

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

September 19, 2024, from 10:00 A.M to 10:30 A.M.

**Ohio Department of Agriculture
Bromfield Administration Building
Hearing Room 133 (Seminar “B”)
8995 East Main Street
Reynoldsburg, Ohio 43068-3399**

In accordance with Chapter 119 of the Revised Code, the Ohio Department of Agriculture will conduct a public hearing for the purpose of soliciting comments regarding the adoption, amendment and rescission of rules.

The public hearing will be from **10:00 am to 10:30 am** or until all parties in attendance have had the opportunity to be heard.

The following rule is proposed for amendment:

Food Safety- State Survey Procedures for Program Evaluation

OAC 901:3-4-17 This rule package consists of one amended rule regarding program evaluation of the state surveys of local health districts on retail food establishments.

More information on this rule package, including a business impact analysis and copies of the rules, can be found by visiting The Ohio Department of Agriculture’s website, administrative rules page, at <https://agri.ohio.gov/divisions/legal-office/Admin-Rules> or by visiting the Register of Ohio at www.registerofohio.state.oh.us.

Any person who wishes to present their position, arguments, or contentions in writing, other than at the public hearing, may do so by either mailing their written comments to the Ohio Department of Agriculture, c/o Legal Section, 8995 East Main Street, Reynoldsburg, Ohio 43068 or by email at ecomments@agri.ohio.gov. Written comments sent by mail shall be postmarked no later than the day of the hearing.

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