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SUBJECT: Citizens encouraged to give input on local stormwater programs

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[Duluth, MN] - Lake Superior provides Duluth and the surrounding communities with exceptional clean drinking water. It's important to maintain this critical asset for many generations to come. Therefore, citizens from Duluth, Lake Superior College, and surrounding communities are invited to a public meeting to provide input on local stormwater programs and initiatives. The meeting will be held at the MNDOT Administrative Building at 1123 Mesaba Ave on April 26, 2012 at 6:30pm. Presentations will be given by the City of Duluth, St. Louis County, as well as MNDOT and Lake Superior College. Citizen participation and input is crucial to make sure we maintain the high quality of water we all enjoy.

The public is reminded that catch basins lead directly to our streams and Lake Superior, not to the wastewater treatment plant. Please do not dump anything into them. Contact the City of Duluth at 730-4130 during business hours or 730-4100 on evenings and weekends to report any illegal discharge or dumping.

For additional information regarding this program, please contact Project Coordinator Chris Kleist at (218) 730-4063 or (218) 355-0598 (cell).