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System overview

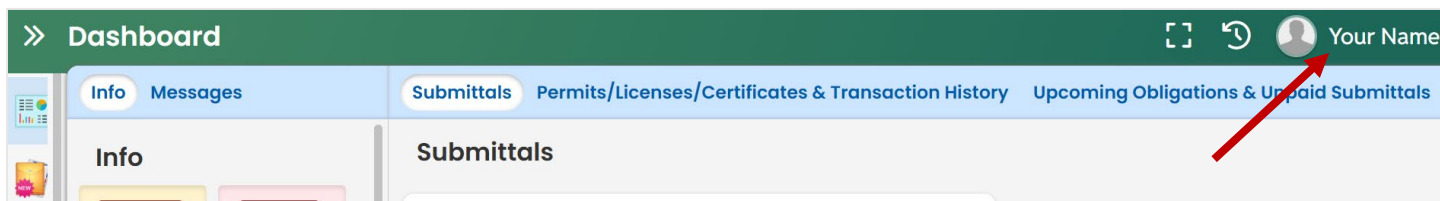
The Oregon Department of Environmental Quality has instituted the use of a modernized, cloud-based tool for a selection of compliance programs within the agency and several business processes that involve the public and regulated entities.

[Your DEQ Online](#) is an Environmental Data Management System designed to combine current DEQ processes across air, land and water divisions in one convenient and easily accessible portal. The system enables users to submit applications, upload reports, enter data, check the status of applications, pay fees or fines, and manage account activity. In addition, the system allows for greater public access to environmental data without the need to request this information from DEQ staff.

Getting started in YDO

To apply for a solid waste disposal site permit, you must have a Responsible Official account and have the Solid Waste submittal group selected. If you already have this account type and submittal group selected, you can skip to the next section. If you do not already have a Responsible Official account, the [Public Account Registration and Management Guide](#) has instructions to create one. For additional information and tools, visit [Your DEQ Online Account Registration](#) website.

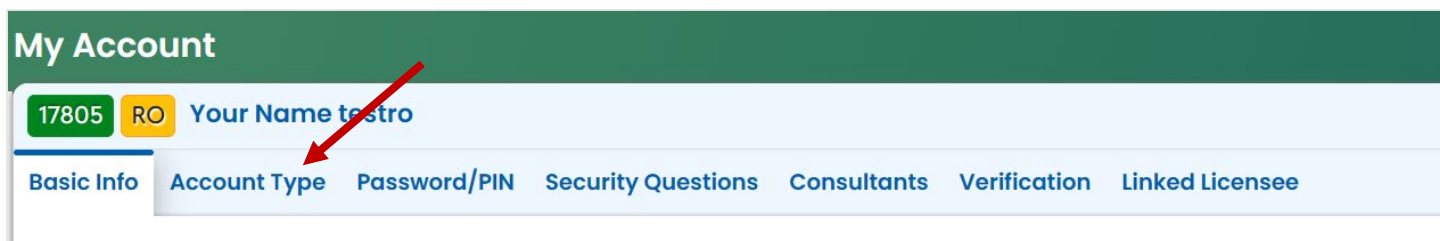
To add Solid Waste to an existing account, click your name in the top right corner.



In the panel that opens, click the Go to my account icon 



Click the Account Type tab



Scroll down to the Submittal Groups section, check the Solid Waste box and click the Save icon .

Basic Info	Account Type	Password/PIN	Security Questions	Consultants	Verification	Linked Licensee
☐ 8 Asbestos	☐ 3 CAFO	☐ 4 Cleaner Air Oregon				
☐ 3 Cleanup and Site Remediation	☐ 8 Climate Protection Program *	☐ 1 Gasoline Transporter				
☐ 5 General NPDES Domestic	☐ 17 General NPDES Industrial	☐ 4 General NPDES Mining				
☐ 5 General WPCF Domestic	☐ 10 General WPCF Industrial	☐ 5 Greenhouse Gas Reporting *				
☐ 13 Hazardous Waste	☐ 8 Heating Oil Tank	☐ 16 Individual NPDES Domestic				
☐ 7 Individual NPDES Industrial	☐ 14 Individual WPCF Domestic	☐ 7 Individual WPCF Industrial				
☐ 6 Leaking Underground Storage Tank	☐ 10 MS4 - Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System	☐ 7 NPDES- Stormwater (Construction)				
☐ 23 NPDES- Stormwater (Industrial)	☐ 3 NPDES: Public Agencies Only 1200-CA *	☐ 2 Sewage Disposal Service License				
☒ 31 Solid Waste	☐ 3 Third-Party Verification *	☐ 8 UIC - Underground Injection Control				
☐ 21 Underground Storage Tank	☐ 2 Wastewater Operator Certificate	☐ 6 WPCF - Onsite				



Introduction

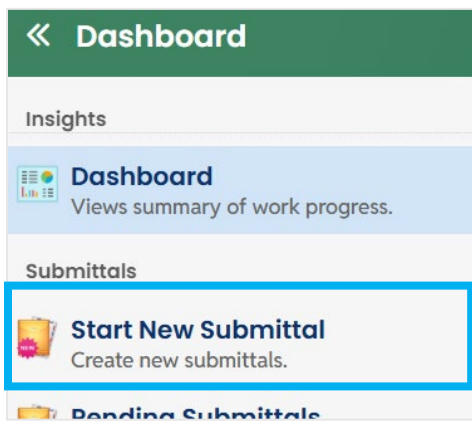
This document provides information necessary for completing the DEQ-approved solid waste disposal site permit application for a sludge lagoon in [Your DEQ Online](#). The information in this user guide is for a new sludge lagoon. If you need to amend (modification) or terminate your current DEQ-approved sludge lagoon permit, contact your [regional permit coordinator](#).

