



REC Review



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The **REC Review** publishes environmental and energy related developments for DoD/Navy leaders and installation staff. Covering 21 states, the **REC Review** gives early notice of legislative and regulatory activities relevant to DoD interests in Federal Regions 1 & 3 and Navy interests in Federal Regions 2, 4, & 5.



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SPOTLIGHT STORY

Fort Drum Natural Resources Team Taps into North Country Pride during Maple Days

Amy Stiefel, a forester with the Fort Drum Environmental Division’s Natural Resources Branch, said that Maple Days is an opportunity for people to learn about maple syrup production and the history of the industry in New York State.

“We describe the process of how sap moves through the trees, and how we collect some of that sap and turn it into maple syrup,” she said. “Here at the LeRay sugar bush, we have about 220 buckets out to collect sap.”

Roughly 40 gallons of sap is required to make a gallon of syrup, and the team of foresters empty the buckets into the evaporator housed inside the lean-to outside LeRay Mansion to demonstrate how it is processed.

“I love showing people new to Fort Drum and this area, who have never seen real syrup being made, how easy it is,” Stiefel said. “They’re amazed how it is just taking sap from a tree and then boiling it. You see all sorts of reactions when they taste it for the first time, and that’s really fun to watch.”

She said that some people also are surprised to learn that Fort Drum has a land resources team with foresters who protect and sustain more than 70,000 acres of forestland on the installation.

For more information:

<https://www.dvidshub.net/news/440494/fort-drum-natural-resources-team-taps-into-north-country-pride-during-maple-days>

GENERAL INTEREST/FEDERAL NEWS

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GENERAL

Announcing the 2023 Federal Environmental Symposium The Federal sustainability community is cordially invited to attend the 2023 Federal Environmental Symposium, a hybrid event to be attended Oct. 23-27, 2023 either virtually or in-person. This year's theme for the Symposium "Environment: A Mission Asset" focuses on the sharing of best practices, success stories, partnerships, and challenges and achievements of the federal practitioner community as they apply to your Agency's mission. The event schedule, registration instructions, call for presentation abstracts and continuous updates to the event can be found on the Symposium website at <https://www.fedcenter.gov/fes2023>.

EPA Calls for Applications for the 2023 Safer Choice Partner of the Year Awards The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is now accepting applications for the 2023 Safer Choice Partner of the Year Awards. EPA especially encourages submission of partner applications that demonstrate how their work involving products with safer chemical ingredients promotes environmental justice, bolsters resilience to the impacts of climate change, results in cleaner air or water, improves drinking water quality or advances innovation in packaging.

<https://www.epa.gov/saferchoice>

Fiscal Year 2022 Environmental Collaboration and Conflict Resolution Annual EPA Report

The Office of Environmental Justice and External Civil Rights' Conflict Prevention and Resolution Center (CPRC) has issued this year's annual report on environmental collaboration and conflict resolution (ECCR) at EPA. This report highlights the EPA's key achievements in providing ECCR in fiscal year 2022 and the infrastructure that supports this work. ECCR continues to be an essential tool used to advance the Agency's goals, including tackling the climate crisis, taking decisive action to advance environmental justice and civil rights, and strengthening tribal, state, and local partnerships.

[https://www.epa.gov/system/files/documents/2023-03/FY 2022 EPA ECCR Annual Report - Final.pdf](https://www.epa.gov/system/files/documents/2023-03/FY%202022%20EPA%20ECCR%20Annual%20Report%20-%20Final.pdf)

Presidential Federal Sustainability Awards The Presidential Federal Sustainability Awards Program, launched in March 2023, celebrates the extraordinary leadership, innovation, and achievement of Federal agencies and their employees toward the President's charge for Federal climate action and the ambitious sustainability goals established in the Federal Sustainability Plan and Executive Order 14057. Federal programs, projects, project teams, facilities, and individuals are eligible for nomination by their agency. The White House Council on Environmental Quality's (CEQ) Office of the Federal Chief Sustainability Officer administers the awards program. Winners will be recognized during an awards ceremony taking place in the fall in Washington, DC. The award categories include Advancing Carbon-Free Electricity, Electrifying the Federal Fleet, Decarbonizing Federal Buildings, Building Sustainable Supply Chains, Advancing Climate Adaptation and Resilience, Advancing Environmental Justice, Building a Climate-Ready Workforce, Leveraging Partnerships, Investing in Climate Smart Buildings, and Buying Clean.

