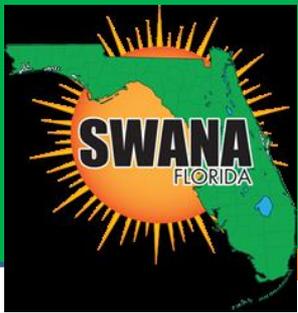




REGULATORY UPDATES

- Conversation with Cory Dilmore, PE; Environmental Administrator FDEP Permitting and Compliance Assistance Program
- Information on what we should expect for 2017
- Asked 6 questions to highlight the most important topics including:
 - ❖ Regulatory priorities for coming year
 - ❖ Rulemaking and policy workshops
 - ❖ Recent issues and challenges
 - ❖ Innovative projects
 - ❖ New staff
 - ❖ Future guidance memorandums



Regulatory Priorities

What are some of the regulatory priorities that you think will need to be addressed, discussed, and/or reviewed in 2017?

- ✓ NEW Subpart XXX NSPS and Subpart Cf for Landfills
- ✓ Ensuring landfill expansions are addressed early
- ✓ FDEP Solid Waste to provide information to DARM to make sure those facilities are tracked and the right information is submitted; sharing annual site life reports
- ✓ Very helpful if applicants could provide information in the Facility Description addressing the applicability to DARM rules and current status of the facility
- ✓ Intent is to help the permittee meet the rule requirements and submit the information needed



Rulemaking and Policy

Are there any rulemaking or policy workshops being planned that our members should look out for in 2017?

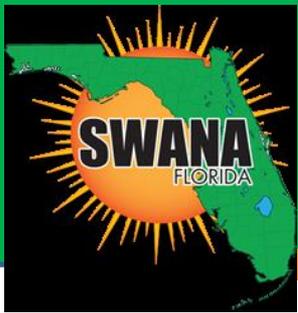
- ✓ Rule 62-711, FAC will be opened this year for revision
- ✓ Will most likely require Rule 62-701 to be opened to revise definitions and forms as needed based on the Rule 62-711 changes
- ✓ Address small waste tire processing most likely in regard to requirements for reporting and financial assurance with amounts less than \$10,000
- ✓ Impact to small tire generators/collectors such as tire shops
- ✓ FDEP assembling TAG and look for workshops scheduled this year



Permitting Issues and Challenges

What have been some of the recent permitting issues or challenges that you would like to make sure applicants address in their initial submittals to try to smooth the permitting process?

- ✓ Preapp, Preapp, Preapp! - Stressed the benefits of having a preapplication meeting
- ✓ Email Cory Dilmore and/or El Kromhout requesting a preapplication meeting with a short project description and location and they will get the right people together for the meeting
- ✓ Helps reduce RAIs and clarifies roles/responsibilities early on



Innovative Projects

Are there any innovative projects that have been recently approved in permitting that our members should review as possibilities for their facilities?

- ✓ New Closure Systems
- ✓ Exposed Geomembrane Covers (EGCs) with artificial turf are being discussed
- ✓ Department believes these serve as a long-term cover rather than final cover due to omission of protective cover soil and vegetation
- ✓ New projects using EGCs being granted Alternate Procedures (Rule 62-701.310, FAC) for EGCs as final cover:
 - New River – permit issued
 - Polk County – entering alternate procedure process



New Staff Announcements

Are there any new staff in the Permitting and Compliance Assistance office that you would like us to mention at the conference?

- ✓ Several new staff members have joined the Permitting and Compliance Office including:
 - Joe Dertien, PE – Technical Review
 - Mohammad Sayemuzzaman (Sayem), Ph.D., EI – Technical Review
 - Koren Taylor, P.G. – Permitting Northwest and Northeast Districts
- ✓ Working on keeping the same staff working in the same geographical areas and facilities for consistency with technical reviewers floating to all the projects
- ✓ New staff listing will be posted on website soon with these updates



New Guidance Memos

Do you anticipate any new guidance memorandums coming in 2017 that we should look out for?

- ✓ Financial Assurance Closure Cost Estimate Guidance may be coming soon!
- ✓ Help address some of the more common cost estimate preparation issues that have come up including:
 - Incomplete estimate – what to make sure to provide
 - Unit Prices – are they complete and comprehensive; include all work to complete that component of the project. For example soils...
 - Current FDOT unit prices are acceptable
 - Age of unit prices, if more than a few years old consider getting a new unit price instead of continue to use inflation factor adjustments
 - Make sure remaining life is current and consistent with the annual site life report for the facility
 - Verify acreages are consistent
 - Watch out for 2D versus 3D quantities – Account for slopes!
- ✓ Onsite Soils – restrictive covenants
 - Coordinate closely with OGC on language
 - Ashanti McBride is current contact at OGC replacing Toni Sturtevant



Other Happenings...

- ✓ A new look to the Permitting and Compliance website is coming in the next few months – updated to look more like Water Resources web pages
- ✓ More of the referenced documents will be redirected to Oculus

In Conclusion...

- FDEP Permitting and Compliance Assistance staff are here to help
- Schedule those Preapplication Meetings!
- Look to see more of them at our upcoming conferences for updates



UPCOMING EVENTS



**SWANA Florida Sunshine Chapter
Road-E-O 2017 – April 28-29**

Hosted by the City of Lakeland

Headquarters Hotel:
Hilton Garden Inn Lakeland

Competition Sites:
Lakeland Linder Regional Airport (Trucks and Mechanics)
Polk County Landfill (Heavy Equipment)



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Summer Conference in 2017 in the beautiful
Sanibel Harbour Marriot Resort
July 23 – 25, 2017

FDEP Research Colloquium as part of program!