



# Notice of Intent to Conduct a Triennial Review of Water Quality Standards

**The public comment period for Nevada Division of Environmental Protections Triennial Review of Water Quality Standards closes February 25<sup>th</sup>, 2011.**

The Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP) is providing notice of its intent to initiate a review of Nevada’s Water Quality Standards (WQS). This review is being conducted to evaluate the need to update or revise the WQS in order to remain consistent with State and federal law and to ensure that Nevada’s WQS continue to reflect the best available science and support sound water quality management policies to improve and protect the water resources of the state.

With this notice the NDEP is soliciting input from all interested parties on any aspect of Nevada’s WQS that a person believes the NDEP should consider for potential revision. Water quality standards for Nevada are contained in the [Nevada Administrative Code \(NAC\), Chapter 445A.118-445A.225.](#) Public comments should include the matter at issue, whether it is currently covered by the WQS, and if so where, any suggested revision and the basis for the suggested revision. Any technical information or reports supporting the comment should be included.

Workshops to discuss WQS and potential revisions will be held at the following locations at the dates and times indicated. The workshops will consist of a brief presentation by NDEP followed by a comment period. The purpose of the workshops is to solicit public comments on Nevada’s water quality standards. No items will be voted on and no actions will be taken. Public comment will be accepted at the workshops and written comments will be accepted until **February 25<sup>th</sup>, 2011.**

<b>Carson City</b>	<b>Las Vegas</b>	<b>Elko</b>
<b>February 07, 2011</b> 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Dept. of Conservation & Natural Resources Richard H. Bryan State Office Building 901 South Stewart Street Multi-Purpose Room 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor Carson City, Nevada 89701-5249	<b>February 09, 2011</b> 1:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Clark County Library Jewel Box Theater 1401 Flamingo Road Las Vegas, Nevada 89119	<b>February 11, 2011</b> 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Elko County Library Meeting Room 720 Court Street Elko, Nevada 89801

Persons with disabilities requiring special accommodations or assistance, or persons unable to attend these workshops, but desiring information on the regulations or to submit written comments, please contact:

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