cadillac District Office, 120 West Chapin Street, Cadillac, Michigan 49601, or via e-mail to [dickmanr@michigan.gov](mailto:dickmanr@michigan.gov) by October 22, 2014. The decision-maker for the permit is Janis Ransom, Cadillac District Supervisor. If requested in writing by October 22, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: **Rob Dickman**, Air Quality Division, [dickmanr@michigan.gov](mailto:dickmanr@michigan.gov) or 231-876-4412.
- OCTOBER 22, 2014**
- DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT REGARDING ANR - EATON RAPIDS GAS STORAGE SYSTEM, EATON RAPIDS, INGHAM COUNTY (SRN: N3022)**, for the draft renewal of a Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of a gas storage system. 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](http://www.deq.state.mi.us/aps). The responsible official of the stationary source is Randall Schmidgall, 717 Texas Street, 23<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Houston, Texas 77002. Written comments on the draft ROP or a request to hold a public hearing are to be submitted to Brad Myott, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Lansing District Office, 525 West Allegan, P.O. Box 30242, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor South, Lansing, Michigan 48909, or via e-mail to [myottb@michigan.gov](mailto:myottb@michigan.gov) by October 22, 2014. The decision-maker for the permit is Michael McClellan Lansing District Supervisor. If requested in writing by October 22, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: **Brad Myott**, Air Quality Division, [myottb@michigan.gov](mailto:myottb@michigan.gov) or 517-284-6639.

- OCTOBER 22, 2014** | **DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS REGARDING CONSUMERS ENERGY – MUSKEGON RIVER COMPRESSOR STATION, MARION, CLARE COUNTY (SRN: N2901)**, for the draft renewal of a Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of a natural gas compressor station. The 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 on the Web at [www.deq.state.mi.us/aps](http://www.deq.state.mi.us/aps). The responsible official of the stationary source is Ocie Gregory, Jr., 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 Ben Witkopp, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Saginaw Bay District Office, 401 Ketchum Street, Suite B, Bay City, Michigan 48708, or via e-mail to [witkoppb@michigan.gov](mailto:witkoppb@michigan.gov) by October 22, 2014. The decision-maker for the permit is Chris Hare, Saginaw Bay District Supervisor. If requested in writing by October 22, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contact: **Ben Witkopp**, Air Quality Division, [witkoppb@michigan.gov](mailto:witkoppb@michigan.gov) or 989-894-6219.
- OCTOBER 22, 2014** | **DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS REGARDING STEELCASE INC. – KENTWOOD COMPLEX, KENTWOOD, KENT COUNTY (SRN: N0677)**, for the draft renewal of a Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) for the operation of manufacturing of metal and wood office furniture products. The 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 on the Web at [www.deq.state.mi.us/aps](http://www.deq.state.mi.us/aps). The responsible official of the stationary source is Hamid Khorramian, Senior Vice President, 901 44<sup>th</sup> Street, Grand Rapids, Michigan 49508. Written comments on the draft ROP or a request to hold a public hearing are to be submitted to Denise Plafcan or Steve Lachance, Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, Air Quality Division, Grand Rapids District Office, 350 Ottawa Avenue NW, Unit 10, Grand Rapids, Michigan 49503; via e-mail to [plafcand@michigan.gov](mailto:plafcand@michigan.gov) or [lachances@michigan.gov](mailto:lachances@michigan.gov) by October 22, 2014. The decision-maker for the permit is Heidi Hollenbach, Grand Rapids District Supervisor. If requested in writing by October 22, 2014, a public hearing may be scheduled. Information Contacts: **Denise Plafcan**, Air Quality Division, [plafcand@michigan.gov](mailto:plafcand@michigan.gov) or 616-356-0259; **Stephen Lachance**, Air Quality Division, [lachances@michigan.gov](mailto:lachances@michigan.gov), or 616-356-0239.
- OCTOBER 24, 2014** | **DEADLINE FOR PUBLIC COMMENT ON A NO FURTHER ACTION REPORT FOR 310 PEARL STREET NW, GRAND RAPIDS, KENT COUNTY**. Written comments are being accepted on an Intent to Approve a Limited Non-Residential No Further Action (NFA) Report for 310 Pearl Street NW, Grand Rapids, MI (aka: Holiday Inn) facility, a site of environmental contamination. 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 vapor intrusion mitigation system which prevents volatile organic compounds from entering a sub-slab portion of the building and a restrictive covenant (which is filed with the Kent County Register of Deeds office) that details land use restrictions. The NFA report will be available for viewing beginning September 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 **October 24, 2014** to Darlene Stringer, DEQ, Remediation and Redevelopment Division, 350 Ottawa Avenue, NW, Unit 10, Grand Rapids, MI 49503-2341. Contact: **Darlene Stringer**, Remediation and Redevelopment Division, 616-356-0023 or e-mail at: [stringerd2@michigan.gov](mailto: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

