IDAPA 58 – DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

58.01.06 – SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT RULES

DOCKET NO. 58-0106-2601

NOTICE OF INTENT TO PROMULGATE RULES – NEGOTIATED RULEMAKING

AUTHORITY: In compliance with Section 67-5220, Idaho Code, notice is hereby given that this agency intends to promulgate a rule and desires public participation before publishing a proposed rule. This rulemaking action is authorized by Sections 39-105, 39-107, 39-7424, and 39-7425, Idaho Code.

MEETING SCHEDULE: A negotiated rulemaking meeting has been scheduled. Details, including a Microsoft Teams meeting link for this meeting, and any additional meeting dates will be posted at: Solid Waste: Docket No. 58-0106-2601 | Idaho Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ).

Monday July 13, 2026
2:00 p.m. MT

DEQ State Office
Conference Room B
1410 N. Hilton
Boise, ID 83706

Microsoft Teams meeting
Join: https://teams.microsoft.com/meet/28429807548570?p=WX4DGtuLSYn4zRI7H1
Meeting ID: 284 298 075 485 70
Passcode: Zu7dv7Zu

Dial in by phone
+1 208-985-2810,,170017399# United States, Boise
Find a local number
Phone conference ID: 170 017 399#

The meeting location will be accessible to persons with disabilities, and language translators will be made available upon request. Requests must be made no later than five (5) business days prior to the meeting date. For arrangements contact the undersigned.

METHOD OF PARTICIPATION: Those interested in participating in the negotiated rulemaking process are encouraged to attend the scheduled meeting. For those who cannot participate by attending the meeting, information for submission of written comments is provided at the end of this notice.

DESCRIPTIVE SUMMARY: The 2026 Legislature adopted H555 which removes solid waste regulatory responsibility from public health districts and assigns it to DEQ for provisions within the Idaho Solid Waste Facilities Act, Title 39, Chapter 74, Idaho Code. Transferred responsibilities include enforcing solid waste management operations; review and approval of operations, closure, post-closure, and corrective action plans; and the establishment and collection of fees.

This negotiated rulemaking is limited in scope to the assessment and collection of the fees H555 directs DEQ to establish by rule.

ASSISTANCE ON TECHNICAL QUESTIONS: For assistance on questions concerning this rulemaking, contact Amanda Henderson amanda.henderson@deq.idaho.gov, (208) 528-2620, or Ben Jarvis at ben.jarvis@deq.idaho.gov, (208) 373-0146.

SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: Information regarding public comment opportunities provided throughout the rulemaking process will be available at: Solid Waste: Docket No. 58-0106-2601 | Idaho Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ).

Anyone may submit written comments regarding this negotiated rulemaking. All written comments must be directed to the undersigned and must be delivered on or before July 20, 2026.

Dated this 1st day of July, 2026.

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