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TO: Natural Resources Commission
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SUBJECT: Department of Natural Resources Legislative Update

HB 5141 – Provides for a Transfer of State-Owned Property to Kent County – Rep. Peter MacGregor

This bill seeks to authorize the Department of Natural Resources to convey property located in Plainfield Township to Kent County.

- This bill is currently before the full Senate.
- The Administration supports this legislation.

Proposal 14 -1 – A Referendum of Public Act 520 of 2012, Establishing a Hunting Season for Wolves and Authorizing Annual Wolf Hunting Seasons

This referendum allowed Michigan citizens to vote on whether Public Act 520 of 2012 would remain in effect. The November 4, 2014, vote resulted in a defeat of Proposal 1.

Proposal 14 -2 – A Referendum of Public Act 21 of 2013, Granting the Natural Resources Commission the Power to Designate Wolves and Certain Other Animals as Game Without Legislative Action

This referendum allowed Michigan citizens to vote on whether Public Act 21 of 2013 would remain in effect. The November 4, 2014, vote resulted in a defeat of Proposal 2.

If you would like to learn more about these and other bills, you can access the Michigan Legislature website at www.legislature.mi.gov.