Amie Hartman

[Renewable Operating Permit \(ROP\) on Public Notice](#)

616-356-0243

Heidi Hollenbach

### Office of Oil, Gas, and Minerals

517-284-6826

- Oil and Gas Permits
- Mineral Well and Sand Dune Mining Permits

### Water Resources Division

Aquatic Nuisance Permits

517-284-5593

Pam Studebaker

Dams

517-284-6821

Byron Lane

[Wetland and Land/Water Interface Permits](#)

Contact District Office Staff

### Wastewater Discharge Permits

- [NPDES Permits on Public Notice](#)
- [Certificates of Coverage on Public Notice](#)
- [Groundwater Permits on Public Notice](#)

517-284-5568

Susan Ashcraft

517-284-5557

Sherry Thelen

## 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!

#### MONTHLY 2014

**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](http://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](mailto: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.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Location</u>
September 24	DEQ Grand Rapids District Office, Grand Rapids
October 7	DEQ Saginaw Bay District Office, Bay City
October 9	DEQ Upper Peninsula District Office, Marquette

October 15	DEQ Cadillac District Office, Cadillac
October 22	DEQ Kalamazoo District Office, Kalamazoo
November 6	DEQ Lansing District Office, Constitution Hall, Lansing
November 19	DEQ Grand Rapids District Office, Grand Rapids
November 19	DEQ Southeast Michigan District Office, Warren
December 9	DEQ Saginaw Bay District Office, Bay City
December 10	DEQ Jackson District Office, Jackson
December 10	DEQ Kalamazoo District Office, Kalamazoo
December 11	DEQ Upper Peninsula District Office, Marquette
December 17	DEQ Gaylord District Office, Gaylord

**SEPTEMBER  
OCTOBER  
NOVEMBER 2014**

**ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATIONS IMPACTING YOU; MICHIGAN MANUFACTURERS ASSOCIATION (MMA) REGIONAL MEETINGS, VARIOUS LOCATIONS, MICHIGAN.** The MMA is hosting regional meetings in September, October, and November, to provide information on hot environmental issues and how they impact your bottom line. MMA's Andy Such, director of environmental and regulatory policy, will provide updates on regulations impacting manufacturers. Breakfast or lunch included. The DEQ will have staff and an information table at most of these meetings. For more information and to register, go to <http://mimfg.org/SeminarsEvents/RegionalMeetings.aspx> or contact **LeAnn Hicks**, Event Coordinator, at 517-487-8557 or [hicks@mma-net.org](mailto:hicks@mma-net.org).

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Location</u>
September 24	12:00-1:00pm	Quality Inn & Suites, Escanaba
September 26	8:00-9:00am	MMA Headquarters, Lansing
September 26	12:00-1:00pm	Holiday Inn Flint
October 6	8:00-9:00am	Rehmann, Grand Rapids
October 6	12:00-1:00pm	Shoreline Inn & Conf. Center, Muskegon
October 10	8:00-9:00am	UHY Advisors, Inc., Farmington Hills
October 10	12:00-1:00pm	Best Western Sterling Inn, Sterling Heights
October 17	8:00-9:00am	Weber's Inn, Ann Arbor
October 17	12:00-1:00pm	Holiday Inn Southgate Banquet & Conf. Center, Southgate
November 7	12:00-1:00pm	Holiday Inn West, Kalamazoo
November 11	8:00-9:00am	Holiday Inn, Midland
November 11	12:00-1:00pm	Rexair, Cadillac

