

CATF Agenda

February 19, 2026 | 2:00 pm

Location: Cohodas Hall, First Floor Training Room

Zoom Link: <https://nmu.zoom.us/j/91956319256?pwd=fvxf2w4Bkl7iNhQh4000iUWv078oLb.1>

a. Welcome

b. Special Presentation

David Allen | Marquette Brownfield Redevelopment Authority

David Allen is an award-winning scientist and author. He directed the natural resource damage assessment of Green Bay, WI, which launched Superfund at the site and led to one of the most comprehensive and public natural resource damage assessments in U.S. history. He was the leader and public face of the assessment for federal, state, and tribal agencies. That assessment eventually led to \$1.3 billion of PCB cleanup and restoration, paid by the polluters. It was the largest Superfund effort since the Exxon Valdez oil spill in Alaska, and the largest PCB cleanup in history.

Allen was named "Outstanding Public Servant of the Year" by the Clean Water Action Council of Northeast Wisconsin and was formally recognized by the U.S. Attorney in Milwaukee, Wisconsin for his environmental enforcement efforts in Wisconsin. He went on to become a vice president at Stratus Consulting, Inc., helping the company grow from \$8 million per year \$20 million per year. He worked as an expert for seven federal agencies, 17 state agencies, and 16 Native American tribes in 25 states. He now serves on the Brownfield Redevelopment Authority, and the Election Board, For the City of Marquette, MI and performs regularly in three orchestras and several chamber groups.

c. Proposed Bylaws Change

ARTICLE 4. MEMBERSHIP A. "Persons or organizations seeking to join CATF must be nominated by a Membership Committee member for consideration..."

- d. Committee Updates
 - a. Outreach, Emily Leach
 - b. Membership, Greg Seppanen

- e. 2026 Planning
 - a. Upcoming presentation topics
 - i. Superior Watershed Partnership Update
 - ii. Dr. Jeffrey Andresen, State Climatologist
 - iii. Update on the City of Marquette's Climate Action Plan
 - b. [Year-End Report Draft](#)
 - c. [2026 Work Plan Draft](#)

- f. Member Updates
 - a. [CATF Member Updates Form](#)

- g. Good of the Order