1. New permit application instructions

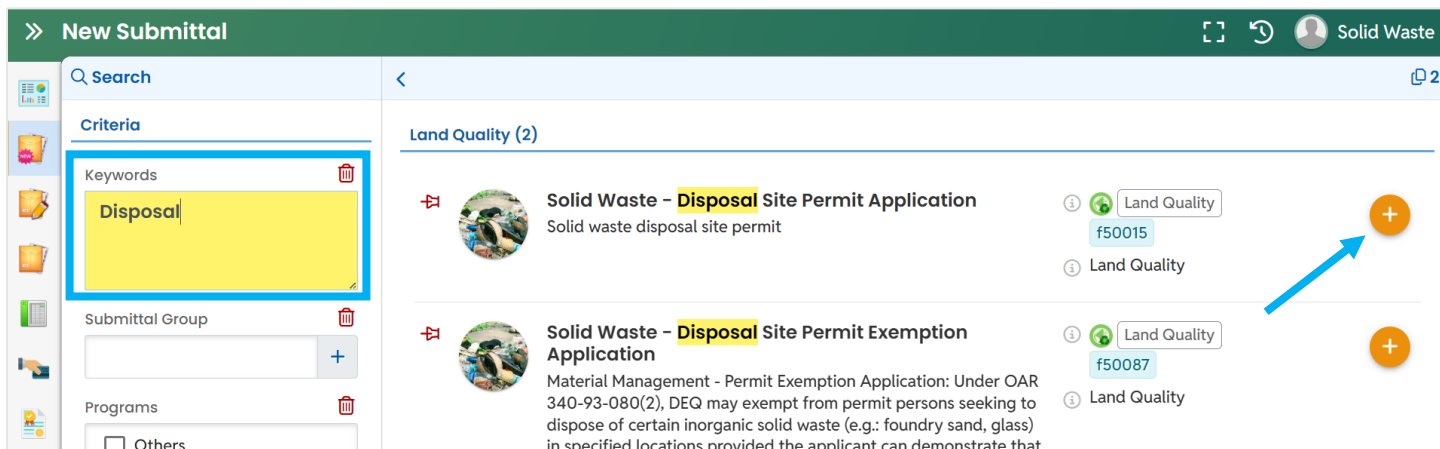
1.1 How to find the Solid Waste-Disposal Site Permit Application

Login to your account on the [Your DEQ Online Public Portal](#).

In the top left-hand corner of the Dashboard, click the menu icon  to the left of “Dashboard”. Click the Start New Submittal icon  to create a new submittal.



In the Keywords section, type in the first letters of the submittal form you want to fill out. For this submittal DEQ recommends “Disposal”. Once your submittal form has appeared, click the Create New Application icon  on the right side of the screen.



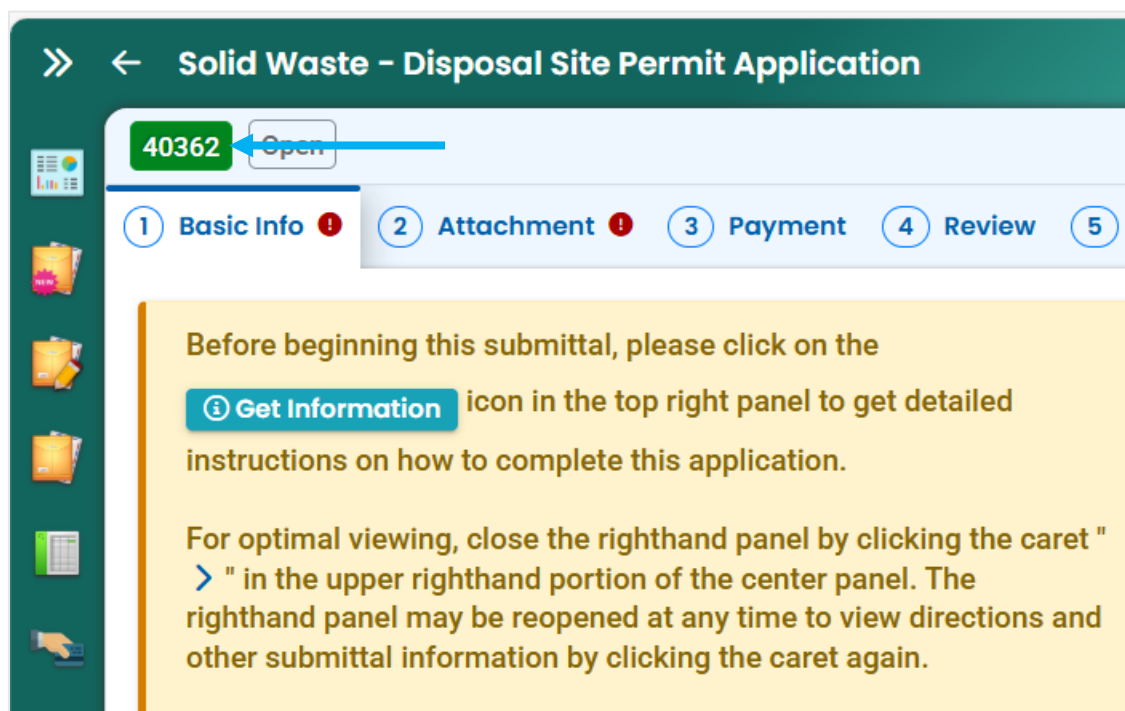
1.2 Important things to know before you start your application

The system uses a lot of icons. If you're curious about what an icon means, hover over it with your cursor.

