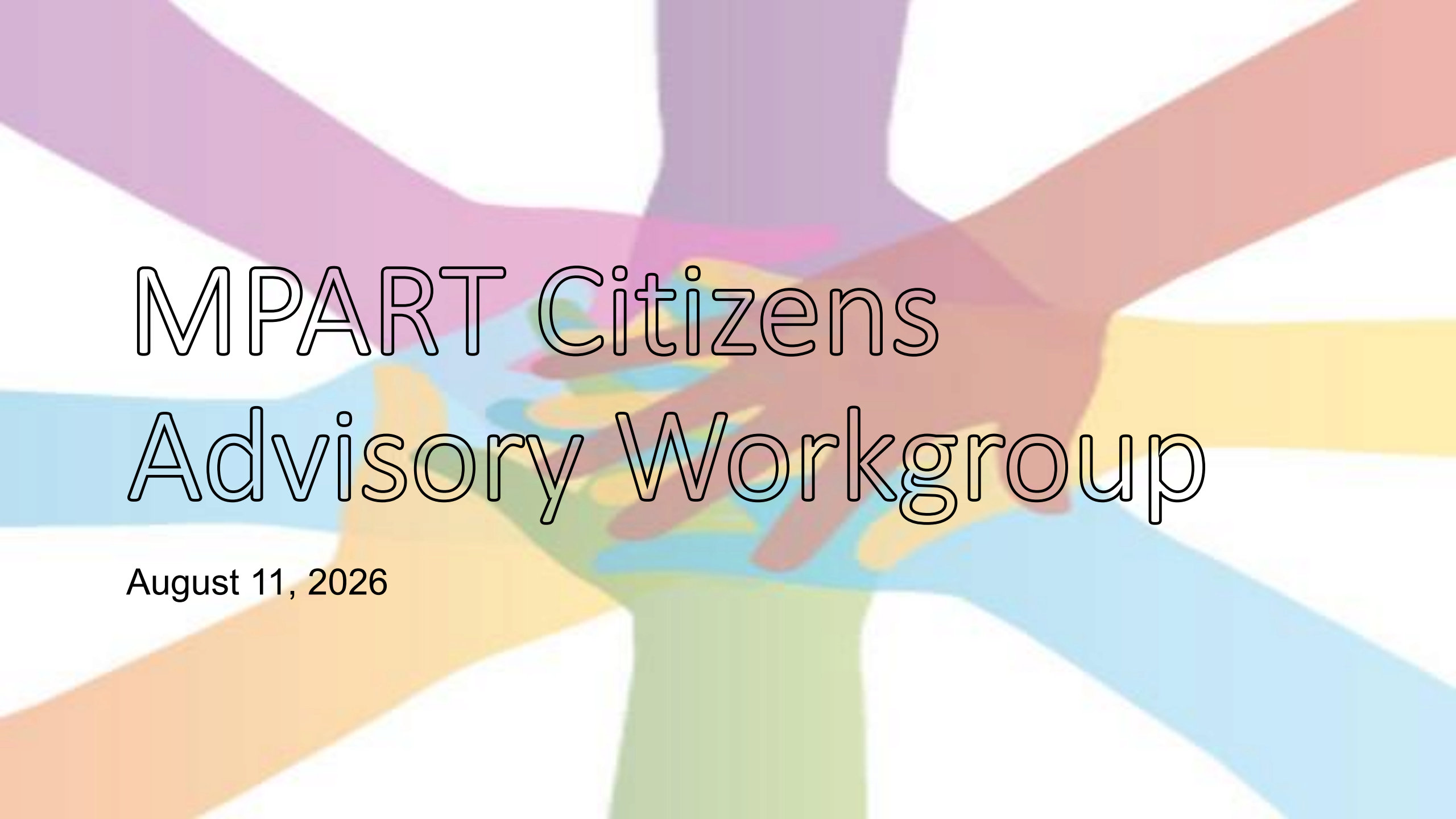




MPART Citizens Advisory Workgroup

August 11, 2026

Agenda

- Roll Call – Community Updates
- MiPEHs – Jordan Bailey, MDHHS
- PFAS Awareness Week Discussion
- MPART Updates