**OCTOBER 3, 2014**

**2014 REGIONAL STORM WATER SUMMIT, LAWRENCE TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY, SOUTHFIELD, MICHIGAN.** The Oakland County Water Resources Commissioner's Office and Water Resources Commissioner, Jim Nash, are organizing the 2nd Annual Storm Water Summit to be held Friday, October 3, 2014, at Lawrence Technological University. Topics will include Green Infrastructure and other new green technologies, successful programs across the Great Lakes region, funding opportunities, regional collaboration, and other updates and innovative ideas. Southeast Michigan Water Resources Commissioner, Drain and Public Works Commissioners and their staff, local city, township, and village officials, watershed council members, and other interested stakeholders, along with engineering and industry professionals, are invited. The DEQ will have an exhibit table at this event. More information will be available soon at <http://pureoaklandwater.org/2nd-annual-storm-water-summit>.

**OCTOBER 7, 2014**

**ANNUAL MICHIGAN INDUSTRIAL HYGIENE SOCIETY MINI-CONFERENCE, MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY MANAGEMENT EDUCATION CENTER, TROY, MICHIGAN.** This year's conference will focus on the regulatory aspects of our workforce. Although new standards typically make headlines in EHS magazines, how will it affect the work operations in your facility? What changes will it create? This conference will concentrate on regulatory compliance from industry, Federal OSHA, Michigan OSHA and the Department of Environmental Quality. Specifically, we will cover OSHA and MIOSHA overviews, nanotechnology, the proposed crystalline silica standards, and an environmental perspective of what may be leaving the jobsite. Look for more educational opportunities on other topics and future educational offerings from MIHS. Several local vendors will provide MIHS members an opportunity to investigate and handle the latest in industrial hygiene monitoring equipment and/or discuss your industrial hygiene service needs. The DEQ will also have an exhibit table at this event. More information can be found at <http://www.mihsw.org/>.