Unsaved entries will be lost. To avoid losing your work, click the Save icon  (bottom right) frequently and before leaving the submittal.

Take note of the Submittal ID number. After clicking the Save icon  the submittal will be assigned a unique Submittal ID number . It is in the top left corner.

How to find submittals you are still working on. If you leave this submittal at any time after clicking the Save icon  and before submitting, you will need to open the Pending Submittals module (directly below Start New Submittal) and search for the Submittal ID number  in the top left corner to continue.



1.3 Basic info tab

These instructions are for completing the Basic Info tab for a solid waste disposal site permit application for a new sludge lagoon application site.

1.3.1 Type of permit requested section

Select the Sludge Lagoon button:

Type of Permit Requested

Type of Permit Requested?

☐ Composting or Anaerobic Digestion Facility ☐ Conversion Technology Facility ☐ Landfill
☐ Incineration or Energy Recovery Facility ☐ Solid Waste Letter Authorization (Short-term Project Only) ☒ Sludge Lagoon
☐ Solid Waste Treatment Facility ☐ Sludge Land Application Site
☐ Transfer Station, Material Recovery Facility, Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility, and Limited Sort Facility
☐ Commingled Recycling Processing Facility

 Required

1.3.2 Applicant information section

Permits issued under this application are issued to the applicant. The applicant must be the owner of the facility or the owner's agent or the lessee responsible for the operation and maintenance of the facility.

Reference: [OAR 340-093-0070\(1\)](#).

What is the applicant ownership type?

- Government
- Registered Business – If selected, you will be required to provide your [Oregon Secretary of State](#) business registry number. The number provided must match the number found on the SOS page. DEQ recommends copying and pasting from this site.
- Individual – An example includes a private residence.
- Other – If the applicant does not fit into the above scenarios, select “Other” and briefly describe their ownership type.

Applicant Information

What is the Applicant ownership type?

☐ Government ☐ Registered Business ☐ Individual ☐ Other

 Required.

Applicant legal name

Permits issued under this application are issued to the applicant. The applicant must be the owner of the facility or the owner's agent or the lessee responsible for the operation and maintenance of the facility.

Reference: [OAR 340-093-0070\(1\)](#).

If the legal name is for a registered business, the name provided must match the “entity name” listed with the [Oregon Secretary of State](#). DEQ recommends copying and pasting the legal entity name directly from their site.

Solid waste disposal site permits are issued to the name provided in the applicant legal name field.

Applicant Legal Name

 Required.

Provide the name and contact information for the person that you would like DEQ to contact if additional information about your application is needed.

Contact Information for questions regarding this application

First Name

 Required.

M.I.

Last Name

 Required.

Email

 Required.

Phone

000-000-0000x00000

 Required.

Mobile

000-000-0000



1.3.3 Applicant mailing address section

This is the mailing address for the Applicant. DEQ will use it for any mailed correspondence. It will also be referenced in the permit.

Applicant Mailing Address

Country

☒ United States

☐ Canada

☐ Other

Address

 Required.

Building, Unit, Suite, or Floor #

City

 Required.

State

OR (Oregon)

Zip Code

00000-0000

 Required.

Is the applicant the same as the real property owner?

If the Applicant also owns the land that the facility is located on, select Yes. Otherwise, select No.

Is the Applicant the Same as the Real Property Owner?

☐ Yes ☐ No

 Required

1.3.4 Facility information section

If you are applying for a permit at a facility that already has a DEQ solid waste PLC (permit, notification, or determination), and you have the appropriate [Facility Group Permission](#), use the Select your facility button and instructions below. Otherwise, you will need to select Create New Facility and skip to [Create new facility instructions](#).

Facility Information

☒ Select your facility ☐ Create new facility

Select your facility instructions:

To select your facility, click the dropdown and then click on the correct facility. If you have several facilities linked to your account, DEQ recommends typing in a partial street address to narrow the search results. In the example below, DEQ entered “400”.

Facility Information

☒ Select your site ☐ Create new site

Select your site (project site)

 **Example DEQ Permitted Solid Waste Facility** 311806
400 E Scenic Dr, The Dalles, OR 97058

Q 400

Example DEQ Permitted Solid Waste Facility 400 E Scenic Dr, The Dalles, OR 97058 311806

The County will automatically populate.

Select your site (project site)

 **Example DEQ Permitted Solid Waste Facility** 311806
400 E Scenic Dr, The Dalles, OR 97058

County

Wasco (Eastern)

Create new facility instructions

The Facility Name provided must match the legal name of the Applicant. If the legal name is for a registered business, the name provided must match the “entity name” listed with the [Oregon Secretary of State](#). DEQ recommends copying and pasting from their site. Provide the email and phone number for the person that you would like DEQ to contact if they have questions regarding this facility. Fields not required: Abbreviation, Is the facility located on Native American Lands (if unsure), Fax, and Number of Employees.