The deadline for 2023 Presidential Federal Sustainability Award nominations is June 30, 2023.

<https://www.sustainability.gov/awards.html#2023>

AIR

EPA Grants Waivers for California's On-highway Heavy-duty Vehicle and Engine Emission Standards EPA is issuing a decision that grants two requests for waivers of preemption regarding four California Air Resource Board (CARB) regulations related to California's heavy-duty vehicle and engine emission standards. Under the Clean Air Act, California is afforded broad discretion to adopt emissions requirements to meet their significant air quality challenges, but they must seek waivers from EPA for new motor vehicle emission standards. In this instance, CARB requested two waivers for regulations relating to heavy duty vehicles and engines. After reviewing the technical information provided by CARB, reviewing comments submitted by the public, and applying the limited authority for review under section 209 of the Clean Air Act, EPA determined it appropriate to grant the waiver and authorization requests.

<https://www.epa.gov/state-and-local-transportation/vehicle-emissions-california-waivers-and-authorizations>

Notice of Proposed Radon Credentialing Criteria EPA seeks input on criteria to help align and ensure consistency across radon service provider credentialing programs operated by certification bodies and states. The criteria reflect stakeholder feedback received in response to a 2017 Notice on the same subject and consideration of conformity assessment practices in place across the federal government. The EPA is soliciting comment on these criteria. The comments will inform development of the final version of the criteria. Engagement on behalf of DoD would be managed through the Office of Secretary of Defense.

<https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2023/03/22/2023-05354/notice-of-proposed-radon-credentialing-criteria>

NATURAL RESOURCES

Threatened Species Status with Section 4(d) Rule for Longsolid and Round Hickorynut and Designation of Critical Habitat The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) determined threatened species status under the Endangered Species Act (ESA) for the longsolid (*Fusconaia subrotunda*) and round hickorynut (*Obovaria subrotunda*), freshwater mussels. They also designate critical habitat for both species. For the longsolid, in total, approximately 1,115 river miles fall within 12 units of critical habitat in Pennsylvania, Kentucky, West Virginia, Virginia, Tennessee, and Alabama. For the round hickorynut, in total, approximately 921 river miles fall within 14 units of critical habitat in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Kentucky, West Virginia, Tennessee, Alabama, and Mississippi. They also finalize a rule under the authority of section 4(d) of the Act for both species that provides measures that are necessary and advisable to provide for the conservation of these species. This rule was effective April, 10 2023.

<https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2023/03/09/2023-03998/endangered-and-threatened-wildlife-and-plants-threatened-species-status-with-section-4d-rule-for>

WATER

National Primary Drinking Water Regulations: Consumer Confidence Report Rule Revisions (Draft)

EPA is proposing to revise the Consumer Confidence Report (CCR) Rule in accordance with America's Water Infrastructure Act (AWIA) of 2018 (AWIA, 2018) and to require reporting of compliance monitoring data to EPA. The proposed revisions to improve the CCR would improve the readability, clarity, and understandability of CCRs as well as the accuracy of the information presented, improve risk communication in CCRs, incorporate electronic delivery options, provide supplemental information regarding lead levels and control efforts, and require systems who serve 10,000 or more persons to provide CCRs to customers biannually (twice per year). The proposed requirements for states to submit to EPA compliance monitoring data for all National Primary Drinking Water Regulations (NPDWRs) submitted by systems to the State would enhance EPA's oversight capabilities. Engagement on behalf of DoD would be managed through the Office of Secretary of Defense.

