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# Notice of Workshop to Solicit Comments on Proposed Amendments to Nevada Administrative Code Chapters 445B, 459 & 486A – Air Pollution

The Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP) is proposing regulations that will revise the public notice rule provisions for the air quality program. The following workshop has been scheduled to solicit comments from persons interested in the amendments, which are described below. The workshop agenda is on the reverse side of this announcement.

March 21, 2017 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Great Basin Conference Room

4<sup>th</sup> Floor

901 S. Stewart Street

CARSON CITY

Video Conference to
NDEP Red Rock Conference Room
2030 E. Flamingo Road, Ste. 230
LAS VEGAS

Permanent Regulation T2017-01: The NDEP is proposing regulations that will revise the public notice rule provisions for the air quality program. These amendments will significantly improve communication with the public on permit and other actions by allowing for information to be made available for an extended time period on a dedicated website in comparison to a one-day newspaper notice, which will result in broader and better informed public participation. Public access will be improved by making actions immediately available through convenient and reliable electronic media outlets. E-notice will also provide flexibility for the NDEP by avoiding time delays associated with newspaper publication and allowing for faster correction of errors and rescheduling of events. Additionally, resources currently being spent by the NDEP will be more efficiently used by removing the public notice newspaper requirements and by removing the requirement to provide notice of the Director's proposed action and a copy of the Class II operating permit to a public library.

The proposed amendments and related materials are available on the NDEP website at: <a href="http://ndep.nv.gov/admin/public.htm#air">http://ndep.nv.gov/admin/public.htm#air</a> qp. A copy of materials relating to the proposed regulations may also be obtained at the workshop or from Trish Bobo at NDEP, 901 S. Stewart Street, Suite 4001, Carson City, NV 89701; (775) 687-9543; or e-mail <a href="mailto:pbobo@ndep.nv.gov">pbobo@ndep.nv.gov</a>. Members of the public who are disabled and require special accommodations or assistance at the meeting are requested to notify Patricia Bobo no later than 3 working days before the workshop.

This notice has been posted on the official State website, the Nevada Legislature website and the NDEP website, at the NDEP offices in Carson City and Las Vegas, at the State Library in Carson City and at County libraries throughout Nevada.

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### **AGENDA**

(No action items)

- 1. Welcome, introductions.
- 2. Review of agenda; regulation adoption timeline.
- 3. Presentation of proposed regulation T2017-01: Revisions to the public notice provisions for the air quality program.
- Public comments and questions on proposed regulation T2017-01.\*
- 5. Adjourn
- \* Public comment may be limited to five minutes per person at the discretion of the chairperson. The chair reserves the right to dispense with repetitive comments on a given topic.

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