If the Facility has a common name, business name, or dba, include it in the comments field. If the Facility common name is a registered business, the name provided must match the “entity name” listed with the [Oregon Secretary of State](#). DEQ recommends copying and pasting from their site.

Facility Information

☐ Select your site ☒ Create new site

New Site Information

Site Name

Required.

Abbreviation

Is the site located on Native American Lands?

Email
Required and Check the Email Format.

Phone
Required and Check the Phone Number Format.

Fax

Number of Employees

Comments

(Remaining Length: 4)

Mailing address

This is the mailing address for the facility.

Mailing Address

Country
☒ United States ☐ Canada

Address
Required.

Building, Unit, Suite, or Floor #

City
Required.

State

Zip Code
Required.

Physical location

This is the address of the facility. If the physical address is the same as the mailing address, click the Copy from Mailing Address icon. Click the dropdown and select the appropriate county.

Physical Location

Use the map to auto-populate latitude and longitude.

Copy from Mailing Address

Country

☒ United States ☐ Canada

Address

Building, Unit, Suite, or Floor #

City

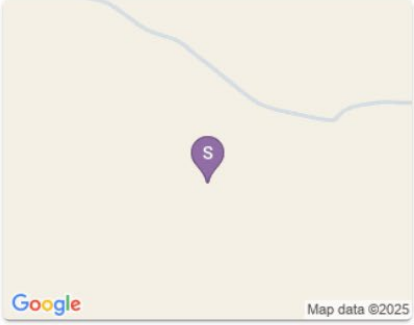
State

Zip Code

Latitude

Longitude

County (Region)





1.3.5 Additional facility information section

The Township, Range, Section and Tax Lot#(s) covered in the LUCS. If there is more than one TRS, include it in the tax lot field.

Additional Facility Information

Township

Range

Section

Tax Lot #

Required.

Required.

Required.

Required.

1.3.6 Property owner information section

The real property owner is the owner of the land that the facility is located on. The legal name of the real property owner provided must match local government records.

Property Owner Information

Real Property Owner Legal Name

Required.

Real Property Owner Contact Information

Salutation

First Name

M.I.

Last Name

Required.

Required.

Title

Email

Required.

Phone

Mobile

Fax

000-000-0000x00000

Required.

000-000-0000

000-000-0000

Real Property Owner Contact Mailing Address

Country

☒ United States

☐ Canada

☐ Other

Address

Building, Unit, Suite, or Floor #

Required.

City

State

Zip Code

Required.

OR (Oregon)

00000-0000

Required.

1.3.7 Site operator information section

The legal name provided must match the “entity name” listed with the [Oregon Secretary of State](#). DEQ recommends copying and pasting from their site.

Site Operator Information

Site Operator Legal Name

Required.

Site Operator Contact Information

First Name

Required.

M.I.

Last Name

Required.

Title

Email

Required.

Phone

Required.

Mobile

Fax

Site Operator Mailing Address

Country
☒ United States ☐ Canada ☐ Other

Address

Required.

Building, Unit, Suite, or Floor #

City

Required.

State

Zip Code

Required.

1.3.8 Additional information section

Will this facility be open to the public?

If an individual from the public can bring septage, sewage sludge, or any other sludge to the site for it to be put in the lagoon, then select Yes. Otherwise, select No.

Do you currently have or anticipate having any DEQ Permits/Licenses/Certificates?

This includes any permit, license, or certificate needed from DEQ to operate the facility (example: stormwater permit). Select Yes if you have any of these.

Do you currently have or anticipate having any non-DEQ Permits/Licenses/Certificates?

This includes any permit, license, or certificate needed from other state agencies or local governments to operate the facility (example: Conditional Use Permit). Select Yes if you have any of these.

Additional Information

Will this facility be open to the public?

☐ Yes ☐ No

 Required

Do you currently have, or anticipate having any DEQ Permits/Licenses/Certificates?

☐ Yes ☐ No

 Required

Do you currently have, or anticipate having any non-DEQ Permits/Licenses/Certificates?

☐ Yes ☐ No

 Required

1.3.9 Estimated start date section

The estimated start date is the date you plan to start operations at your facility.

Estimated Start Date

Estimated facility start date?

 Required

1.3.10 Facility type section

Select the subtype of facility you are applying for.

Facility Type

☐ Municipal ☐ Industrial – Captive ☐ Industrial – Not captive

 Required

1.3.11 Wastes accepted section

Select the waste types the facility would like approval to accept.

Wastes Accepted

☐ Septage ☐ Sewage Sludge ☐ Other Sludge

 Required

1.3.12 Disposal amounts section

Enter the estimated amount of solid waste your facility will receive each year, in tons.

Disposal Amounts

How many tons of solid waste do you estimate your facility will receive each year?

tons

 Required

At this point, all sections within the Basic Info tab should be complete. Click the Save icon . If the red warning icon  still appears next to Basic Info tab, review sections to ensure all required information has been entered.

1.4 Attachment tab

Go to the Attachment tab to attach all required attachments to the submittal.

In the right-hand panel of the screen, there is a list of required and optional attachments. A red asterisk * next to an attachment indicates that it is required.

1 Basic Info 2 Attachment 3 Payment 4 Review 5 Submission

Instruction

Make sure you upload all required (*) attachments. Please refer to side panel on the right for more detailed information.

When uploading an attachment, first click the file record and select a document type option for the uploaded file. If you want to mail the documents to the authorized agency, please navigate to the Review tab and use the "Mail To" checkbox.

