

Marquette County Solid Waste Management Authority

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To whom it may concern,

This letter is to inform you, your constituents, and the residents of Marquette County that the solid waste tipping fees at the Marquette County Solid Waste Management Authority (MCSWMA) will increase to \$87.00 per ton commencing on July 1, 2025. This substantial increase is necessary in order for MCSWMA to construct a new Wastewater Treatment Plant (WWTP) to remove per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) from the leachate that is generated at the landfill. The construction of the WWTP is a requirement of the Administrative Consent Order that MCSWMA entered into with the Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (EGLE) after the discovery of PFAS in the leachate.

Please contact me if you have any questions or comments on this matter.

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