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Roll Call and local updates/events/sharing from communities



Local Events

MiPEHs

Jordan Bailey, MDHHS

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PFAS Awareness Week

September 21-25, 2026

Rick Rediske



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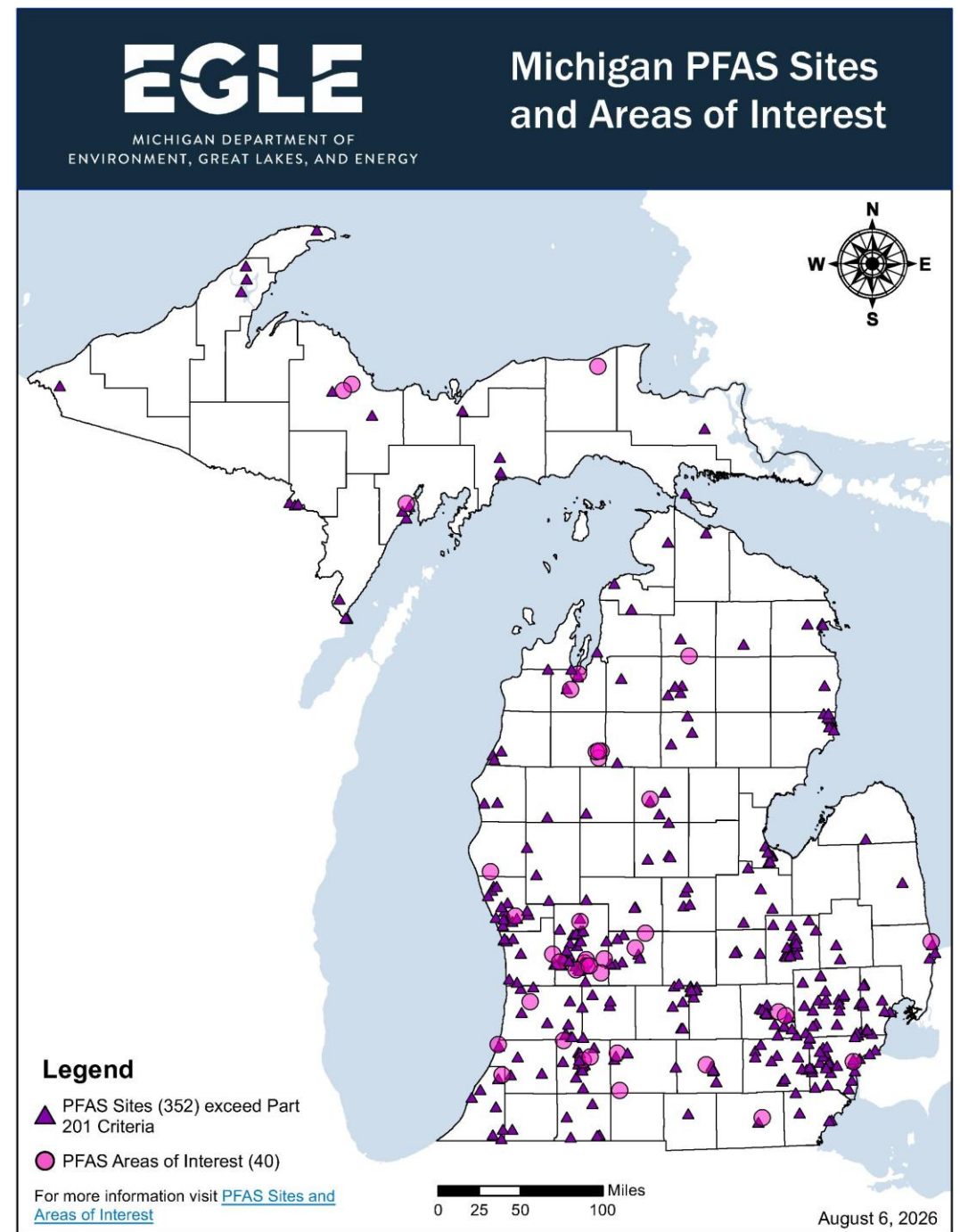
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New MPART Sites / Areas of Interest