<https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2023/04/05/2023-06674/national-primary-drinking-water-regulations-consumer-confidence-report-rule-revisions>

REGION I

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Note: The Connecticut Legislature convened on Jan. 4, 2023 and adjourned on May 3, 2023.

PROPOSED REGULATION

Connecticut Definition of “Hazardous Air Pollutant,” Fuel Sulfur Content Requirement Update and Clarification to the Nonattainment New Source Review Permit Applicability The Department of Energy & Environmental Protection has proposed changes that will replace most of the various definitions of “hazardous air pollutant” used in the air quality regulations with a single definition. This new definition is consistent with the EPA’s most recent change to the federal definition of hazardous air pollutant used in Clean Air programs, to include 1-bromopropane to the list of hazardous air pollutants established under the Clean Air Act Section 112. This definition revision also incorporates future changes to the federal definition which may be caused by the listing or delisting of a chemical compound.

<https://eregulations.ct.gov/eRegsPortal/Search/getDocument?guid={60B67187-0000-CE16-A4DC-D645D4DA1580}>



Note: The Maine Legislature convened on Dec. 7, 2022 and will adjourn on May 7, 2024.

PROPOSED LEGISLATION

Maine LD 1009 This act would set goals for the reduction of the disposal of food scraps and for food rescue.

<http://www.mainelegislature.org/legis/bills/getPDF.asp?paper=HP0645&item=1&snum=131>

Maine LD 1248 This act pertains to proposed rules regulating testing for perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl Substances (PFAS) in bottled water.

<http://www.mainelegislature.org/legis/bills/getPDF.asp?paper=HP0796&item=1&snum=131>

Maine LD 1537 This act amends the laws relating to the prevention of PFAS pollution and to provide additional funding. <http://www.mainelegislature.org/legis/bills/getPDF.asp?paper=SP0610&item=1&snum=131>

Maine LD 1621 This act would enact a provision that requires fair and equitable access to Department of Environmental Protection decision-making processes for environmental justice populations and frontline communities. The bill also provides appropriations for various positions in the department and for facilitator services, travel expenses, facility rentals and meeting expenses.

<http://www.mainelegislature.org/legis/bills/getPDF.asp?paper=HP1046&item=1&snum=131>

Maine LD 1645 This act would prohibit the sale or distribution of products contained, protected, delivered, presented or distributed in or using prohibited plastic packaging.

<http://www.mainelegislature.org/legis/bills/getPDF.asp?paper=HP1055&item=1&snum=131>



Note: The Massachusetts Legislature convened on Jan. 3, 2023 and will adjourn on Jan. 2, 2025.

PROPOSED LEGISLATION

Massachusetts HB 885 This act directs MDEP to promulgate maximum containment levels, that shall be considered the maximum safe amount of n-Nitrosodimethylamine present in drinking water so that it does not negatively affect human health. <https://malegislature.gov/Bills/193/H885/House/Bill/Text>

Massachusetts HB 2231 This act would require the disclosure of lead in water pipes.

<https://malegislature.gov/Bills/193/H2231/House/Bill/Text>

Massachusetts HB 2261 This act would prohibit the use of polystyrene foam food containers.

<https://malegislature.gov/Bills/193/H2261/House/Bill/Text>

Massachusetts HB 3161 This act would strengthening Massachusetts as the national leader in offshore wind.

<https://malegislature.gov/Bills/193/H3161/House/Bill/Text>



Note: The New Hampshire Legislature convened on Jan. 4, 2023 and will adjourn on June 30, 2023.

No new environmental legislation or regulation of significant importance to the DoD was identified during this reporting period.



Note: The Rhode Island Legislature convened on Jan. 3, 2023 and will adjourn on June 30, 2023.

PROPOSED LEGISLATION

Rhode Island SB 471 This act would mandate the enactment of a city or town ordinance banning the use of gasoline powered lawn equipment by January 1, 2027.

