

# EQB Monitor

**Weekly announcements and environmental review notices**

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## **Announcements**

### **Environmental review listening session**

**Monday, January 30, 4-6 p.m.**

We are developing a new process for identifying and prioritizing Environmental Review Program improvement initiatives and we want to hear from you. This virtual meeting will be facilitated by consultants from Minnesota Management and Budget. [Register here](#) for the Zoom link.

You can also visit our [engagement platform](#) to share your ideas for program improvement and learn more about our continuous improvement effort. The online forum closes Friday, February 17.

## REQUIRED PUBLIC NOTICES



### Environmental review project notices

EQB publishes environmental review notices provided by responsible governmental units. For more information on a project undergoing environmental review, click on the individual project links below. You can also find information about active projects in your community on the [Environmental Review Projects Interactive Map](#).

#### **Bruening Rock Products - Pierce Quarry**

**Location:** Pine Island, Olmsted County

**Process:** Environmental assessment worksheet (EAW)

**Step:** EAW available

**End of comment period:** February 23, 2023

**Project description:** The Bruening Rock Products Pierce Quarry is a proposed aggregate and sand quarry to be excavated for local construction and agricultural uses. An Interim Use Permit is required by the City of Pine Island for mining sand and gravel within the

Agricultural zoning district. The cumulative area of the proposed operation identified the requirement for this EAW.

**Link to public documents:** No link to documents provided. See responsible governmental unit contact information below.

**Location of public documents:** Pine Island City Hall, 250 South Main Street, Pine Island, MN 55963

**Responsible governmental unit and contact:** City of Pine Island, [Elizabeth Howard](#), 507-356-4591

## **Klondike Clean Water Retention Project**

**Location:** Lancaster, Kittson and Roseau Counties

**Process:** Environmental assessment worksheet (EAW)

**Step:** EAW available

**End of comment period:** February 23, 2023

**Project description:** The Klondike Clean Water Retention Project (KCWRP) is a multi-purpose public project of the Two Rivers Watershed District developed under MN Statute 103D. It is proposed to provide both flood damage reduction and natural resources enhancement components. Located in Roseau and Kittson Counties and within the Two Rivers and Red River watersheds, it is anticipated the project will reduce flooding, improve water quality, improve aquatic habitat, protect and enhance a prairie rich fen, and provide an adequate drainage outlet primarily for lateral 1 of State Ditch 95 and secondarily for State Ditch 72.

**Link to public documents:** [Klondike Clean Water Retention Project EAW](#)

**Location of public documents:** Two Rivers Watershed District Office, Kittson County Courthouse, 410 S. 5th Street, Ste 112, Hallock, MN 56728

**Responsible governmental unit and contact:** Two Rivers Watershed District, [Dan Money](#), 218-843-3333

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