## Community Environmental Monitoring Program Update June 2015



## INDEPENDENT MONITORING

During June 2015, independent environmental monitoring of Eagle Mine's operations by the Superior Watershed Partnership (SWP) included split sampling, observation and review of data collected in and around the Eagle Mine and the Humboldt Mill. Monitoring included:

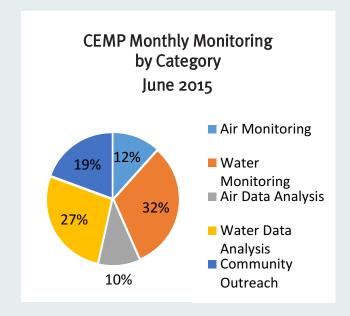
- Continued air quality monitoring in Powell Township at the CEMP Air/Meteorological Station
- Portable air quality monitoring along the haul route from Eagle Mine to the Humboldt Mill

## FINDINGS/RESULTS

- Effluent, surface water, ground water, and air quality results from May sampling events at the Eagle Mine and Humboldt Mill sites are pending and will be posted to the CEMP website as soon as they are received from the laboratory.
- An air quality and meteorological report was created from the Big Bay fixed air station for the month of May.
   Results can be found on the CEMP Data Portal.

## PUBLIC OUTREACH/COMMUNITY INPUT

- SWP staff gave a presentation on CEMP at the EPA's Lake Superior Environmental Monitoring Coalition conference in Ashland, WI.
- SWP staff held an informational booth on the CEMP program at a public event for the Marquette County Community Foundation.
- SWP staff participated in CEMP technical and policy committee meetings.
- SWP began the development of a new map-based data portal to house and provide public access to data collected at the Humboldt Mill.
- CEMP and Eagle Mine environmental monitoring data continues to be uploaded to the CEMP website. To view recently uploaded data visit the <u>CEMP data portal</u>. Click here to view data from the Humboldt Mill.





CEMP Field Tech samples surface water on a tributary near the Eagle Mine.