

**NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF RULES
OHIO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY**

Rules Governing
National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) General Permits

Notice is hereby given that the Director of the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA), under authority of sections 6111.03(G) and 6111.035 of the Ohio Revised Code and in accordance with Chapter 119 of the Revised Code, has adopted and rescinded the following rules of the Ohio Administrative Code:

<u>Rule Number</u>	<u>Rule Title</u>	<u>Action</u>
3745-38-01	Definitions.	Amend
3745-38-02	Requirements for general national pollutant discharge elimination system (NPDES) permits.	New
3745-38-02	Ohio NPDES permit required.	Rescind
3745-38-03	General permits coverage.	Rescind
3745-38-04	Individual or alternative general permit requirements.	Rescind
3745-38-05	Alternative NPDES authorization.	Rescind
3745-38-06	Notification of general permit coverage.	Rescind
3745-38-07	Criteria for issuing and renewing general permits.	Rescind
3745-38-08	Modification of general permits.	Rescind
3745-38-09	Transfer of general permit coverage.	Rescind
3745-38-10	Applicability of rules procedure.	Rescind
3745-38-11	Revocation of general permits.	Rescind
3745-38-12	Termination of general permit coverage.	Rescind

The Director's order of **rescission and adoption** was issued on **May 27, 2010**. These **rescissions and adopted** rules will become effective on **July 1, 2010**. To obtain a copy of these rules go to the Division of Surface Water's website at: www.epa.ohio.gov/dsw/rules/final_genper_may10.aspx, or contact John Morrison by email at john.morrison@epa.state.oh.us or by phone at (614) 644-2259.

The Director's action in this matter is pursuant to the procedural requirements of Ohio Revised Code Chapter 119 and is based upon the record of the public hearing conducted by Ohio EPA on **March 31, 2010**, and comments received during the public comment period.

You are hereby notified that this action of the Director is final and may be appealed to the Environmental Review Appeals Commission pursuant to Section 3745.04 of the Ohio Revised Code. The appeal must be in writing and set forth the action complained of and the grounds upon which the appeal is based. The appeal must be filed with the Commission within thirty (30) days after notice of the Director's action. The appeal must be accompanied by a filing fee of \$70.00, made payable to "Ohio Treasurer Kevin Boyce," which the Commission, in its discretion, may reduce if by affidavit you demonstrate that payment of the full amount of the fee would cause extreme hardship. Notice of the filing of the appeal shall be filed with the Director within three (3) days of filing with the Commission. Ohio EPA requests that a copy of the appeal be served upon the Ohio Attorney General's Office, Environmental Enforcement Section. An appeal may be filed with the Environmental Review Appeals Commission at the following address:

Environmental Review Appeals Commission
309 South Fourth Street, Room 222
Columbus, OH 43215