

Statewide *E. coli* Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) 2020 Addendum

Comments and Responses

Public Notice Period: June 26-July 27, 2020

The Statewide *E. coli* TMDL 2020 Addendum was open for public comment and available from June 26-July 27, 2020. During the public notice comment period, the Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (EGLE) received several questions and one comment, as follows:

**Comment (David Shepherd, Healthy Pine River):** The commenter expressed support for the TMDL methodology and requested that EGLE add three Upper Pine River subwatersheds to the statewide *E. coli* TMDL: Sumner (HUC 040802020309), Coles Creek (040802020311), and Honeyoye Creek (040802020310).

**EGLE Response:** These waters are impaired by *E. coli* (first included in the 2016 Section 303(d) submittal) and are included in the Statewide *E. coli* TMDL (specifically, in Appendix 1 of the USEPA approved TMDL document). EGLE e-mailed the relevant documentation directly to the requestor on August 5, 2020.