Click to Upload or Drag Files Over Here

Attachment Types

* represents required attachments.

* Adjacent Property Owners

List of adjacent property owners

gif jpg jpeg png pdf doc docx xls xlsx

Each attached document must be:

- labeled with a document type
- a file type (PDF, excel, etc.) listed in the right-hand navigation pane

NOTE: If you are experiencing issues uploading or attaching your document, contact your [regional permit coordinator](#) for assistance.

There are two ways to add attachment(s):

- Click to Upload or Drag Files Over Here bar which opens a document detail box that allows you to select a document(s) to attach/upload; or
- Drag and Drop the files anywhere on the Attachment Tab page.

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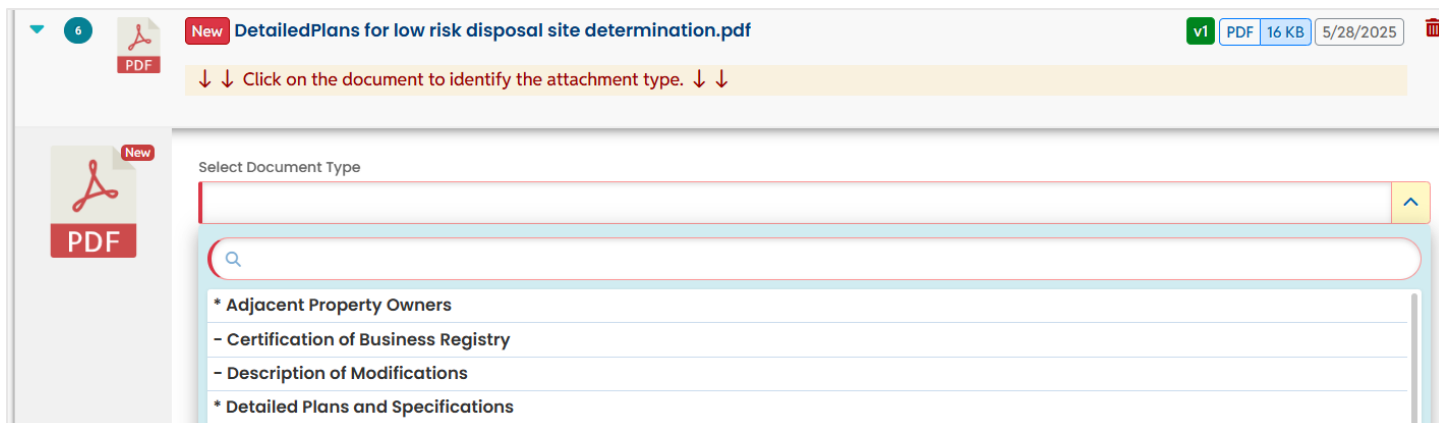
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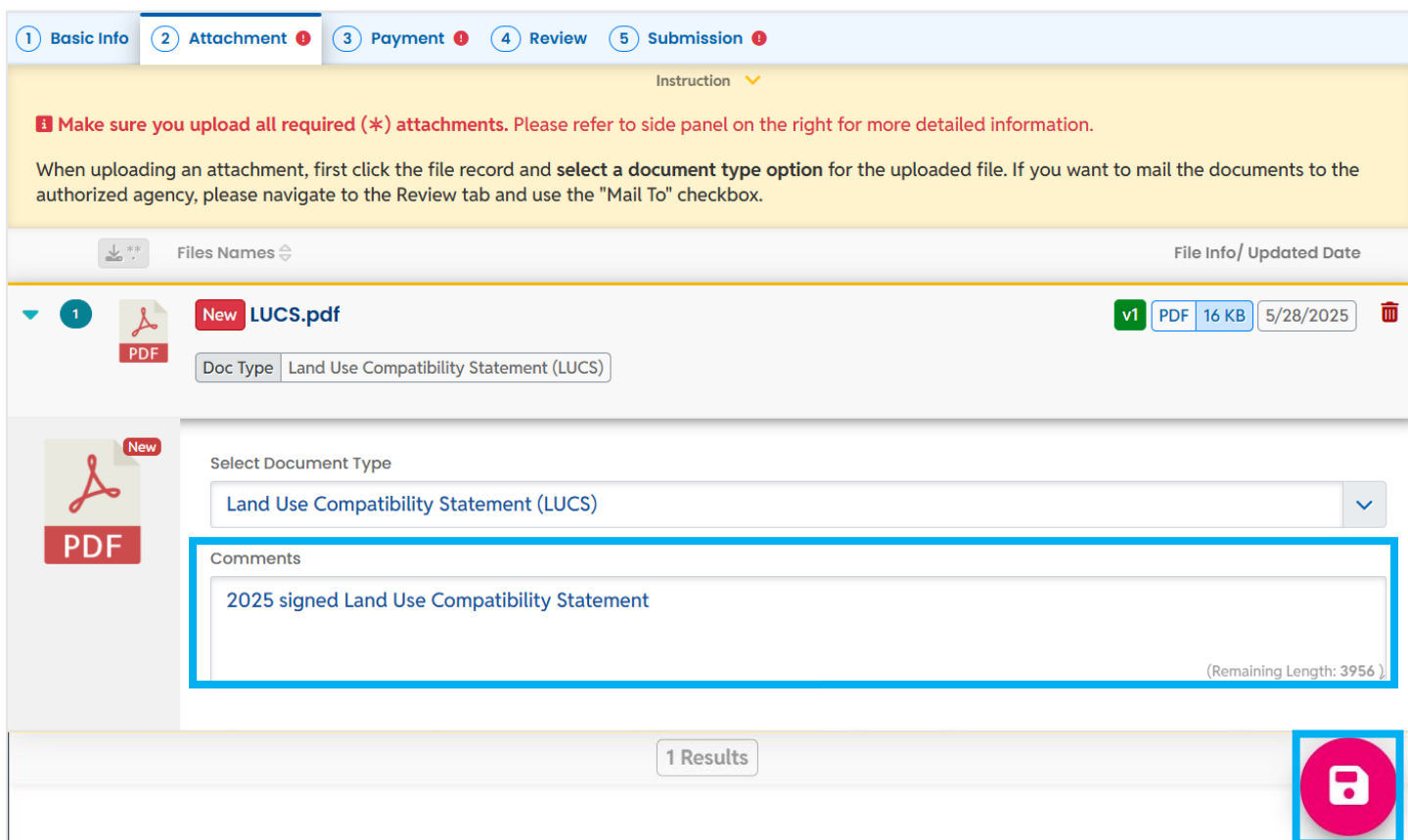
Click to Upload or Drag Files Over Here

