The Great Lakes Regional Body and Great Lakes Compact Council are coming to Waukesha! Representatives from the Great Lakes states and provinces will be in Waukesha February 17 and 18 to learn more about Waukesha's application to borrow and return Great Lakes water. They will receive a briefing from the Department of Natural Resources and local officials on Feb. 17 and conduct a public information meeting and hearing on Feb. 18. You can show your support for Waukesha's application during the visit. Here's how.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 17 -

1 p.m. – Official briefing on Waukesha Application, including answers to questions from official representatives of Great Lakes state and provinces – Room 214 of Carroll University Campus Center, 101 N. East Avenue, Waukesha – PUBLIC MAY ATTEND

THURSDAY, FEBURARY 18 -

2 p.m. – Public Information Meeting, Carroll University, Shattuck Music Center, 218 N. East Avenue, Room 122 – PUBLIC MAY ATTEND

3 p.m. – Public hearing begins – PUBLIC MAY TESTIFY

If you cannot attend next week's events, you can still make your voice heard. Public comments can be submitted until MARCH 14, 2016 at comments@waukeshadiversion.org or by mail to the Great Lakes Regional Body and Compact Council at 20 N. Wacker Drive, Suite 2700, Chicago, Illinois, 60606.

You can also weigh in with other states seeking input on the application.

The **Michigan** Department of Environmental Quality is accepting public comments via email (<u>DEQ-waterdiversion@michigan.gov</u>) until **March 1, 2016**.

The **Ohio** Department of Natural Resources is accepting public comments at http://water.ohiodnr.gov/waukesha through **March 14, 2016**. Written documents can be submitted through the document uploader in the online form.

Thank you for your support!