

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT, GREAT LAKES, AND ENERGY
MATERIALS MANAGEMENT DIVISION

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (EGLE), Materials Management Division (MMD), will conduct a public hearing on proposed administrative rules promulgated pursuant to Part 111, Hazardous Waste Management, of Michigan's Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended (NREPA). The rules are identified as Hazardous Waste Management, R 299.9101 *et seq.* These rules are necessary for EGLE to maintain its authorization from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency to administer the state's Hazardous Waste Management Program (Program) in lieu of the federal Program under the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act of 1976, as amended; to improve rule clarity; and to reduce some of the regulatory burdens by providing flexible requirements. The federal revisions relate to the definition of solid waste, import/export, generator improvement, and e-manifest requirements. The rules also include state-initiated revisions regarding identification and listing, universal waste, reference updates, and typographical corrections.

The public hearing will be held on October 16, 2019, at 1:30 p.m., in the ConCon Conference Room, Constitution Hall, Atrium South, 525 West Allegan Street, Lansing, Michigan 48933.

The proposed rules (ORR 2018-012 EG) can be downloaded from the Internet through the Michigan Office of Administrative Hearings and Rules at <http://www.michigan.gov/moahr>. Click on "Administrative Rules", then "Pending Rules Activity", and then "Pending Rule Changes." Under "Rules by Department," click on "Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy." Scroll to "2018-012 EG" and click on "Revision Text." Copies of the rules may also be obtained by contacting the Lansing office at:

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All interested persons are invited to attend and provide comment. EGLE requests that all statements be submitted in writing for the hearing record. Anyone unable to attend may submit comments in writing to the address above. Written comments must be received by October 24, 2019.

Persons needing accommodations for effective participation in the meeting should contact the MMD at 517-284-6555 at least one week in advance to request mobility, visual, hearing, or other assistance.

This notice of public hearing is given in accordance with Sections 41 and 42 of Michigan's Administrative Procedures Act, 1969 PA 306, Michigan Compiled Laws (MCL) 24.241 and 24.242. Promulgation of the rules is by authority conferred on the Director of EGLE by Sections 27, 28, 32a, and 40, of Part 111 of NREPA, MCL 324.11127, 324.11128, 324.11132a, and 324.11140, and Executive Order 1995-16. These rules will become effective immediately after filing with the Secretary of State.