Once uploaded, click on the document and a “Select Document Type” dropdown will appear. Click on the dropdown for a list of document types.



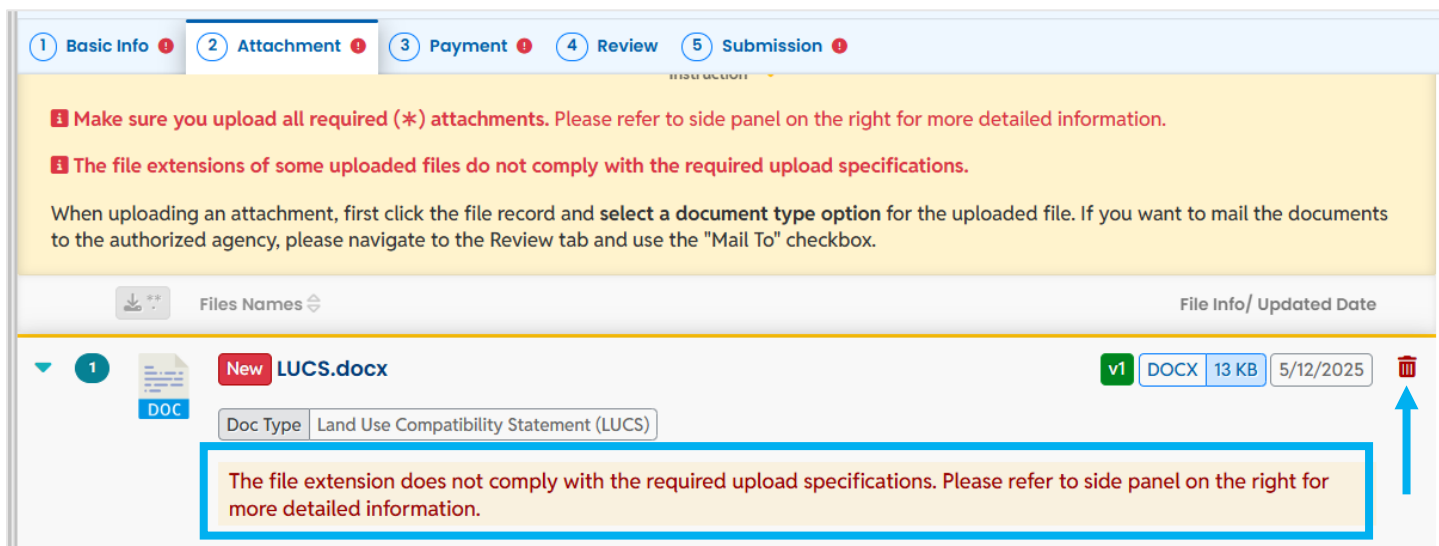
The screenshot shows a web interface for uploading documents. At the top, a file named "DetailedPlans for low risk disposal site determination.pdf" is listed with a PDF icon, a "New" tag, and metadata (v1, PDF, 16 KB, 5/28/2025). Below the file list is a yellow instruction bar: "Click on the document to identify the attachment type." Below this is a "Select Document Type" dropdown menu. The dropdown is open, showing a search bar and a list of document types: "* Adjacent Property Owners", "- Certification of Business Registry", "- Description of Modifications", and "* Detailed Plans and Specifications".

Enter a brief description of the document in the “Comments” field and click the Save icon  at the bottom right of the screen to successfully upload the attachment.



