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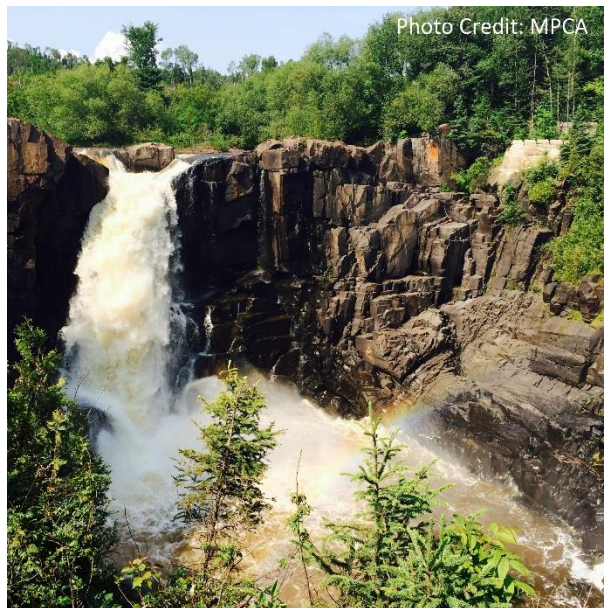
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EQB Announcements

New EQB Logo Coming Soon!

Since last fall, the State of Minnesota has been rolling out a new logo to represent all of Minnesota state government. And that includes a new logo for the Minnesota Environmental Quality Board. A fresh and cohesive look for all state boards, commissions, and agencies is designed to help increase recognition and build trust among all stakeholders.

Please watch for updates to our website, materials, guidance documents, and email signatures at the beginning of August. You can see an example of our new logo below.



Governor's Committee on Pollinator Protection Meeting

The Governor's Committee on Pollinator Protection will meet from 9am-3pm on Thursday, July 20, 2017 at MnDOT's Shoreview Training and Conference Center- 1900 County Road I, Shoreview, MN 55126. For more information, please visit <https://www.eqb.state.mn.us/content/july-20-2017-governors-committee-pollinator-protection-meeting>. Please contact Claudia Hochstein with any questions or if you plan to attend. This meeting will be recorded and posted.

Environmental Assessment Worksheets

Project Title: U.S. Steel Corporation Spider Creek Restoration Project

Comment Deadline: August 16, 2017

Project Description: U. S. Steel proposes to restore the pattern, profile, and dimension of an approximately 2,660-foot channelized reach of Spider Creek. The project would reposition the existing straightened stream channel to restore approximately 4,050 feet of channel. The restoration aims to ensure sustainable stream characteristics and to improve riparian and floodplain vegetation.

The Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR) will accept written comments on the Environmental Assessment Worksheet during the public review and comment period, which concludes on Wednesday, August 16, 2017, at 4:30 p.m. Written comments should be submitted to: Cynthia Novak-Krebs, EAW Project Manager; EWR Environmental Policy and Review Unit; Department of Natural Resources; 500 Lafayette Road; St. Paul, MN 55155-4025. Electronic or email comments may be sent to environmentalrev.dnr@state.mn.us with "Spider Creek" in the subject line. If submitting comments electronically, include name and mailing address. Written comments may also be sent by fax to (651) 296-1811.

A copy of the EAW is available for public review at:

- MNDNR Library, 500 Lafayette Road, St. Paul, MN 55155
- MNDNR Northeast Region Headquarters, 1201 East Highway 2, Grand Rapids, MN 55744
- Hennepin County – Minneapolis Central Library, Government Documents, Second Floor, 300 Nicollet Mall, Minneapolis, MN 55401
- Duluth Public Library, 520 W. Superior St., Duluth, MN 55802
- Mountain Iron Public Library, 5742 Mountain Avenue, PO Box 477, Mountain Iron, MN 55768
- Virginia Public Library, 215 5th Avenue South, Virginia, MN 55792

The EAW is also posted on MNDNR's website at: <http://www.dnr.state.mn.us/input/environmentalreview/spider-creek/index.html>. Additional copies may be requested by calling 651-259-5115.

Responsible Governmental Unit (RGU): Department of Natural Resources

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Project Title: Shoreview Ridge

Comment Deadline: August 16, 2017

Project Description: Shoreview Ridge is proposing to redevelop 1005 Gramsie Road, an 8-acre site currently developed with a 176,000 square foot industrial building. The existing building and improvements will be removed and replaced with a phased 410 unit apartment complex consisting of 2 buildings, each with 205 units.

Responsible Governmental Unit (RGU): City of Shoreview

RGU Contact Person:

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Environmental Impact Statement Need Decisions

The noted responsible governmental unit has determined the following project does not require preparation of an Environmental Impact Statement. The dates given are, respectively, the date of the determination and the date the Environmental Assessment Worksheet notice was published in the *EQB Monitor*.

- City of Ramsey, Riverstone Addition, 6-13-17 (4-24-17)
- City of Saint Paul, 36 S. Chatsworth Street, 6-30-17 (3-6-17)
- Lake County Soil and Water Conservation District, East Branch Beaver River Restoration, 6-29-17 (5-8-17)