Gray, Jane K - DNR

From: Citizens for a Clean Wausau <cleanwausau@protonmail.com>

Sent: Saturday, May 17, 2025 10:06 AM

To: Gray, Jane K - DNR

Subject: RE: Questions Regarding the Wauleco Site

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Good Morning, Jane,

Thank you very much for your quick response and this information! That all sounds great.

I hope that you have a nice weekend.

Tom

On Friday, May 16th, 2025 at 11:45 AM, Gray, Jane K - DNR < jane.gray@wisconsin.gov> wrote:

Given your expressed interest, I will let you know once we receive the forthcoming work plan so you can plan accordingly.

Jane Gray

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From: Gray, Jane K - DNR

Sent: Friday, May 16, 2025 11:39 AM

To: Citizens for a Clean Wausau <cleanwausau@protonmail.com>

Subject: RE: Questions Regarding the Wauleco Site

Hi Tom – Thanks for reaching out. I do not currently have a copy of the presentation as this was just presented to the DNR visually during the 05/08 meeting. I will ask Mark Nelson if he can share the presentation file/PDF with the DNR and, if so, I will upload this to BRRTS and let you know once it is posted. Either way, I will keep you informed about Mark's response to this request.

The DNR will review the forthcoming site investigation work plan for adherence to requirements presented in Wis. Admin Code \s NR 716.09. The public is welcome to share their input on the workplan with the DNR. Please understand that the DNR has a general goal to review and respond to fee-based submittals within 60 days of receiving the technical assistance fee. Therefore, if the public would like to present comments and questions to the DNR on this work plan, I strongly recommend that these be presented as early on in the review process as possible, within this 60 day review timeline.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thank you, Jane

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From: Citizens for a Clean Wausau <cleanwausau@protonmail.com>

Sent: Thursday, May 15, 2025 5:56 PM

To: Gray, Jane K - DNR < <u>jane.gray@wisconsin.gov</u>> **Subject:** Questions Regarding the Wauleco Site

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Hi, Jane,

I saw the May 8 email (attached) from the DNR to Mark Nelson on the Wauleco DNR BRTTS page.

The email mentions a "site presentation" that was put together for the DNR. If that presentation is a public record, would it be possible to please pass it along?

The email also mentions that a site investigation work plan (SIWP) will be put together assessing the potential current sediment and surface water impacts to the Wisconsin River from the groundwater contamination plume, and that the DNR will review and respond to this SIWP after it is submitted. Will the public have the ability to review the proposed SIWP and submit to the DNR any questions, concerns, or feedback that it may have on the plan prior to the department's approval of it? Especially since the groundwater contamination has been discharging into the river in the neighborhood for decades with only limited, infrequent sampling of the sediment and surface water, the ability for the public to review this SIWP and submit any potential feedback prior to approval seems important.

Thank you in advance for your assistance and any information that you can provide!

Sincerely,

Tom Kilian

Spokesperson

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