

**TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND  
CONSERVATION (TDEC) DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES (DWR)**

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Nashville, Tennessee 37243

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

**NOPH24-001**

**January 9, 2024**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN;** the Division of Water Resources will hold a public hearing pursuant to Rule 0400-40-05-.06 (8) on the issuance of the Small MS4 General permit for discharges of urban runoff from small municipal separate storm sewer systems (MS4s).

<b>Date:</b>	<b>February 14, 2024</b>
<b>Time:</b>	<b>11:00-11:30 AM CST, Informal Question and Answer time 11:30-12:00 PM CST, Formal Public Hearing</b>
<b>Meeting Location:</b>	
<b>TDEC William R. Snodgrass - Tennessee Tower 312 Rosa L. Parks Ave. 3rd floor Multi-Media Room Nashville, TN 37243</b>	
<b>Ways to Participate:</b>	
<b>In person (see above for the meeting location) Log in online (see login info below) Call in by phone (see call-in info below)</b>	
<b>Virtual Login Info:</b>	
<b>To access the meeting or join anytime during the Q&amp;A session or the formal public hearing, click on the link or copy the URL to your web browser.</b>	
Microsoft Teams meeting <b>Join on your computer, mobile app or room device</b>	
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Meeting ID: 212 212 129 950 Passcode: gX3Jci <a href="#">Download Teams</a>   <a href="#">Join on the web</a>	
<b>Join with a video conferencing device</b> <a href="mailto:stateoftn@m.webex.com">stateoftn@m.webex.com</a>	
Video Conference ID: 112 923 940 4	
<b>Call-in Information</b>	
<a href="tel:+16292094396">+1 629-209-4396,453953516#</a> United States, Nashville Phone Conference ID: 453 953 516#	

TDEC will receive public comments concerning the proposed permit action described below:

Permit Name: Small MS4 General Permit  
Permit Number: TNS000000  
Permit Writer: Ariel Wessel-Fuss  
Permit Rating: General Permit  
County: Statewide  
Description of Activity: The general permit is to authorize discharges of urban runoff from small municipal separate storm sewer systems (MS4s).  
Receiving Stream: Various waters of the state

The meeting moderator may limit the length of oral comments to allow all parties an opportunity to speak and will require that all comments be relevant to the proposed permit action and the DWR issues. TDEC staff considers written comments accepted at the hearing and through February 28, 2024, to be part of the hearing record. Written comments can be emailed to Ariel Wessel-Fuss at [ariel.wessel-fuss@tn.gov](mailto:ariel.wessel-fuss@tn.gov).

Interested persons may obtain additional information, including a copy of the draft permit by contacting Ariel Wessel-Fuss at [ariel.wessel-fuss@tn.gov](mailto:ariel.wessel-fuss@tn.gov). These documents may also be found on [TDEC's Water Resources Permits data viewer](#).

Individuals with disabilities who wish to participate in these proceedings (or review the file record) should contact TDEC to discuss any auxiliary aids or services needed to facilitate such participation. Contact may be in person, by writing, telephone, or other means, and should be made no later than Wednesday, January 31st, to allow time to provide such aid or services. Contact the ADA Coordinator (1-866-253-5827) for further information. Hearing impaired callers may use the Tennessee Relay Service (1-800-848-0298). If it is hard for you to read, speak, or understand English, TDEC can provide translation or interpretation services free of charge by contacting Brian Canada at 615-532-0660 or [brian.canada@tn.gov](mailto:brian.canada@tn.gov).

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For further information, you may reach Ariel Wessel-Fuss, the permit writer, at 615-532-0642 or [ariel.wessel-fuss@tn.gov](mailto:ariel.wessel-fuss@tn.gov).