

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
 AIR QUALITY DIVISION
 ACTIVITY REPORT: Self Initiated Inspection

M422937554

FACILITY: Mid Peninsula School		SRN / ID: M4229
LOCATION: 5055 St Nicholas 31st Road, ROCK		DISTRICT: Upper Peninsula
CITY: ROCK		COUNTY: DELTA
CONTACT: ERIC VANDAMME , PRINCIPAL		ACTIVITY DATE: 10/25/2016
STAFF: Joel Asher	COMPLIANCE STATUS: Compliance	SOURCE CLASS:
SUBJECT: Follow up on PTI #953-84		
RESOLVED COMPLAINTS:		

On 10/25/2016 I conducted an unannounced inspection of this facility. My initial contact was Ms. Sandra McPherson, business manager for the school. I was then introduced to Mr. Eric VanDamme, principal.

Mid Peninsula School presently has 192 K - 12 students in a single building. PTI #953-84 was issued to the school on 10/1/1985 for one oil-fired boiler and one wood-fired boiler. The boilers were installed when the building was first built. Both boilers are still present and operational.

Boiler #1 is listed in the application dated 11/13/1984 as oil-fired with #2 oil with an identification of Burnham #4F240-50. The nameplate identification on the boiler shows #4WF240-50. Boiler #2 is listed in the application as a wood chip fired unit with an identification of Burnham #4N397A. The nameplate on the boiler shows #4NW397A. For some reason on both nameplates a "W" is included where it was not in the application. The boilers are the same as applied for and Mr. VanDamme stated they have not been replaced since installation.

The school primarily burns wood chips for heat. Oil is used for a backup source. Chips have been purchased from Marvin Nelson. In the past they have averaged a delivery of 1 load of 134 cubic yards of chips per month. This equates to approximately 938 cubic yards of chips burned during the heating season. All ash is agriculturally applied.

Mr. VanDamme introduced me to Mr. Willard Campbell, head of maintenance. Discussions were held regarding potential asbestos containing materials in the school.

No violations of the Air Pollution Control Rules or PTI #953-84 were observed during this inspection.

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DATE 11/9/16

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