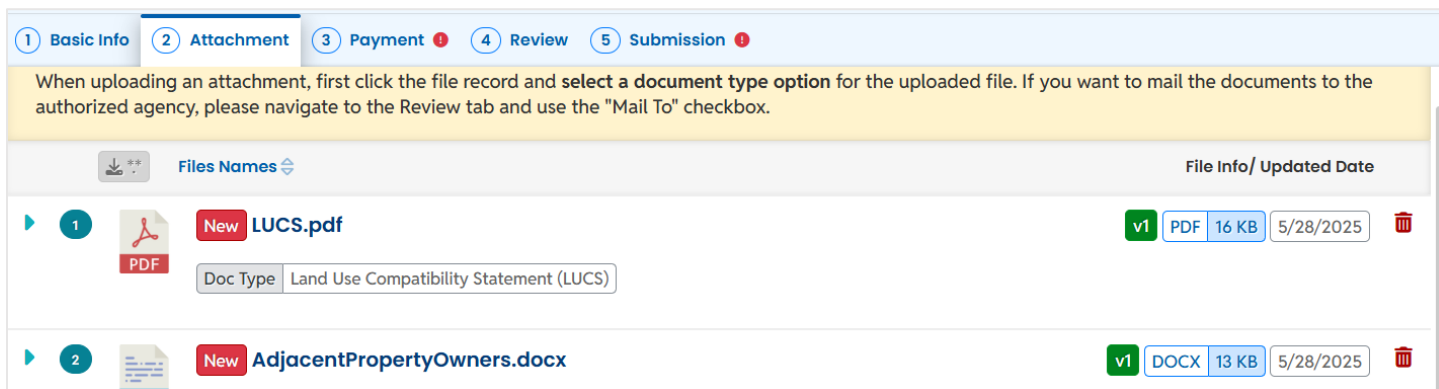
The screenshot shows the same web interface, but now a file named "LUCS.pdf" is listed with a PDF icon, a "New" tag, and metadata (v1, PDF, 16 KB, 5/28/2025). Below the file list is a yellow instruction bar with a red warning icon and text: "Make sure you upload all required (*) attachments. Please refer to side panel on the right for more detailed information." Below this is a text box with instructions: "When uploading an attachment, first click the file record and select a document type option for the uploaded file. If you want to mail the documents to the authorized agency, please navigate to the Review tab and use the 'Mail To' checkbox." Below the instructions is a table with columns "Files Names" and "File Info/ Updated Date". Below the table is a "Select Document Type" dropdown menu. The dropdown is open, showing a search bar and a list of document types: "Land Use Compatibility Statement (LUCS)". Below the dropdown is a "Comments" text box with the text "2025 signed Land Use Compatibility Statement" and a "(Remaining Length: 3956)" indicator. At the bottom right of the screen is a red "Save" icon.

NOTE: If you have saved a document with an incorrect document type or format, you will have to delete the document using the Delete icon  on the upper right and re-attach the document to select the correct document type.



The screenshot shows the 'Attachment' tab in a permit application system. At the top, there are five tabs: 'Basic Info', 'Attachment', 'Payment', 'Review', and 'Submission'. The 'Attachment' tab is active. Below the tabs, there are two red warning messages: 'Make sure you upload all required (*) attachments. Please refer to side panel on the right for more detailed information.' and 'The file extensions of some uploaded files do not comply with the required upload specifications.' Below these messages, there is a table of uploaded files. The first file is 'LUCS.docx', which is a DOCX file, 13 KB, and was uploaded on 5/12/2025. A red warning icon is visible next to the file name. Below the file name, there is a dropdown menu for 'Doc Type' with 'Land Use Compatibility Statement (LUCS)' selected. A red box highlights the warning message: 'The file extension does not comply with the required upload specifications. Please refer to side panel on the right for more detailed information.'

Once the required attachments are uploaded, labeled and saved, the red warning icon  will disappear. You may repeat this process to add any optional or supplementary attachments.



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NOTE: If you think your attachment meets the criteria of Conditionally Exempt from Disclosure under ORS 192.345, you must review and follow agency guidance. Contact your [regional permit coordinator](#) for more information.

NOTE: To [mail](#), [email](#), or [FTP](#) the documents to DEQ, go to the Review tab and check the "Mail To" box.

1 Basic Info

2 Attachment

3 Payment

4 Review

5 Submission

Mandatory Attachment

Missing required attachment.

☐ Select All Mail to

* Adjacent Property Owners

List of adjacent property owners

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jpg

jpeg

png

pdf

doc

☐ Mail to

Uploaded Attachment

No record.

1.5 Payment tab

For a new submittal, click the Save icon  to confirm the fee amount before you continue.

Additional payment resources

- [Payments for Submittals User Guide](#) (step-by-step instructions)
- [Your DEQ Online Payments](#) (main YDO payment page)

1 Basic info2 Attachment3 Payment4 Review5 Submission

Please complete the payment process.

DEQ adds a 4% technology fee to every fee payment processed through YDO.

FeeServicePaidDue

\$ 5,000.00 + \$ 200.00 - \$ 0.00 = \$ 5,200.00

Pay Amount Due

FeesPayment Transactions

Technology Fee

Additional Fee

The technology fee applies to payments made to invoices and program submittal charges in Your DEQ Online to cover annual costs of operating and maintaining the system.

\$ 200.00

Application Processing Fee

Permit/License/Certificate Fee

Application Processing Fee

\$ 5,000.00

No payment transaction records.

2 Results



1.6 Review tab

Review your submittal information and any attachments provided. If a red warning icon  is present next to the Basic Info Tab, Attachment Tab, or Payment Tab, return to those tabs and make the necessary changes to remove the red warning icon . If you are unable to find the issue, contact your [regional permit coordinator](#).

1 Basic Info 

2 Attachment

3 Payment 

4 Review

5 Submission 

Please review your submittal info and any attachments provided.
If needed, please click on the Basic Info Tab or Attachment Tab to make changes to your submission.

Submittal Form(s) Summary

Click on the print icon () to view/save/print the submittal data entry form.
Please see the data validation result below to see if the "required" data are entered.

