## **EXHIBIT B-11**

## **Comments Submitted to EPA by Peter Bormuth**

West Bay Exploration Company (WBEC), Haystead #9 SWD (Permit #MI-079-2D-0010)

## Administrative Record Item # 54

April 30, 2013

Peter Bormuth

## Elkins, Timothy

From: Sent: To: Subject: peter bormuth <earthprayer@hotmail.com> Tuesday, April 30, 2013 10:21 PM Elkins, Timothy West Bay Haystead #9

Mr. Elkins

Thank you for your presence tonight at the public hearing.

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During your preliminary introduction you stated that the ultimate confining zone protecting the USDW (not the permitted confining zone) for this well (West Bay Haystead #9) is the Coldwater shale strata and you stated that it was 1000 feet thick.

I would like it entered into the record that the Stratigraphic Succession Map of the Lower Peninsula published by the MDEQ and the Michigan Basin Geological Society in 2000 shows the Coldwater shale to be only 250 feet thick and also shows the inclusion of a significant volume of Berea Sandstone in the shale. As you know Berea Sandstone is porous and permeable.

-----End of Comment-----

You stated that you had specific information on the well site. I assume that must come from the drilling logs on the existing wells on the property. I would like to receive copies of those drilling logs under the Freedom of Information Act if you would so kindly provide me with that information.

Once again, thank you and your staff for your efforts in holding the public hearing. I have further comments that I am composing and will submit them by e-mail before the filing deadline.

Sincerely,

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