

AIR QUALITY COMMITTEE

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

**January 12, 2022**

**9:00 A.M. – 10:00 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.*

*Due to the surge in Covid cases, the Environmental Management Commission (EMC) meetings will be entirely virtual. The audio and presentations will be broadcast via the state web conferencing link posted on the Environmental Management Commission (EMC) at: <https://deq.nc.gov/about/divisions/water-resources/water-resources-commissions/environmental-management-commission/emc-meetings-and-agendas>*

*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 September 8, 2021.](#)

**II. Concepts:**

1. None

**III. Action Items:**

1. None

**IV. January EMC Agenda Items:**

1. None

**V. Informational Items:**

1. Air Quality Section Chiefs - Program Updates

Ambient Monitoring Section Chief – Patrick Butler  
[PowerPoint Presentation](#)

Permitting Section Chief – Mark Cuilla  
[PowerPoint Presentation](#)

Compliance Section Chief – Steve Hall  
[PowerPoint Presentation](#)

Planning Section Chief – Randy Strait  
[PowerPoint Presentation](#)

2. < **Director’s Remarks (Mike Abraczinskas, DAQ)**

3.\* **1995-2022 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 March 9, 2022. The time and modality of the meeting will be determined as the date approaches.