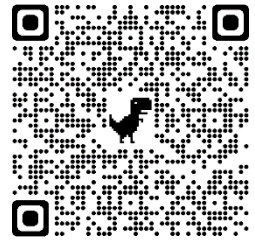


## NOTICE of AIR PERMIT COMMENT PERIOD and PUBLIC HEARING

The Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (EGLE) is holding a public comment period and a virtual public hearing, to allow the public the opportunity to comment on the proposed conditional approval of an air permit and a Consent Order.

**There is a public comment period from August 31, until October 16, 2023, and a virtual public hearing, on October 5th, for:**



**Company:** Graphic Packaging International, LLC located at 1810 North Pitcher Street in Kalamazoo, Michigan

**What is open for comment?** Two air quality actions related to the company are open for comment:

- Application No. APP-2022-0207 is for proposed changes to existing air permit PTI No. 133-19A for a paperboard machine project including adding a continuous emission monitoring system (CEMS) to several boilers; modifying the allowed oxides of nitrogen (NO<sub>x</sub>) emission limits, removing old equipment, and correcting the capacity of fuel burning equipment.
- The proposed Consent Order is to address emission limits and equipment installation violations. It includes a compliance plan, a monetary penalty, and additional fines for any future violations.

**Technical Details:** The public comment periods are to allow all interested parties the opportunity to comment on the proposed permit and enforcement action. As written, these actions will not violate air quality rules and regulations, nor the National Ambient Air Quality Standards. The facility's impact will not exceed the available increments for carbon monoxide, nitrogen oxides, particulate matter less than or equal to 10 microns in diameter, and particulate matter less than or equal to 2.5 microns in diameter.

Additionally, the permit modifications will require revisions to Renewable Operating Permit (ROP) [No. MI-ROP-B1678-2015](#) (SRN B1678). This public comment period meets the public participation requirements for a future administrative amendment to the ROP.

**Provide comment in any of these ways by October 16, 2023:**

- **By email:** [EGLE-AQD-PTIPublicComments@Michigan.gov](mailto:EGLE-AQD-PTIPublicComments@Michigan.gov)
- **By voicemail:** 517-284-0900
- **In writing:** EGLE, AQD Permit Section, P.O. Box 30260, Lansing, Michigan 48909-7760
- **At the virtual public hearing on October 5:** Register at [Bit.ly/45mAhYe](https://bit.ly/45mAhYe)

EGLE will be hosting a virtual informational session, prior to the hearing, on October 5, 2023, starting at 6:00 p.m. EGLE staff will provide a summary of the proposed permit and the proposed Consent Order, with an opportunity to answer questions from the public. The hearing will begin immediately following.

**Get technical reports about this project:**

- Online at [Michigan.gov/EGLEAirPublicNotice](https://Michigan.gov/EGLEAirPublicNotice)
- Kalamazoo District Office: EGLE, AQD, 269-243-0954
- City of Kalamazoo: City Clerk's Office, 269-337-8000
- Kalamazoo County: Kalamazoo County Clerk's Office, 269-383-8840
- LANSING: EGLE, AQD, 517-730-1158

Contact Laura Gramza at 517-230-4404 one week in advance of the hearing if you need accommodations.

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