



NOTICE OF PUBLIC WORKSHOP
Proposed Regulation Petition LCB File No. R136-24
Bureau of Water Pollution Control
August 7, 2024

The Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP), Bureau of Water Pollution Control (BWPC) is proposing to adopt regulation petition LCB File No. R136-24 amending Chapter 445A of the Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) 445A.9692 – Holding Tank System.

R136-24 Holding Tank System: The holding tank regulations were reviewed in response to Governor Lombardo's Executive Order 2023-003; proposed amendments provide clarifications identified as needed during that process. Regulation additions are also proposed as a consequence of Assembly Bill (AB) 220 (2023) to provide certain temporary allowances and requirements pertaining to non-residential holding tanks in a county with a population exceeding 700,000 people (Clark County).

During the 2023 Legislative Session, AB220 addressed, in part, certain wastewater treatment discharge prohibitions where potable water is supplied by one of the member agencies of the Southern Nevada Water Authority. This local law related to conservation of Colorado River resources created a timing problem for certain nonresidential development in Clark County where water service is constructed but municipal sewer service it not yet available. The problem was compounded by NDEP regulation limiting the size and use of sewage holding tanks. Section 5 of this petition was crafted to provide resolution of this State-Local quandary until the provision sunsets on December 31, 2030.

The workshop will be held in the Bryan Building at 901 South Stewart Street, Carson City, NV in the **Bonnie Bryan Conference Room**, located on the 1st Floor and will be organized for participation in-person or virtually using the link provided for the virtual webinar below. The Bonnie Bryan Conference Room has a limited capacity, but the Division will attempt to accommodate all people who wish to participate in-person.

<p>August 22, 2024, 11:00 am to 12:00 pm Public Workshop for Proposed Regulation Petition R136-24</p>	<p>Virtual Webinar: Join Workshop Meeting ID: 273 707 786 383 Passcode: kFRZbx Or call in (audio only) +1 775-321-6111,647153814# United States, Reno Phone Conference ID: 647 153 814#</p>
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Public comments will be accepted during the workshops and written comments will be accepted until August 27, 2024.

Submit Comments to:

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Members of the public who are disabled and require special accommodations or assistance at the workshops should notify BWPC no later than 5 days prior to the workshop(s).



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- Nevada Public Notice Website – <https://notice.nv.gov>
- The Nevada Division of Environmental Protection public notice website – <https://ndep.nv.gov/posts>
- Administrative Regulation Notices website – <https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/Notice/A/>
- NDEP office in Carson City – 901 S. Stewart St., Carson City, NV 89701
- NDEP Office in Las Vegas – 375 E Warm Springs Rd., Ste 200, Las Vegas, NV 89119

AGENDA

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The purpose of the public workshops is to receive comments from all interested parties regarding the information listed on this agenda. No action will be taken by the Bureau of Water Pollution Control (BWPC) at the public workshop on proposed permanent regulation petition R136-24. The workshop is informational only and in preparation for action that will be taken by the State Environmental Commission at a regulatory hearing scheduled for September 5, 2024. The following items may be discussed out of order.

- 1) Call to order and introductions
- 2) Public comment (general)
- 3) BWPC will provide background on the purpose and need for the proposed revisions to Nevada Administrative Code 445A.
 - a. Presentation and discussion of proposed regulation R136-24
 - i. Question and answer period for R136-24
- 4) Public comment for proposed regulation R136-24
- 5) Public comment (general)
- 6) Adjournment