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Location: Plainfield Charter Township Hall

6161 Belmont Ave NE, Belmont

Time: Thursday, December 19, 2019 6pm – 8:30pm

## Wolverine Worldwide contamination advisory group meets Thursday

A community stakeholder group formed following the discovery of the Wolverine Worldwide contamination in Kent County. This group serves as a liaison between government regulators and the public to share updates and provide input, comments and questions regarding the historic contamination issues and ongoing clean-up efforts. These meetings occur regularly on the third Thursday at 6pm each month.

The group consists of affected residents of the House Street, Wolven/Jewell and Tannery sites, government officials in the area, non-profit groups and others. Wolverine has been asked, but declined to take a seat on the CAG.

CAG meetings are open to the public. Comment and participation are encouraged.

The Wolverine Community Advisory Group (CAG) will meet at 6161 Belmont Ave NE in Belmont on Thursday, December 19, 2019 at 6pm.

The CAG Technical Committee will review the Draft PFAS MCL proposal and provide their comments. Mark Worrall with Michigan EGLE will provide information about the geology and plume detail for the House Street location. Students from GVSU will present an interactive PFAS timeline that they've assembled.

At the previous CAG meeting which was held on November 21, Abby Hendershott of EGLE reviewed the proposed Michigan Drinking Water Standards for PFAS, Laura Gossiaux of the



KCHD discussed a proposed PFAS Stakeholder Group for north Kent County and the EPA provided an update on the House Street and Tannery projects.

The CAG meeting schedule for 2020 will be solidified at the CAG's team meeting Thursday, January 16, 2020 at 6pm at 6161 Belmont Ave NE.

More information can be found at <a href="https://wolverinecag.org/">https://wolverinecag.org/</a>

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EPA Wolverine World Wide documents are posted on EPA's website: <a href="https://www.epa.gov/mi/wolverine-world-wide-tannery">www.epa.gov/mi/wolverine-world-wide-tannery</a>

EGLE Wolverine World Wide documents are posted on Michigan's MPART page: https://www.michigan.gov/pfasresponse/0,9038,7-365-86511 82704 83030---,00.html