

AIR QUALITY COMMITTEE

**Virtual Public Meeting on
Cisco's WebEx Teleconferencing Service**

September 8, 2021

9:30 A.M. – 10:30 A.M.

Shannon M. Arata, Chair, Presiding

In the event the previously scheduled Committee meeting adjourns prior to the estimated adjournment time, the other Committee meeting may be called to order, by the Chair, fifteen minutes after the previous meeting adjourned.

Meeting audio and presentations will be broadcast via the state web conferencing link posted on the Environmental Management Commission website at <https://deq.nc.gov/about/divisions/water-resources/water-resources-commissions/environmental-management-commission>.

Items marked with an asterisk () will be presented orally at the meeting only upon a request by a Committee member and can be approved where required as a group. Also, items marked with a less-than sign (<) have no agenda item pages in the package.*

I. Preliminary Matters:

1. Call to Order and Notice of NCGS § 138A-15.....Chair Shannon M. Arata

General Statute § 138A-15 mandates that the Chair inquire as to whether any member knows of any known conflict of interest or appearance of conflict with respect to matters before the Commission. If any member knows of a conflict of interest or appearance of a conflict, please so state at this time.

2. [Approval of minutes from the Air Quality Committee meeting on July 7, 2021.](#)

II. Concepts:

1. None

III. Action Items:

1. [Request for Approval of Proposed Rule Revisions and Regulatory Impact Analysis and to Proceed to EMC for Approval to Proceed to Public Hearing on the Title V Rules Revisions, 15A NCAC 02Q .0103 and .0500 \(553\)](#)
(Katherine Quinlan, DAQ)

Explanation: To revise the Title V Rules, 15A NCAC 02Q .0103 and .0500 following EPA comments received February 2021. EPA identified typographical, reference, and other corrections to improve clarity and consistency for these rules.

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[Title V Proposed Rules](#)

[Draft Title V Regulatory Impact Analysis](#)

2. [Request for Approval of Proposed Rule Revision and to Proceed to EMC for Approval of the SSI Technical Correction, 15A NCAC 02D .1204 \(539\)](#)
(Patrick Knowlson, DAQ)

Explanation: To revise the Sewage Sludge Incineration Units Rule, 15A NCAC 02D .1204, following EPA comments received after submitting a separate document in June 2021. EPA identified a technical error in a cross reference within the rule.

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[SSI Rule](#)

IV. September EMC Agenda Items:

1. [Request for Approval of Proposed Rule Revisions and Regulatory Impact Analysis and to Proceed to EMC for Approval to Proceed to Public Hearing on the Update to Nitrogen Oxide State Implementation Plan Rules, 15A NCAC 02D .1400 \(552\)](#)
(Brad Nelson, DAQ)

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[NOx SIP Call Rules](#)

[NOx SIP Call Regulatory Impact Analysis](#)

V. Informational Items:

1. Ambient Information Reporter (AIR) Tool Demonstration (Bradley McLamb, DAQ)
<https://airquality.climate.ncsu.edu/air/>

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2. < **[Director’s Remarks \(Mike Abraczinskas, DAQ\)](#)**
- 3.* [1995-2021 Air Quality Committee and Environmental Management Commission Calendar](#)
- 4.* [Status of Rulemaking Hearings and Rule Development](#)

VI. < Closing Remarks.....Chair Shannon M. Arata

Adjournment: The next Air Quality Committee Meeting is scheduled for November 17, 2021. Due to COVID-19, foreseeable AQC meetings will be held virtually until further notice. The time will be determined as the date approaches.