GROUNDWATER & WASTE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

512 N. Salisbury Street Archdale Building - Ground Floor Hearing Room Raleigh, North Carolina

July 7, 2021 9:30-10:30 a.m.

Yvonne Bailey, Chairman, Presiding

In the event the previously scheduled committee meeting adjourns prior to the estimated adjournment time, the other committee meeting may be called to order, by the Chairman, fifteen minutes after the previous meeting adjourned.

This meeting will occur in the Ground Floor Hearing Room of the Archdale Building at 512 N. Salisbury St, Raleigh, NC. Commissioners, staff, and scheduled speakers are encouraged to attend in-person. Limited seating will be available to the public. Face coverings are not required for those who are fully vaccinated. Meeting audio and presentations will be broadcast via the state web conferencing link posted on the Environmental Management Commission website at https://deq.nc.gov/about/divisions/water-resources/water-resources-commissions/environmental-management-commission

I. Preliminary Matters:

General Statute § 138A-15 mandates that the Chairman inquire as to whether any member knows of any known conflict of interest or appearance of conflict with respect to matters before the Commission. If any member knows of a conflict of interest or appearance of a conflict, please so state at this time.

2. Approval of minutes from Groundwater and Waste Management Committee (GWWMC) meeting May 12, 2021 (attached).

II. Action Item

1. Request Approval to Proceed to EMC to Request Public Hearing on 15A NCAC 02L .0100 "GROUNDWATER CLASSIFICATION AND STANDARDS – General Considerations"

(DWR) Eric Smith

Explanation: The Division of Water Resources requests approval to proceed to the Environmental Management Commission for public hearing for proposed amendments to 15A NCAC 02L .0100 "Groundwater Classifications and Standards – General Considerations." The purpose of the rule-making is to incorporate changes required by Session Law 2018-114 Sections 19.(a)–(e) and 19.1(a)-(e) and Session Law 2020-74 Section 17.1(a)-(e).

Recommendation: The Division recommends that the GWWMC approve the proposed amendments of 15A NCAC 02L .0100 "Groundwater Classifications and Standards – General Considerations", to go to the full EMC for approval to proceed to public hearing.

POWERPOINT PRESENTATION

Attachment A - 15A NCAC 02L .0100 Rule Text
Attachment B - 15A NCAC 02N Regulatory Impact Analysis

Upcoming Proposed Rules for the GWWMC (subject to change):

September 8 or November 10, 2021 Meetings:

- 1. Proposed Amendment of 15A NCAC 13A Rule .0119 to add photovoltaic modules as a universal waste (DWM)
- 2. Proposed Amendments of 15A NCAC 13A to clarify hazardous waste requirements (DWM)
- 3. Proposed Adoption of New Rules 15A NCAC 13B .2000 for CCR Landfills (DWM)
- 4. Proposed Readoption of 15A NCAC 02P "Leaking Petroleum Underground Storage Tank Cleanup Funds" (DWM-UST)

Adjournment 07-07-2021