PUBLIC NOTICE

OF

PUBLIC MEETING and HEARING

Date: February 27, 2019

Permit No.: MI0060250

Designated Site Name: Andelina Farms - Saline

A Public Meeting followed by a Public Hearing with the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), Water Resources Division (WRD), is being held to seek additional public input on the proposed New Use of a discharge permit to Saline Ventures. This meeting and hearing will be held on Thursday, March 21, 2019 between 5:00 – 9:00 P.M. at the Saline City Hall located on 100 N Harris St. Saline, MI 48176.

The DEQ proposes to issue a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit to: Saline Ventures for the Andelina Farms – Saline facility located west of Saline, MI 48176. The applicant proposed to discharge treated sanitary wastewater to an unnamed tributary to the Saline River.

Major Issues being Discussed: Proposed effluent limitations, and the regulation of the design and operation of the proposed treatment plant.

The proposed permit was on public notice from December 26, 2018 through January 25, 2019.

All interested parties are invited to present comments on the proposed NPDES permit. Persons unable to attend the public meeting or hearing may submit comments through <u>March 29, 2019</u>. All comments received will be considered prior to taking action on the permit. For additional information contact: Bradley Popovich, Permits Section, WRD, DEQ, P.O. Box 30458, Lansing, Michigan 48909, telephone: 517-284-6656, e-mail: PopovichB@michigan.gov.

Individuals needing accommodations for effective participation at the meeting or hearing should call 517-284-5593 one (1) week in advance of the start date of the meeting and hearing to request mobility, visual, hearing or other assistance.

Copies of the permit application, public notice, Antidegradation Demonstration, basis for decision memo, and draft permit may be obtained via the Internet at https://miwaters.deq.state.mi.us (select 'Public Notice Search,' enter the permit number in the search field, and then click 'Search'), or at the WRD's Jackson District Office located at 301 East Louis Glick Highway, Jackson, MI 49201-1535, telephone: 517-780-7690.