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NEWS RELEASE

NORTH SHORE BOAT LAUNCH TO OPEN

The Escanaba Recreation Department announced today that the North Shore Boat Launch will open for the season effective Friday, April 18, 2008.

Boaters are reminded to be aware of changing water conditions on the river. Currently, water levels are higher than normal and the water current is strong. Again, please use extreme caution in leaving and re-entering the river as the channel marker buoys are not yet in place.

Seasonal boat launch permits may be purchased at the City Hall Utility Window, Escanaba Municipal Marina, and Civic Center for \$45.00 or daily permits can be purchased at the launch for \$4.00 per day.

Questions can be directed to the Escanaba Recreation Department at 786-4141.