

RE: Town of Peshtigo Update

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To Town of Peshtigo Chair <topchair@townofpeshtigo.org>

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Save The Date – Listening Session On PFAS Contamination In Marinette, Peshtigo And Surrounding Communities;

Good Afternoon Jennifer - At your board meeting, please feel free to share the attached Save-the-Date for the DNR's next listening session scheduled for Thursday, Sept. 11th from 4-6 PM at Northeast Wisconsin Technical College.

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DNR To Host Listening Session Regarding PFAS Contamination In Marinette, Peshtigo And Surrounding Communities On Sept. 11, 2025

On **Thursday**, **Sept. 11**, **2025**, **from 4 – 6 p.m.** the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR) will host a public listening session regarding the PFAS contamination in Marinette, Peshtigo and surrounding communities at the Northeast Wisconsin Technical College (NWTC) in Marinette (see map below).

You may also attend via Zoom or phone; a Zoom link and agenda will be posted closer to the meeting date on the DNR's Marinette and Peshtigo PFAS webpage.

Participants are encouraged to submit questions in advance through email at DNRJCIPFAS@wisconsin.gov or by telephone at 888-626-3244.

The Wisconsin DNR and the Department of Health Services (DHS) will share updates and be available to answer questions and hear concerns from community members regarding the ongoing PFAS cleanup and investigation.

Location:

Northeast Wisconsin Technical College 1601 University Drive Room MN 101/102 (Enter at doors closest to Green Gable Road) Marinette, WI 54143

PFAS (per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances) are a group of human-made chemicals used for decades in numerous products including non-stick cookware, fast food wrappers, stain-resistant sprays and certain types of firefighting foam.

These contaminants have made their way into the environment through spills of PFAS-containing chemicals, discharges of PFAS-containing wastewater to treatment plants and certain types of firefighting foams.



