

MINUTES  
NORTH CAROLINA SEDIMENTATION CONTROL COMMISSION  
COMMISSION'S TECHNICAL COMMITTEE  
JULY 21, 2022  
ONLINE WEBEX MEETING

The North Carolina Sedimentation Control Commission's Commission Technical Committee met on July 21, 2022, at 3:30 p.m. online via WebEx. The following persons were in attendance for all or part of the meeting:

**COMMITTEE MEMBERS**

Mr. Mark Taylor (Chair)  
Ms. Karyn Pageau (Vice-Chair)  
Dr. Rich McLaughlin  
Ms. Robin K. Smith  
Mr. Steve Albright  
Mr. Donald Pearson  
Mr. A. J. Lang

**OTHERS**

Ms. Julie Coco, State Sediment Specialist, DEMLR, DEQ

**Minutes:**

The meeting began at 3:30 pm.

Draft meeting minutes from 6/16/2022 were approved by consensus.

Mark Taylor moved on to workgroup updates with a discussion of file nomenclature. There was initial discrepancy as to what constitutes a "clean" file. A "clean" file is thought to be the latest edited version of the original document with all changes either turned off or accepted. Mr. Taylor suggested that the members provide or append appropriate names to their files to distinguish the original from the clean and commented versions. Ms. Pageau and Mr. Lang presented on the practice standard, 6.10 Temporary Seeding. A discussion ensued and edits were made throughout the text. This was the only practice standard discussed at this meeting.

Mark Taylor opened the floor to discussion and started with a recap of the discussion from the previous meeting. His thoughts would be to continue that discussion based on today's progress. Ms. Pageau voiced her opinion that today's meeting went well because everyone contributed simultaneously. She expects the process to go slow. Dr. McLaughlin noted that today's discussion involved a complete rewrite of the practice standard, and doesn't expect this

to be the case for all practice standards. Mr. Lang suggested speeding up the process by working on one collaborative Word document that includes each person's comments or tracked changes as opposed to each member working in their own version of an edited document and then having to work to compile these comments into one proposed document. Mr. Albright agreed. Mr. Taylor asked what version would be best for editing. Ms. Smith commented that she preferred working within Word. There appeared to be a consensus on that. Mr. Taylor summarized that the committee will continue on with this process with the hope that the meetings will produce an average of two practice standards being addressed. Mr. Lang asked if a second draft of Practice Standard 6.10 would be needed for review. Mr. Taylor agreed and Mr. Lang elaborated by suggesting the committee review a clean copy of the latest edits from today. Mr. Taylor suggested having the comments and tracked changes handy in case the committee needs to refer to them.

The August meeting will be scheduled for 1:30 – 3:00 pm on August 17, 2022, and will be held both virtually via WebEx and in-person. The DEMLR staff will send out a calendar invitation along with a room confirmation for those desiring to meet in person.

Mr. Taylor adjourned the meeting at 5:03 pm.