- Jessie Oil Company
Dundee, Monroe County
- 42200 Joy Road
Plymouth, Wayne County
- 915 Fowler Street
Howell, Livingston County

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MPART Updates

- \$100k from MDHHS added to EGLE's AFFF Pick-up and Disposal Program
- Microplastic Summit – October 7-8
- Great Lakes PFAS Summit – December 1-3
 - **2 days** - PFAS Treatment Technology Symposium – December 9-10
- MPART [PFAS Health webpage](#) was updated

PFAS Awareness Week

- Michigan.gov/PFASawarenessweek is live

Michigan PFAS Action Response Team (MPART)



What's new

- **8/6** - New site in [Livingston County: 915 Fowler Street](#)
- **7/28** - New site in [Wayne County: 42200 Joy Road](#)
- **7/16** - New site in [Monroe County: Jessie Oil Company Dundee](#)
- **7/14** - New site in [Jackson County: Jaco Plating](#)
- **7/2** - New site in [Berrien County: Bendix Corporation / Allied Automotive](#)
- **6/26** - New site in [Wayne County: 13305 Wayne Road](#)



MI PFAS Awareness Week

Everyone in Michigan is urged to take steps to reduce their exposure to PFAS during September 21 - 25, 2026



Great Lakes PFAS Summit

Get notified when registration opens for the 2026 Great Lakes PFAS Summit, held December 1 - 3, 2026



Michigan PFAS Awareness Week



September 21 - 25, 2026

In the spring of 2026, Governor Gretchen Whitmer declared September 21-25, 2026 as PFAS Awareness Week. Per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) are a large group of human-made chemicals that were first used in the 1940s for industry and manufacturing, are linked to harmful human health effects, and have been found in Michigan's water, soil, air, fish, wildlife, and people.

During this week, everyone in Michigan is urged to take steps to reduce their exposure to PFAS through actions such as sampling their private drinking water well to see if it is impacted by PFAS, checking the Eat Safe Fish guides before consuming locally caught fish, avoiding foam on surface water, and reducing the use of consumer products that can contain PFAS.

PFAS Awareness Week was an idea that came directly from the [Citizens Advisory Workgroup](#), made up of Michigan citizens impacted by PFAS.

Events are planned in Ann Arbor, Kalamazoo, Grand Rapids, Muskegon, East Lansing, Mt. Pleasant, Traverse City, Allendale, and Oscoda. We'll share the details when we have them - check back soon!



View all PFAS awareness week events

Find local community events happening all across the state and online events happening statewide



Join local events!

Sep 21	Movie screening of Dark Waters and panel discussion (Grand Rapids) Calvin University Bytwerk Video Theater	Sep 21	PFAS tabling event at Calvin University (Grand Rapids) Calvin University Hekman Library
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Reduce your exposure to PFAS



Sample your private drinking water well



Check the Eat Safe Fish guides



Avoid foam on surface water



Reduce the use of consumer products



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Events are being added - Submit the PFAS Awareness Week event form to Kelly, ploehnk@michigan.gov for your event to be posted.

Use My Location

Distance

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Audience

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9 Events Near You

September 21

Movie screening of Dark Waters and panel discussion (Grand Rapids)

As part of PFAS Awareness Week at Calvin, this event is designed to increase public understanding of "forever chemicals," their potential impacts on human health and the environment, and the importance of informed community engagement.

Location: Calvin University Bytwerk Video Theater

September 21

PFAS tabling event at Calvin University (Grand Rapids)

As part of PFAS Awareness Week at Calvin, this event includes various tables and posters for students, faculty and members of the public to learn about PFAS and environmental activism, as well as various student PFAS projects that have been completed in recent years.