- OCTOBER 8-9, 2014** | **7<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL MICHIGAN GREEN HEALTH CARE CONFERENCE, GVSU EBERHARD CENTER, GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN.** This conference is intended for individuals and organizations interested in promoting sustainability practices within the health care industry. We encourage sustainability officers, dietitians, clinicians, engineers, architects, pharmacists, environmental services, food and nutrition, and maintenance managers, energy coordinators, business partners, governmental agencies, public health professionals, non-profits, and anyone else with a passion for reducing the ecological footprint of the health care industry to attend the conference. Featured conference speakers include Christina Vernon, AVP for a Healthy Environment for Carolinas HealthCare and Dr. Cindy Parker, Associate Director and Faculty at Johns Hopkins University and National Board of Directors for Physicians for Social Responsibility. Preconference activities on October 8<sup>th</sup> include an ArtPrize Walking Tour and View & Brew Reception featuring Grand Rapids Mayor George Heartwell. More information, including sponsorship and exhibitor opportunities, and registration is available online at [www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops](http://www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops), click on "DEQ Workshops". Information Contact: **Mike Young**, Office of Environmental Assistance, 989-894-6238, or e-mail at [youngm1@michigan.gov](mailto:youngm1@michigan.gov). Registration Information Contact: **Environmental Assistance Center**, 800-662-9278, or e-mail at [deq-assist@michigan.gov](mailto:deq-assist@michigan.gov).
- OCTOBER 9, 2014**  
**9:00 – 10:30 a.m.** | **CHANGES IN THE DEQ AQUATIC NUISANCE CONTROL PROGRAM PERMITTING PROCESS WEBINAR.** The purpose of this webinar is to communicate changes in Part 33 Aquatic Nuisance Control and review the revised forms and procedures for the Aquatic Nuisance Control Program permitting process. Aquatic Nuisance Control program staff will explain and interpret changes in Part 33, introduce changes in the permit application process, review the revised permit application form, and take comments and questions from the webinar audience. This webinar is designed for aquatic pesticide applicators, lake managers, DNR and DEQ personnel, private citizens, and non-governmental organizations involved with the chemical management of invasive aquatic plants. Webinar participants are encouraged to review the revised Part 33 at [www.michigan.gov/anc](http://www.michigan.gov/anc) prior to registering for the webinar, and develop questions to submit during the webinar registration process. More information is available online at [www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops](http://www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops), click on "DEQ Webinars". Registration Information Contact: **Environmental Assistance Center**, 800-662-9278, or e-mail at [deq-assist@michigan.gov](mailto:deq-assist@michigan.gov).
- OCTOBER 22, 2014**  
**10:00 – 11:30 a.m.** | **UNDERSTANDING THE NATIONAL FLOOD INSURANCE PROGRAM AND LOCAL FLOODPLAIN BUILDING CODE REQUIREMENTS WEBINAR.** This Webinar is intended to highlight the responsibilities of the local community in administering National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) requirements at the local level. Local officials/building inspectors, planners and consultants who are responsible for carrying out the local floodplain development responsibilities should attend. The purpose of the Webinar is to provide an overview for communities new to the NFIP and a refresher to those communities already in the NFIP. More information is available online at [www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops](http://www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops), click on "DEQ Webinars". Registration Information Contact: **Environmental Assistance Center**, 800-662-9278, or e-mail at [deq-assist@michigan.gov](mailto:deq-assist@michigan.gov).
- OCTOBER 28, 2014** | **ANNUAL JOINT CONFERENCE, EAST & WEST MICHIGAN CHAPTERS OF THE AIR & WASTE MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION & THE ENVIRONMENTAL LAW SECTION OF THE STATE BAR OF MICHIGAN, LANSING COMMUNITY COLLEGE, WEST CAMPUS, LANSING.** This annual event brings together environmental professionals from industry, government, environmental services, and the legal community to network and learn the latest issues and developments in today's rapidly changing environmental field. DEQ Division chiefs will be speaking at this event. The conference is still in its planning stage. Updated information will soon be available at [www.wmawma.org](http://www.wmawma.org).
- 2014 PTI SERIES**  
**NOVEMBER 6, 2014** | **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](http://www.michigan.gov/deqworkshops), click on "DEQ Workshops". Information Contact: **James Ostrowski**, Office of Environmental Assistance, 517-284-6870, or e-mail at [ostrowskij2@michigan.gov](mailto:ostrowskij2@michigan.gov). Registration Information: **Environmental Assistance Center**, 800-662-9278, or e-mail at [deq-assist@michigan.gov](mailto:deq-assist@michigan.gov).

NOVEMBER 12, 2014

**2014 MICHIGAN GREEN CHEMISTRY AND ENGINEERING CONFERENCE: CULTIVATING NEXT GENERATION SOLUTIONS, MSU KELLOGG CONFERENCE CENTER, EAST LANSING, MICHIGAN.** This year will mark the sixth Michigan “GreenUp” Conference, designed to be a valuable experience for sharing information, networking, and learning. Green chemistry and engineering are about designing, innovating, and manufacturing what’s next and developing less hazardous, more effective materials, processes, and products. Green chemistry and engineering can help businesses create new markets, reduce costs, increase safety, and gain a competitive edge. For chemists, engineers, industry CEOs, educators, students, entrepreneurs, decision makers, policymakers – anyone interested in Michigan’s march toward smart, sustainable growth – this conference is the opportunity to hear from leading experts and share innovative ideas on how we can best “green up” Michigan through green chemistry and engineering. Updated conference information, including the Call for Posters and sponsor information, is available on the Web at [www.michigan.gov/greenup](http://www.michigan.gov/greenup). Information Contact: **Chris Affeldt**, Office of Environmental Assistance, 517-284-6851 or e-mail at [affeldtc@michigan.gov](mailto:affeldtc@michigan.gov). Registration Information: **Environmental Assistance Center**, 800-662-9278, or e-mail at [deg-assist@michigan.gov](mailto:deg-assist@michigan.gov).

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