

# NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

## DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY RENEWAL OF THE GROUNDWATER DISCHARGE PERMIT FOR THE EAGLE MINE

**Date: February 11, 2014  
Permit No. GW1810162  
Eagle Mine**

The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) will be conducting a Public Hearing to receive formal public comment on the reissuance of a Groundwater Discharge Permit for the Eagle Mine. The draft permit will authorize the discharge of a maximum 504,000 gallons per day (184,000,000 gallons per year) of mine contact water only to the ground and groundwater from their discharge areas located in the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 12, T5N, R29W, Michigamme Township, Marquette County.

**The Public Hearing will be held at 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, March 25, 2014, at the Westwood High School, 300 South Westwood Drive, Ishpeming, Michigan, 49849. In order to accommodate as many speakers as possible, oral presentations are limited to five minutes. Additional information is available on the web site listed below.**

After the Public Hearing, the DEQ is accepting public comments on the proposed draft permit for one more week, until April 1, 2014. The DEQ will review all comments prior to re-issuing the permit.

Please submit comments to: Department of Environmental Quality, Water Resources Division, Permits Section, P.O. Box 30458, Lansing, Michigan 48909

Addition information is on the internet at: Groundwater Permits Unit,  
Water Resources Division:

[http://www.michigan.gov/deq/0,4561,7-135-3313\\_4117-320096--,00.html](http://www.michigan.gov/deq/0,4561,7-135-3313_4117-320096--,00.html)

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