GREAT LAKES BUSINESS NETWORK

A Healthy Environment is Essential for Michigan Businesses – Support Executive Order 2019-02.

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As members of the Great Lakes Business Network (GLBN), which formed around the common goal of protecting the Great Lakes and the blue economy that depends on the health of our freshwater, we ask the Michigan legislature to support Executive Order 2019-02, which works directly to protect our Great Lakes and drinking water, and to oppose attempts to undermine the Governors leadership.

Our Network, which has grown to represent over 100 businesses, fully supports Executive Order 2019-02 and encourage the legislature to work the Governor to advance clean water efforts that directly improve the quality of Michigan's air, land and water as well as puts forth leadership that protects our public health and encourages the use of clean energy. A healthy environment is essential for the operation of strong businesses in Michigan. Had our Network been given appropriate notice by the legislature, we would have provided this letter in person, though our membership. We encourage lawmakers to better support public transparency and engagement in the future.

Kind Regards,

The Great Lakes Business Network