



MISSOURI 2018 SECTION 303(d) IMPAIRED WATERS PUBLIC NOTICE AND HEARING SCHEDULE

Pursuant to Section 303(d) of the federal Clean Water Act, states must biennially submit a list of impaired or threatened waterbodies to the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) during even numbered years. A draft of Missouri's 2018 Section 303(d) Impaired Waters List has been developed by the Missouri Department of Natural Resources and will be available for public consideration and comment.

An opportunity for the public to be heard and provide comments on the draft Missouri 2018 Section 303(d) Impaired Waters List will be held during the Missouri Clean Water Commission meeting scheduled for October 4, 2017 at 10:00 am in the Lewis and Clark State Office Building, 1101 Riverside Drive, Jefferson City, MO 65101.

Public availability meetings for the draft Missouri 2018 Section 303(d) Impaired Waters List and draft 2020 Listing Methodology Document have been scheduled for August 24, 2017 and September 19, 2017 from 9:00 am – 3:00 pm in the Lewis and Clark State Office Building, LaCharrette Conference Room, 1101 Riverside Drive, Jefferson City, MO 65101. These meetings will be opportunities for the public to ask questions in order to inform comments on the draft 303(d) Impaired Waters List and Listing Methodology Document.

Submittal of the list to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is a requirement of the Federal Clean Water Act. The preparation of this list is also subject to the requirements of RSMo Section 644.036.5. A schedule for the Missouri 2018 Section 303(d) Impaired Waters List contains the following milestones:

Public notice of the proposed list	July 3, 2017
Public Availability Meeting #1	August 24, 2017
Public Availability Meeting #2	September 19, 2017
Clean Water Commission Hearing	October 4, 2017
End of Public Notice	October 13, 2017
Response to comments	November 17, 2017
Clean Water Commission Adoption	January 10, 2018
Submittal to EPA on/before	April 1, 2018

Questions on the Public Notice and Hearing Schedule for the draft Missouri 2018 Section 303(d) Impaired Waters List may be directed to John Hoke, Watershed Protection Section, P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, MO 65102-0176 or by email at john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov.