## BEFORE THE OHIO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

## Public Notice Proposed Rulemaking Governing Wastewater Pollution Control

Notice is hereby given that the Director of Environmental Protection, under the authority of Sections 6111.03, 6111.04, 6111.44, 6111.45, and 6111.46 of the Ohio Revised Code and in accordance with Chapter 119, proposes to renew the following rule of the Ohio Administrative Code:

Rule Number	Rule Title	Action
3745-42-05	Design flow and waste strength requirements for treatment	Proposed
	works sized for one hundred thousand gallons per day or less.	

This rule addresses wastewater pollution control regulations.

The purpose of this rule making is to outline modifications and/or revisions for minimum requirements for design flows and design waste characterizations for five day biochemical oxygen demand, when sizing wastewater treatment works for 100,000 gallons per day or less.

The public comment period will run until **5:00 p.m. on January 3, 2012**. A public hearing on this proposed rule making will be held to consider public comments in accordance with Section 119.03 of the Ohio Revised Code. This hearing will be held at **Ohio EPA Central Office, 50 W. Town Street, Columbus, Ohio in Room B at 1:30 p.m.** 

To facilitate the scheduling of oral presentations, persons intending to give testimony at the hearing should notify the Ohio EPA Public Interest Center, P.O. Box 1049, Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049, (614) 644-2160. Prior registration will ensure that registrants are heard ahead of those individuals who register at the hearing. Oral testimony may be limited to five minutes, depending on the number of persons testifying. All interested persons are entitled to attend or be represented and to present oral and/or written comments concerning the proposed rule making.

Written testimony should be sent to the attention of Rule Coordinator at the Division of Surface Water, P.O. Box 1049, Columbus Ohio 43216-1049. Written comments may also be submitted to the Hearing Officer at the public hearing. Written testimony will receive the same consideration as oral testimony. All testimony received at the hearing or by **5:00 p.m. on January 3, 2012** will be considered by Ohio EPA prior to final action on this rulemaking proposal. Written comments submitted after this date may be considered as time and circumstances permit.

Questions regarding this rule package should be directed to Daniel A. Kopec, at the Division of Surface Water, at (614) (644-1987).

If you wish to receive a copy of the proposed rule, please contact the **Daniel A. Kopec at (614) (644-1987)**. In addition, full copies of all proposed rule is available for review at any Ohio EPA district office and at the Ohio EPA central office. The proposed rule is also accessible on DSW web page at www.epa.ohio.gov/dsw/Home.aspx.