<http://webserver.rilin.state.ri.us/BillText23/SenateText23/S0471.htm>

Rhode Island SB 770 This act would establish requirements which would have to be met by an applicant prior to the issuing of permits for an activity that would have an environmental impact on or would increase the cumulative impacts on an environmental justice area.

<http://webserver.rilin.state.ri.us/BillText23/SenateText23/S0770.htm>

Rhode Island SB 858 This act would require an owner of a stationary refrigeration system in Rhode Island to register their system with the Department of Environmental Management.

<http://webserver.rilin.state.ri.us/BillText23/SenateText23/S0858.htm>

Rhode Island SB 909 This act would establish the first green justice zone and environmental justice, a model that may be replicated in future years to ensure that all communities throughout the state have clean air and clean water. <http://webserver.rilin.state.ri.us/BillText23/SenateText23/S0909.htm>



Note: The Vermont Legislature convened on Jan. 4, 2023 and will adjourn on May 10, 2024.

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REGION II

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Note: The New Jersey Legislature convened on Jan. 11, 2022 and will adjourn on Jan. 9, 2024.

FINAL REGULATION

New Jersey Environmental Justice The Department of Environmental Protection has adopted rulemaking establish the requirements for applicants seeking permits for certain pollution-generating facilities located, or proposed to be located, in overburdened communities, including the analysis of relevant environmental and public health stressors, as each are defined in the Act, as well as requirements intended to ensure applicants' meaningful engagement with members of host overburdened communities, and community members' participation in the Department's decision-making process. Effective April 17, 2023.

<https://dep.nj.gov/wp-content/uploads/rules/adoptions/adopt-20230417a.pdf>

OTHERS ACTIONS AND OPPORTUNITIES

New Jersey Proposed Request for Delegation of Authority for New Jersey to Implement the Federal Plan Requirements for Certain Municipal Solid Waste Landfills and Public Hearing The Department of Environmental Protection has issued a notice to request delegation of authority from EPA Region 2 to implement the Federal Plan requirements for municipal solid waste (MSW) landfills that commenced construction on or before July 17, 2014, and have not been modified or reconstructed since July 17, 2014. <https://dep.nj.gov/boss/public-notices/>

New Jersey To Accelerate the Target of 100% Clean Energy by 2035 The Office of the Governor has issued an executive order to accelerate the target of 100% clean energy by 2035. <https://nj.gov/infobank/eo/056murphy/pdf/EO-315.pdf>



Note: The New York State Legislature convened on Jan. 4, 2023 and will adjourn on Jan. 2, 2025.

FINAL REGULATION

New York Medium- and Heavy-Duty Diesel Vehicle Emission Standards The Department of Environmental Conservation has adopted emergency rulemaking regarding Medium- and Heavy-Duty Diesel Vehicle Emission Standards. Effective March 10, 2023.

<https://dos.ny.gov/system/files/documents/2023/03/march-29-2023-vol.-xlv-issue-13.pdf#page=34>

REGION III

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Note: The Council of the District of Columbia convened Jan. 2, 2023 and will adjourn on Dec. 31, 2024.

PROPOSED LEGISLATION

District of Columbia B 192 This act would require the removal of lead service lines from public property and from all District government buildings and privately owned properties by Jan. 1, 2030, and require DC Water to create and maintain an inventory of water service lines identifying those that are or could be lead service lines, along with other requirements. <https://lms.dccouncil.gov/downloads/LIMS/52463/Introduction/B25-0192-Introduction.pdf>

District of Columbia B 195 This act would require lead service lines on both public and private property be replaced with non-lead lines by Dec. 31, 2030, at no cost to the property owner. It would require that owners of private property serviced by a lead service line to enroll in the Lead Service Line Replacement Program or replace the lead service line themselves. <https://lms.dccouncil.gov/downloads/LIMS/52493/Introduction/B25-0195-Introduction.pdf>

District of Columbia PR 148 (PR 149) This act would establish a schedule of fines for violations of rules related to underground storage tanks (USTs) to ensure that the maintenance of USTs is undertaken in a manner that protects public health and safety and the environment.

