

**Public Hearing Notice**  
**Proposed Rulemaking Governing**  
**Five-Year Rule Review of Rules in Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) Chapter 3745-15, "General Provisions on Air Pollution Control", Rule 3745-14-11, "Portland cement kilns", and Rule 3745-17-07, "Control of visible particulate emissions from stationary sources".**

Notice is hereby given that the Director of Environmental Protection, under the authority of Sections 3704.03(E) of the Ohio Revised Code (ORC) and in accordance with ORC Chapter 119, proposes to propose amended rules in Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) Chapter 3745-15, "General Provisions on Air Pollution Control", Rule 3745-14-11, "Portland cement kilns", and Rule 3745-17-07, "Control of visible particulate emissions from stationary sources" to the Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review (JCARR).

The public comment period will run until Friday, January 6, 2023. A public hearing on this proposed rulemaking will be held on **Friday, January 6, 2023 at 10:30 AM** to consider public comments in accordance with Section 119.03 of the Ohio Revised Code. Ohio EPA will be holding simultaneously an in-person and virtual public hearing. The in-person hearing will be held at Ohio EPA, Suite 700, 50 W. Town Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215. During the hearing, the public may submit written comments on the record about the proposed rules if participating virtually and verbally if participating in person. Written comments may also be submitted electronically any time before the close of business on January 6, 2023 to [DAPC-Comments@epa.ohio.gov](mailto:DAPC-Comments@epa.ohio.gov).

Citizens who want to participate virtually must register in advance for the meeting at: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/7917842044217550861>.

Pursuant to Part D of Title 1 of the Clean Air Act, the state of Ohio is required to establish a state plan for the attainment and maintenance of the national ambient air quality standards (NAAQS). Ohio EPA plans to submit the above-mentioned rules to U.S. EPA for inclusion/amendment to Ohio's plan, except for OAC rule 3745-15-01(P), 3745-15-06(A)(3) or 3745-15-06(C). Ohio will also request OAC rule 3745-17-07(A)(3)(c) and 3745-17-07(B)(11)(f) be removed from the SIP. The above-mentioned hearing shall be considered the public hearing for this rulemaking portion of the plan submittal.

To facilitate the scheduling of oral presentations, persons intending to give testimony in-person at the hearing should notify Cathryn Allen at the Ohio EPA Public Interest Center, [cathryn.allen@epa.ohio.gov](mailto:cathryn.allen@epa.ohio.gov) or (614) 644-2160.

All interested persons are entitled to attend or be represented at the hearing and give written or oral comments on these rule changes and SIP revisions. All oral comments presented at the hearing, and all written statements submitted at the hearing or by the close of business on January 6, 2023 will be considered by Ohio EPA prior to final action on this rule and SIP revisions. Written statements submitted after January 6, 2023 may be considered as time and circumstances permit but will not be part of the official record of the hearing.

These rules and associated documents are available on DAPC's Web page for electronic downloading at <https://epa.ohio.gov/divisions-and-offices/air-pollution-control/regulations/proposed-rules>. Questions regarding accessing the web site and any other questions or comments about these rules should be directed to Paul Braun at Ohio EPA, (614) 644-3734, [DAPC-Comments@epa.ohio.gov](mailto:DAPC-Comments@epa.ohio.gov), or mailed to Paul Braun, Ohio EPA, Division Air Pollution Control, Lazarus Government Center, P.O. Box 1049, Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049. Persons submitting comments electronically may follow-up with a hard copy via regular mail.

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