

GROUNDWATER & WASTE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

**512 N. Salisbury Street  
Archdale Building - Ground Floor Hearing Room  
Raleigh, North Carolina**

**March 10, 2021  
3:30 pm -4:30 p.m.**

**Yvonne Bailey**, 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 Chairman, fifteen minutes after the previous meeting adjourned.*

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**I. Preliminary Matters:**

**1. Call to Order and Notice of NCGS § 138A-15.....Chair Bailey**

General Statute § 138A-15 mandates that the Chairman 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 Groundwater and Waste Management Committee (GWWM) meeting November 18, 2020 ([attached](#)).

**II. Action Item**

**1. Request Approval to Proceed to EMC to Request Public Hearing on 15A NCAC 02N “Criteria and Standards Applicable to Underground Storage Tanks”**

(DWM) Ruth Strauss

**Explanation:** The Division of Waste Management requests approval to proceed to the Environmental Management Commission for public hearing for proposed amendments to 15A NCAC 02N “Criteria and Standards Applicable to Underground Storage Tanks.” The purpose of the rule-making is to incorporate changes required by Session Law 2018-114 Sections 19.(a)–(e) and 19.1(a)-(e) and Session Law 2020-74 Section 17.1(a)-(e).

**Recommendation** The Division recommends that the GWWMC approve the proposed amendments of 15A NCAC 02N “Criteria and Standards Applicable to Underground Storage Tanks” to proceed to the EMC for public hearing.

### **POWERPOINT PRESENTATION**

[Attachment A - 15A NCAC 02N Rule Text](#)

[Attachment B – Session Laws 2018-114 and 2020-74](#)

[Attachment C - 15A NCAC 02N Regulatory Impact Analysis and OSBM Approval](#)

### **III. Information Item**

#### **1. Update on Proposed Rules 15A NCAC 13B .2000 Coal Combustion Residuals Management**

(DWM) Ed Mussler

**Explanation:** The Division of Waste Management will provide an update on the status of proposed new rules 15A NCAC 13B Section .2000 Coal Combustion Residuals Management for CCR landfills and impoundments.

### **POWERPOINT PRESENTATION**

### **IV. Closing Remarks**

Chair Bailey

**Adjournment 03-10-2021**

### **Upcoming Proposed Rules for the GWWMC (subject to change):**

May 12, 2021 or July 7, 2021 Meeting:

1. Proposed Amendment of 15A NCAC 13A Rule .0119 to add photovoltaic modules as a universal waste (DWM)
2. Proposed Amendments of 15A NCAC 13A to clarify hazardous waste requirements (DWM)
3. Proposed Adoption of New Rules 15A NCAC 13B .2000 for CCR Landfills (DWM)
4. Proposed Re-adoption of 15A NCAC 02L .0100 (DWR)