<https://lms.dccouncil.gov/downloads/LIMS/52611/Introduction/PR25-0148-Introduction.pdf>



Note: The Delaware General Assembly convened on Jan. 10, 2023 and will adjourn on June 30, 2024.

PROPOSED LEGISLATION

Delaware HB 98 This act would create minimum requirements for public notice related to permits, permit renewals and electronic availability for public comments.

<https://legis.delaware.gov/json/BillDetail/GenerateHtmlDocument?legislationId=130139&legislationTypeId=1&docTypeId=2&legislationName=HB98>



Note: The Maryland General Assembly convened on Jan. 11, 2023 and adjourned on April 10, 2023.

No new environmental legislation or regulation of significant importance to the DoD was identified during this reporting period.



Note: The Pennsylvania General Assembly Special Session 1 convened on Jan. 9, 2023 and adjourned on March 31, 2023.

PROPOSED LEGISLATION

Pennsylvania HB 195 This act pertains to a measure or action intended to abate, control or limit carbon dioxide emissions by imposing a revenue-generating tax or fee on carbon dioxide emissions; and abrogating regulations.

<https://www.legis.state.pa.us/cfdocs/legis/PN/Public/btCheck.cfm?txtType=PDF&sessYr=2023&sessInd=0&billBody=H&billTyp=B&billNbr=0195&pn=0153>

Pennsylvania HB 470 This act would prohibit food establishments from dispensing prepared food to a customer in a polystyrene food service container.

<https://www.legis.state.pa.us/cfdocs/legis/PN/Public/btCheck.cfm?txtType=PDF&sessYr=2023&sessInd=0&billBody=H&billTyp=B&billNbr=0470&pn=0438>

Pennsylvania HB 559 This act provides for an erosion and sediment control permit, for compliance, for an annual report and for duties of the Department of Environmental Protection.

<https://www.legis.state.pa.us/cfdocs/legis/PN/Public/btCheck.cfm?txtType=PDF&sessYr=2023&sessInd=0&billBody=H&billTyp=B&billNbr=0559&pn=0531>

Pennsylvania HB 604 This act amends the act of May 1, 1984 (P.L.206, No.43), known as the Pennsylvania Safe Drinking Water Act and provides for maximum contaminant levels.

<https://www.legis.state.pa.us/cfdocs/legis/PN/Public/btCheck.cfm?txtType=PDF&sessYr=2023&sessInd=0&billBody=H&billTyp=B&billNbr=0604&pn=0568>

Pennsylvania HB 652 This act pertains to the issuance of permits in burdened communities.

<https://www.legis.state.pa.us/cfdocs/legis/PN/Public/btCheck.cfm?txtType=PDF&sessYr=2023&sessInd=0&billBody=H&billTyp=B&billNbr=0652&pn=0591>

Pennsylvania HB 699 This act would update and expand the storm water planning requirements to be undertaken by counties; authorize counties to regulate storm water within a watershed-based planning area; authorize the formation of water resources management authorities; enable counties, municipalities and water resources management authorities to develop integrated water resources management plans; impose duties and conferring powers on the Department of Environmental Protection, the Environmental Quality Board, counties, municipalities and water resources management authorities; provide for financing and for waiver of use for certain grant or loan funds; establish the Integrated Water Resources Management Account; and make repeals.

<https://www.legis.state.pa.us/cfdocs/legis/PN/Public/btCheck.cfm?txtType=PDF&sessYr=2023&sessInd=0&billBody=H&billTyp=B&billNbr=0699&pn=0643>

Pennsylvania HB 734 This act would provide for the administration of permits by State agencies, for a tracking system for permit applications, for the establishment of permit programs and for annual reports.

<https://www.legis.state.pa.us/cfdocs/legis/PN/Public/btCheck.cfm?txtType=PDF&sessYr=2023&sessInd=0&billBody=H&billTyp=B&billNbr=0734&pn=0683>

Pennsylvania HB 782 This act would provide for development of regional significance and impact; and, in zoning hearing board and other administrative proceedings, further providing for jurisdiction.

<https://www.legis.state.pa.us/cfdocs/legis/PN/Public/btCheck.cfm?txtType=PDF&sessYr=2023&sessInd=0&billBody=H&billTyp=B&billNbr=0782&pn=0731>

Pennsylvania HB 938 This act pertains to the Diesel-Powered Motor Vehicle Idling Act, further providing for penalties.

<https://www.legis.state.pa.us/cfdocs/legis/PN/Public/btCheck.cfm?txtType=PDF&sessYr=2023&sessInd=0&billBody=H&billTyp=B&billNbr=0938&pn=0925>

Pennsylvania HB 963 This act establishes the Environmental Justice Policy Center and the Environmental Justice Policy Fund.

<https://www.legis.state.pa.us/cfdocs/legis/PN/Public/btCheck.cfm?txtType=PDF&sessYr=2023&sessInd=0&billBody=H&billTyp=B&billNbr=0963&pn=0983>



VIRGINIA

Note: The Virginia General Assembly convened on Jan. 11, 2023 and adjourned on Feb. 25, 2023.

FINAL LEGISLATION

Virginia SB 867 This act eliminates the notarization requirement for a permit issued by a local wetlands board for the use or development of any wetland. Effective July 1, 2023.

<https://lis.virginia.gov/cgi-bin/legp604.exe?231+ful+CHAP0099>

Virginia SB 959 This act establishes that nutrient credits generated through stream restoration projects that are certified or recertified by the Department of Environmental Quality and located in tributaries outside of the Chesapeake Bay watershed may be calculated using a delivery factor deemed by the Director of the Department of Environmental Quality to be based on the best available scientific and technical information appropriate for the tributaries outside of the Chesapeake Bay watershed. Effective July 1, 2023.

<https://lis.virginia.gov/cgi-bin/legp604.exe?231+ful+CHAP0723>

Virginia SB 1129 (HB 1485) This act changes the contingency for the effective date of the Chesapeake Bay Watershed Implementation Plan to allow consideration of a combination of point or nonpoint source pollution reduction commitments other than agricultural best management conservation practices when determining whether the Commonwealth's commitments in the Chesapeake Bay Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) Phase III Watershed Implementation Plan have been satisfied. Effective July 1, 2023.

<https://lis.virginia.gov/cgi-bin/legp604.exe?231+ful+CHAP0736>

Virginia SB 1501 This act requires the Department of Environmental Quality, prior to assessing any civil penalty against any person for an alleged violation of a regulation adopted by the State Air Pollution Control Board, the Virginia Waste Management Board, or the State Water Control Board or permit issued by the Department, to inform such person in writing of the alleged violation, the potential penalties, and the actions necessary to achieve compliance and remediate the alleged violation. The Department may allow such person 30 days to take such actions and to provide any additional, relevant facts to the Department, including facts that demonstrate a good-faith attempt to achieve compliance. Effective July 1, 2023.

<https://lis.virginia.gov/cgi-bin/legp604.exe?231+ful+CHAP0718>

FINAL REGULATION

Virginia Regulated Medical Waste Management Regulations The Department of Environmental Quality has adopted rules regarding permit requirements for the storage, treatment and disposal of regulated medical wastes, rules for packaging and labelling the waste, and approved treatment processes. Effective March 15, 2023.

<http://register.dls.virginia.gov/details.aspx?id=10575>



WEST VIRGINIA

Note: The West Virginia Legislature convened on Jan. 11, 2023 and adjourned on March 11, 2023.

