



Indiana Department of Environmental Management

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# **IDEM Regulatory Update**

**Thursday, April 16<sup>th</sup>  
P4P2 Quarterly Meeting  
Toyota  
Princeton, Indiana**



# Small Business Regulatory Coordinator

- Jessica Faust-Hamblin
- Stays abreast of regulatory actions
- Attends the [Environmental Rules Board](#) meetings
- Provides [monthly summaries](#) of the Indiana Register



# Upcoming Compliance Due Dates

Refer to *Compliance Due Dates* Handout



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# Rule and Policy Update



# Office of Land Quality

## Solvent Contaminated Wipes

- **Hazardous Waste Updates, [LSA Doc #14-288](#)**
  - Incorporates by reference [78 FR 46484 through 78 FR 46485](#), *Conditional Exclusions from Solid Waste and Hazardous Waste for Solvent-Contaminated Wipes*, at 329 IAC 3.1-1-7
  - Final Adopted January 14, 2015
  - Tentatively effective **June of 2015**
    - *Management of Contaminated Wipes* NPD, [Waste-0010](#) repealed
  - Refer to [Solvent-Contaminated Wipes Rule presentation](#), April 17, 2014 for new requirements
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# Office of Land Quality

## UST Fee Billing

- House Bill 1342 shifted collection of UST fees from the Department of Revenue (DOR) to the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM)
- Owners and operators are required to *complete* and submit [State Form 45223, Notification for Underground Storage Tanks](#).
  - **Contact:** Nicole Wheeler  
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- [Invoices for UST fees](#) sent shortly, if haven't already
  - Last six (6) months of 2014 + the full calendar year of 2015
  - Due date = 30 days from the date of the invoice
  - Instructional insert
  - Fees > \$500 option of four (4) installments
- Moving forward 12 month billing periods, calendar year



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## Contained-In Determination Policy, WASTE-0061

- Nonrule Policy Document (NPD) [WASTE-0061](#)
  - Effective April 10, 2015
- Clarify the application of Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) hazardous waste regulations to environmental media
  - Soil
  - Groundwater
- Indiana Department of Environmental Management's (IDEM) policy specifying when levels of listed hazardous waste found within environmental media is at a level low enough that the environmental media may be managed as a solid waste
  - Based on new Remediation Closure Guide (RCG) commercial/industrial screening levels for various constituents



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## Contained-In Determination Policy, WASTE-0061

- To manage environmental media as solid waste, the process is as follows:
  - Obtain representative sample(s)
  - Conduct a waste determination/characterization
  - Delineate area providing volume of material managed under policy
  - Sample and analyze environmental media determining concentration of contaminants of concern to compare to RCG commercial/industrial screening levels
  - Submit request to exempt environmental media through “contained-in determination” process
  - Gain approval from IDEM
  - Inform IDEM of intended location of disposal
  - Maintain all records





# Office of Land Quality

## Uncontaminated Soil Policy, WASTE-0064

- Nonrule Policy Document (NPD) [WASTE-0064](#)
  - Effective : April 10, 2015
- This policy:
  - Defines “uncontaminated” dirt (soil) based on screening levels found within the Remediation Closure Guidance (RCG)
  - Provides guidance for meeting exclusions in 329 IAC 10-3-1 and 329 IAC 11-3-1
- Applies to soils:
  - Not including a waste stream
  - Containing human introduced constituents below RCG screening levels
- Designates how soils are to be managed upon excavation
- Does not address soils:
  - Having naturally occurring chemical constituents
  - Containing identifiable industrial waste, solid wastes, or hazardous waste that is inseparable from the soil



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WASTE-0061 and WASTE-0064

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# Office of Water Quality

## NPDES General Permits, [LSA Doc #10-659](#)

- Rulemaking necessary to convert NPDES general permits from permit-by rule to administratively issued permits
  - Ten (10) NPDES general permits ([327 IAC 15](#)) being converted
  - Process for each is:
    - Translate permit-by-rule requirements into a draft, administrative permit
      - Incorporate federal requirements became effective since the permit-by-rule was adopted
    - Submit to U.S. EPA for review
      - Revise as appropriate
    - Public notice draft, administrative NPDES general permit
    - Invite stakeholders to meet and discuss provisions prior to end of comment period



