



**Environmental
Protection Agency**

John R. Kasich, Governor
Mary Taylor, Lt. Governor
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Re: Interested Party Review

Design flow and waste strength requirements for treatment works sized for one hundred thousand gallons per day or less.

Ohio Administrative Code Rule (OAC) 3745-42-05

Dear Interested Parties:

This letter is to make you aware of, and solicit your input on, the Agency's draft revisions to the following rule in OAC Chapter 3745-42.

Rule Number	Rule Title	Draft Action
3745-42-05	Design flow and waste strength requirements for treatment works sized for one hundred thousand gallons per day or less.	Amend

The major draft rule changes consist of revising the title of the rule to reflect the rule's applicability to design flow and waste strength, clarification on design of treatment systems that include flow storage and equalization, and insertion of table A-1 as a table in the rule authoring software in lieu of a graphic.

The draft amended rule and a fact sheet explaining the rule revisions are posted on the Ohio EPA website at www.epa.ohio.gov/dsw. If you are unable to access the web page, contact Elizabeth Bailik, Division of Surface Water, at (614) 644-2039 to request a copy. Comments on the rule are due to this Agency by **5:00 p.m. on October 14, 2011**. Comments should be forwarded to:

Ohio EPA, Division of Surface Water
Attn: Rule Coordinator
P.O. Box 1049
Columbus, Ohio 43216-1049
(email: dsw_rulecomments@epa.state.oh.us)

Please direct questions regarding the draft rule to Daniel Kopec at (614) 644-1987.

Sincerely,

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