FINAL LEGISLATION

West Virginia HB 2860 This act would require the State Fire Commission to find a method to dispose of used or accumulated AFFF and other class B fire-fighting foams, including, but not limited to, transporting the contained AFFF to an accredited disposal company. Effective June 4, 2023.

http://www.wvlegislature.gov/Bill_Status/bills_text.cfm?billdoc=hb2860%20sub%20enr.htm&yr=2023&sesstype=RS&i=2860

West Virginia HB 3189 This act is aimed at identifying and abating health risks of PFAS discharged into source waters used for public drinking water. Effective June 8, 2023.

http://www.wvlegislature.gov/Bill_Status/bills_text.cfm?billdoc=hb3189%20sub%20enr.htm&yr=2023&sesstype=RS&i=3189

REGION IV

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NORTH CAROLINA

Note: The North Carolina General Assembly convened on Jan. 11, 2023 and will adjourn on June 30, 2024.

PROPOSED LEGISLATION

North Carolina HB 416 The acts seeks to give the Commission the power to deny Title V permits and renewals when cumulative impacts affect an overburdened community.

<https://www.ncleg.gov/Sessions/2023/Bills/House/HTML/H416v1.HTML>

North Carolina HB 610 (SB350) The bill would, in part, direct the NC Commission for Public Health to begin substantive rulemaking to establish drinking water MCLs for PFAS, PFOA, PFOS, chromium-6, and 1,4-Dioxane.

<https://www.ncleg.gov/Sessions/2023/Bills/House/HTML/H610v1.HTML>

North Carolina HB 628 This act would amend on-site wastewater/environment statutes.

<https://www.ncleg.gov/Sessions/2023/Bills/House/HTML/H628v2.HTML>

North Carolina HB 732 This act would manage PFAS firefighting foam/gear.

<https://www.ncleg.gov/Sessions/2023/Bills/House/HTML/H732v1.HTML>

North Carolina HB 797 This act would require consideration of the cumulative impact of certain facilities proposed to be located in low-income communities prior to the issuance of permits or certifications for such facilities.
<https://www.ncleg.gov/Sessions/2023/Bills/House/HTML/H797v1.HTML>



Note: The Kentucky Legislature convened on Jan. 3, 2023 and will adjourn on March 30, 2023.

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REGION V

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Note: The Indiana General Assembly convened on Jan. 10, 2023 and adjourned on March 7, 2023.

FINAL LEGISLATION

Indiana SB 155 This act pertains to the Title V operating permit program. Signed on April 20, 2023.
<https://iga.in.gov/legislative/2023/bills/senate/155>

Indiana SB 332 This act allows a city, county or town to establish a military impact zoning district for an area adversely impacted by the effects of military operations and would require a lease or real estate sales disclosure to disclose a property is within the state area of interest. Effective July 1, 2023.
<https://iga.in.gov/legislative/2023/bills/senate/332>



MICHIGAN

Note: The Michigan Legislature convened on Jan. 11, 2023 and will adjourn on Dec. 31, 2024.

PROPOSED LEGISLATION

Michigan HB 4185 This act would modify provisions related to civil penalties with respect to repeated violations and asbestos-related violations.

<http://www.legislature.mi.gov/documents/2023-2024/billintroduced/House/htm/2023-HIB-4185.htm>



OHIO

Note: The Ohio General Assembly convened on Jan. 2, 2023 and will adjourn on Dec. 31, 2024.

PROPOSED REGULATION

Ohio Waste and Hazardous Waste Definitions and Applicability The Environmental Protection Agency has initiated rulemaking regarding waste and hazardous waste definitions, applicability of hazardous waste requirements, and testing standards for various pieces of equipment determined to be applicable.

<https://codes.ohio.gov/ohio-administrative-code/chapter-3745-50>

WISCONSIN



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Note: The Wisconsin Legislature convened on Jan. 2, 2023 and will adjourn on Jan. 2, 2025.

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