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DNR enforcement actions

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DES MOINES – DNR staff work with individuals, businesses and communities to help them protect our natural resources by complying with state and federal laws. This approach is very effective. In the few cases where compliance cannot be achieved, the DNR issues enforcement actions. The following list summarizes recent enforcement actions. Find the entire, original orders on DNR's website at www.iowadnr.gov/EnforcementActions.

Administrative Orders

Responsible parties have 30 days to appeal the order or 60 days to pay the penalty.

Emmet County

Michael Matthews

Cease all illegal solid waste disposal and all illegal open burning and pay a \$4,630.00 administrative penalty.

Scott County

Cities of Bettendorf, Davenport, Panorama Park, and Riverdale

Joint Use of Sanitary Sewers and Sewage Disposal Facilities between the cities.

Amendment #2 for 13-WW-07 amends the construction completion date.

Air Quality permits under review

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DES MOINES – The DNR Air Quality Bureau has the following draft permits up for review. The permits help protect Iowans' health and air quality. DNR's permitting staff review each permit application to ensure facilities comply with state and federal air quality requirements. We encourage public comments on draft permits, providing help on how to [make effective comments](#). Submit written comments to the assigned permit writer before 4:30 p.m. on the last day of the comment period. DNR considers public comments before finalizing the permits.

Title V Operating Permits

Title V Operating permits are reviewed and re-issued every five years. Facilities with a Title V permit have the potential to emit large amounts of air pollutants compared to other facilities. The five-year reviews are a federal requirement and ensure adequate monitoring is included in the permit. The DNR plans to issue Title V Operating Permits for the following facilities. Find permit details at www.iowadnr.gov/titlev-draft.

Black Hawk County

John Deere Foundry Waterloo – 2000 Westfield Avenue, Waterloo.

The application was submitted to operate their existing Gray and Ductile Iron Foundries facility. The public comment period ends Nov. 2.