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DIVISION OF WATER QUALITY
UTAH DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
PUBLIC NOTICE OF 2017 WATER QUALITY
STANDARDS TRIENNIAL REVIEW

PURPOSE OF PUBLIC NOTICE

The purpose of this public notice is to declare a public hearing and comment period to solicit public and other stakeholder comments on water quality standards revisions to be considered during the 2017 water quality standards triennial review.

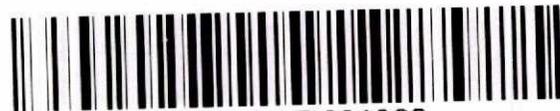
BACKGROUND

To meet our obligations under the Clean Water Act, DWQ is required to review Utah's Water Quality Standards in [Utah Administrative Code R317-2](#) at least once every three years. As part of this review, DWQ is soliciting input from the public and interested parties regarding standards topics to be considered during the review including any specific changes to Utah's Standards of Quality for Waters of the State. When appropriate, the rationale and any supporting information should be included with the recommendations.

The Division of Water Quality will discuss the comments with the Utah Water Quality Standards Workgroup, inform the Utah Water Quality Board at a regularly scheduled meeting, and then issue comment responses. More information, including a list of revisions currently being considered is available <http://www.deq.utah.gov/ProgramsServices/programs/water/wqmanagement/standards/triennialrev.htm>.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Public comments are invited any time prior to the deadline of the close of business on March 22, 2017. Written comments can be submitted to: Chris Bittner, Utah Division of Water Quality, P.O. Box 144870, Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-4870 or by email at: cbittner@utah.gov. Recommendations can also be submitted orally at a public hearing on Monday, March 13, 2014, 6:00-7:00 PM, Room 1015 at the Multi Agency State Office Building, 195 North 1950 West, Salt Lake City, UT.



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