Location: Calvin University Hekman Library

September 21

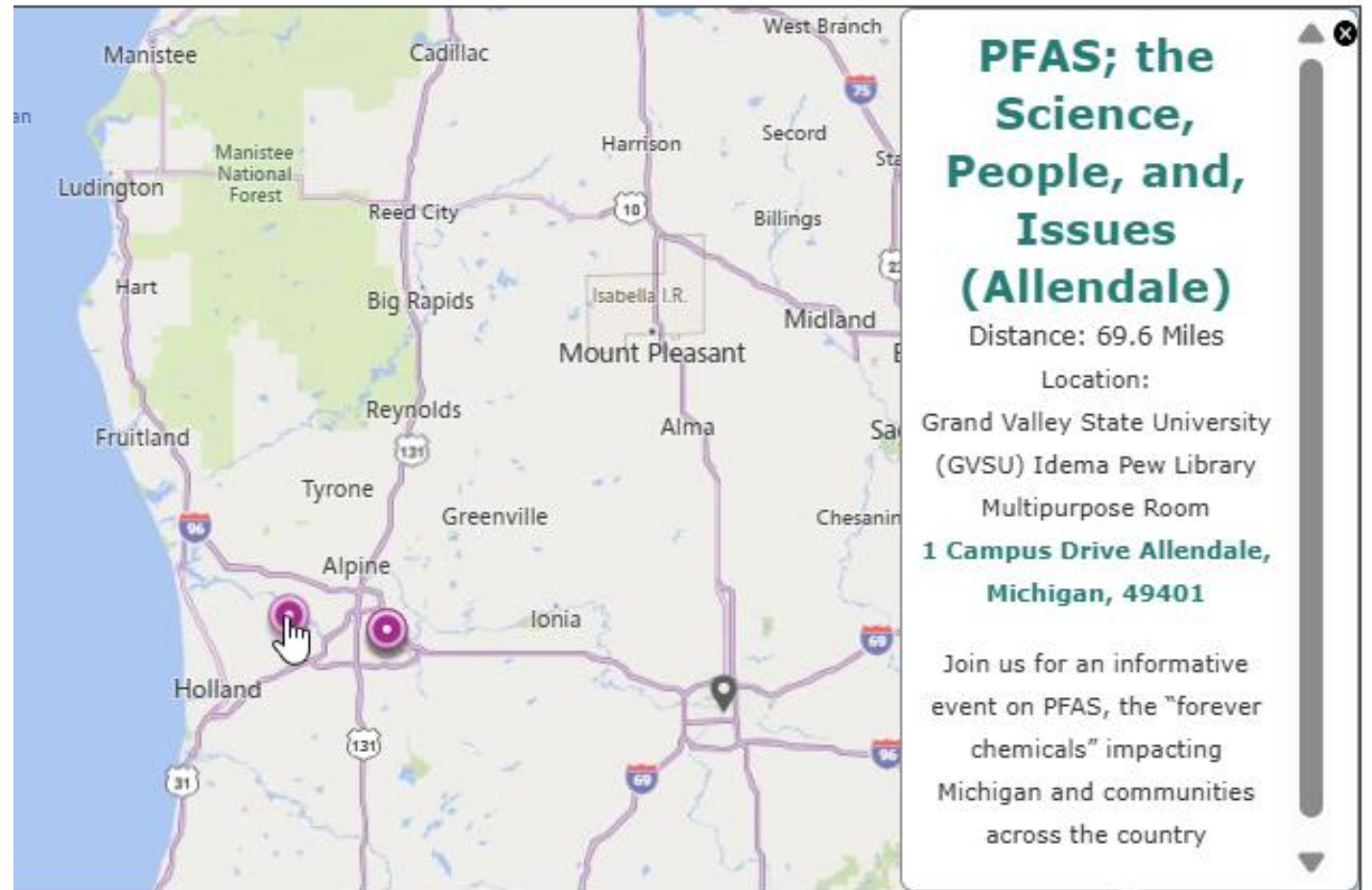
MPART Webinar: PFAS and you

Hosted by MPART.

Location: Online only - Zoom meeting

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- MPART Webinars
 - Local leaders
 - PFAS and You – Residents' Guide to PFAS
 - Eat Safe Fish
 - What Michigan has Done
- Videos
- Social Media
- Draft slide deck CAWG members can use to educate your community – Miranda Triolet

Next Meeting:
October 13, 2026

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