

STATE OF MICHIGAN
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

NOTICE OF JOINT PUBLIC MEETING/HEARING

**COPPERWOOD MINE
MINE PERMIT AMENDMENT REQUEST - MP 01 2012
INLAND LAKES AND STREAMS, WETLAND PROTECTION, and GREAT LAKES
SUBMERGED LANDS PERMIT APPLICATION**

**July 17, 2018, 5:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M. (CDT)
Gogebic Community College
Lindquist Student and Conference Center
Upper Level Conference Room
E-4946 Jackson Road
Ironwood, MI 49938**

The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ) is holding a joint public meeting and hearing regarding Copperwood Resources Inc.'s request to amend Mining Permit MP 01 2012, issued under Part 632, Nonferrous Metallic Mineral Mining and permit application for Part 301, Inland Lakes and Streams, Part 303, Wetland Protection, and Part 325, Great Lakes Submerged Lands, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994, PA 1994, as amended.

Proposed changes to the Mining Permit include: (1) relocation of process plant; (2) additional of outdoor stockpile; and (3) modification of mine ventilation.

The DEQ shall accept written comment on the amendment request until **5:00 P.M. (EDT), August 14, 2018**. Comments may be mailed to MDEQ, Oil, Gas, and Minerals Division, 1504 West Washington Street, Marquette, MI 49855, or e-mail comments to the designated MDEQ mailbox at DEQ-Mining-Comments@michigan.gov, including "Copperwood" as the subject.

The Copperwood Mine Permit Amendment Request documents are located on the following MDEQ web page:

NON-FERROUS METALLIC MINING, Recent Developments in Part 632 Projects, Copperwood Project Permit Amendment:

https://www.michigan.gov/deq/0,4561,7-135-3311_18442-359902--,00.html

Mine Permit Application and Environmental Impact Assessment:

http://www.michigan.gov/documents/deq/DEQ_FTP_372266_7.pdf

Part 301, Part 303 and Part 325 Permit Application – Submission #: HND-EQMB-E27HX

<https://miwaters.deq.state.mi.us/miwaters/#/login>

Individuals needing accommodations for effective participation at the hearing should contact Tina Coluccio, 906-228-4524 one week in advance of the hearing date to request mobility, visual, hearing, or other assistance.