

**REGULAR MEETING AGENDA  
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY  
WATER QUALITY MANAGEMENT ADVISORY COUNCIL**

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A Public Meeting:     January 7, 2020, at 2:00 pm  
                              Department of Environmental Quality

Location:               Multi-Purpose Room, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor  
                              DEQ Building  
                              707 N. Robinson  
                              Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

**1. CALL TO ORDER – Brian Duzan**

**2. ROLL CALL – Quiana Fields**

**3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM THE OCTOBER 1, 2019, MEETING**

**4. ELECTION OF THE VICE-CHAIR- Brian Duzan**

- A. Nominations
- B. Discussion
- C. Vote

**5. ELECTION OF THE CHAIR- Newly Elected Vice-Chair**

- A. Nominations
- B. Discussion
- C. Vote

**6. PERMANENT RULEMAKING – OAC 252: OAC 252:641 – "INDIVIDUAL AND SMALL PUBLIC ONSITE SEWAGE TREATMENT SYSTEMS."**

DEQ staff will be proposing to update Chapter 641 to: (1) clarify language; (2) update definitions; (3) evaluate soil test requirements; (4) clarify relationship with plumbing code and DEQ rules; (5) expand rules for aerobic systems to include commercial facilities; (6) require closure plans for small public lagoons; (7) changes to dispersal field requirements; and (8) changes to testing timeframes for certified installers and soil profilers.

- A. Presentation – Nicholas Huber
- B. Discussion by the Council
- C. Discussion by the Public
- D. Additional Discussion by the Council
- E. Vote

**7. PERMANENT RULEMAKING - OAC 252:710 - “WATERWORKS AND WASTEWATER WORKS OPERATOR CERTIFICATION.”**

DEQ staff will be proposing to: (1) change the annual requirement for professional development hours for operators; (2) add reciprocity language from state statute; (3) add a special certification for environmental professionals working with water and wastewater systems; (4) clarify that a registered helper must work under direct supervision and a temporary operator may work alone; and (5) clarify language throughout the text including adding definitions, cleaning up fee schedules, ensuring consistency with Statutes, removing citations to Oklahoma State Department of Health, etc.

- A. Presentation – Mark Hildebrand
- B. Discussion by the Council
- C. Discussion by the Public
- D. Additional Discussion by the Council
- E. Vote

**8. DIRECTOR’S REPORT – Shellie R. Chard**

**9. NEW BUSINESS**

Only those matters not known about and which could not have been reasonably foreseen at the time of the posting of this agenda shall be discussed at this time.

**10. ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Next Scheduled Meeting

**11. ADJOURNMENT**

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