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## NPDES General Permits, [LSA Doc #10-659](#)

- Moving forward:
  - Five (5) of ten (10) administrative NPDES general permits ready for adoption, *possibly* summer of 2015
    - [Once Through Noncontact Cooling Water](#), Rule 8
    - [Petroleum Products Terminals](#), Rule 9
    - [Groundwater Petroleum Remediation Systems](#), Rule 10
    - [Hydrostatic Testing of Commercial Pipelines](#), Rule 11
    - [Sand, Gravel, Dimension Stone, and Crushed Stone](#), Rule 12
  - Other five (5) of ten (10) are not
    - Rule 5. Stormwater Run-Off Associated with Construction Activity
    - Rule 6. Stormwater Discharges Exposed to Industrial Activity
    - Rule 7. Facilities Engaged in Mining of Coal, Coal Processing, and Reclamation Activities
    - Rule 13. Stormwater Run-Off Associated with Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System Conveyances
    - Rule 14. On-site Residential Sewage Discharging Disposal Systems within Allen Co.



# Office of Water Quality

## NPDES General Permits, [LSA Doc #10-659](#)

- Moving forward:
  - NPDES General Permit rulemaking
    - Amended to pertain to Rules 8 through 12, only
    - *Possibly* final adopted summer of 2015
  - Remaining general permits will be addressed in future rulemaking(s)
    - ~ 12 to 18 time frame
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# Office of Water Quality

## Rule 6. Stormwater Exposed to Industrial Activity

- Status:
  - Office of Water Quality (OWQ) developed draft administrative general permit
  - **Internal review and discussion**
  - Submit to U.S. EPA for review and feedback,
    - *possibly* summer
  - Public notice draft, administrative NPDES general permit,
    - *possibly* end of 2015
  - Invite stakeholders to meet and discuss provisions
- Rule 6. *Stormwater Exposed to Industrial Activity* general permit-by-rule repealed in future rulemaking
  - When administrative, NPDES general permit ready for adoption



# Status Update

- **Net DMR**

- Certified Wastewater Operators preparing DMRs, MMRs, or MROs
  - Not previously submitted electronically
- Complete the NetDMR enrollment process
- Submit first DMRs with MMRs/MROs electronically
  - Effective date of federal NPDES Electronic Reporting rule or December 31, 2015, whichever comes first
- Earn two (2) technical contact hours towards renewal of wastewater operator's license
  - Granted once per person, per permit
  - Submit congratulatory e-mail with [Wastewater Operator/Apprentice Continuing Education Credit Report, State Form 51139](#)
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# Status Update

- **Wastewater Operator Certification Examination**
  - Taken electronically at Ivy Tech
    - 25 locations with testing facilities
  - Process:
    - Complete and submit the [Application for Wastewater Treatment Plant Operator Certification Examination, State Form 47289](#) to IDEM
      - \$30 application fee
    - Obtain IDEM approval letter
    - Contact Ivy Tech to make reservation
      - \$30 proctor fee
      - On-line reservation and payment available in June or July
    - Take IDEM approval letter to Ivy Tech upon taking exam
    - Gain results upon completion of exam
    - Certificate issued retroactive to date passed exam





# Status Update

- **Wastewater Operator Certification Examination**
  - Paper exam on **October 8, 2015** in Indianapolis
    - Application postmarked by **August 24, 2015**
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# Resources

- CTAP Website - <http://www.in.gov/idem/ctap/index.htm>
- Rulemaking Actions Webpage –  
<http://www.in.gov/idem/ctap/2331.htm>
- Featured Topics Webpage –  
<http://www.in.gov/idem/ctap/2332.htm>
- P4P2 Website – <http://www.in.gov/idem/ppp/>
- P4P2 Events Webpage –  
<http://www.in.gov/idem/ppp/2333.htm>
- P4P2 Presentations –  
<http://www.in.gov/idem/ppp/2333.htm>



# Future Topics of Interest

- Suggestions given on the Evaluation Form
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# Further Questions

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