✖ Basic Info

Fees/Payments

Fee		Service		Paid		Due
\$ 5,000.00	+	\$ 200.00	-	\$ 0.00	=	\$ 5,200.00

1.7 Submission tab

Review the Certification Statement and check the box to confirm that you have read and agree to its terms. Then click Submit at the bottom of the Submission tab to complete your facility’s permit application.

1 Basic Info2 Attachment3 Payment4 Review5 Submission

Certification Statement

I hereby certify the information submitted and contained in this application and the documents I have attached, are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

☐ I have read and agree to the above certification statement

Required.

Security Precautions

To prevent your information from being used inappropriately, we maintain stringent system safeguards as well as physical and administrative protection. In addition, the security safeguards are also powered by VeriSign’s Certificates. Once we provide you with a password, you are responsible for maintaining the confidentiality of the password. Please note that access to these links, irrespective of the issuance of the User ID and Password, may be terminated by our discretion at any time.

Disclaimer

The system, its agencies, officers, or employees protect your confidential information. However personally identifiable information privacy is a new and evolving area, and despite dedicated efforts, some mistakes and misunderstandings may result. The visitor proceeds to any external sites at their own risk. The development company specifically disclaims any and all liabilities from damages which may result from accessing the website, or from reliance upon any such information.

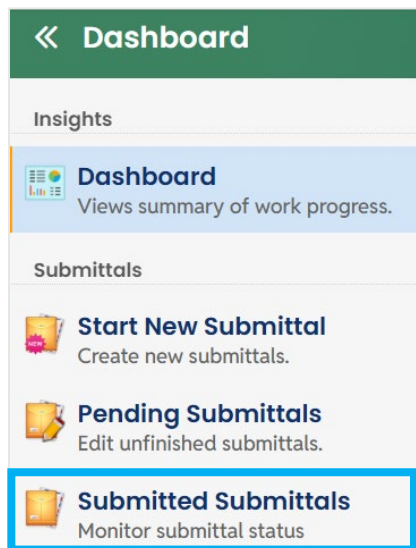
Submit



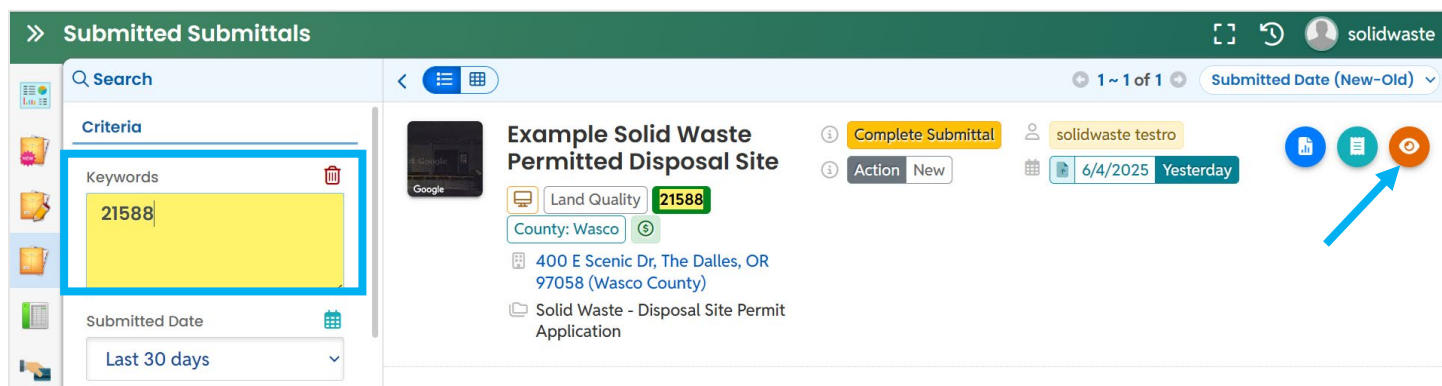
1.8 Finding your submittal in YDO

After submitting your application in YDO, you will receive an automated Submission Received email from yourdeqonline@govonlineaas.com.

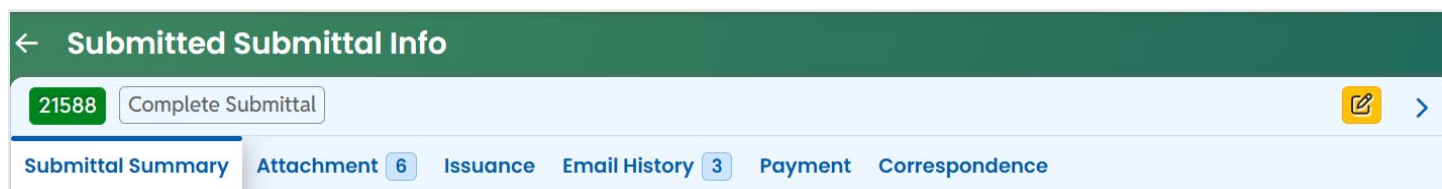
To view your submittal in YDO, in the top left-hand corner of the Dashboard, click the menu icon  to the left of “Dashboard”. Click the Submitted Submittals icon .



In the Submitted Submittals module, your application may be at the top of the page. If it isn't, the quickest way to find your submittal is to use the Keywords feature to search for the Submittal ID number. Once you find the submittal, click the icon  on the right-side of the screen.



This will open a Submitted Submittal Info screen.



1.9 Next steps

Below is a summary of the most common steps that occur during a sludge lagoon permit application. Depending on what is proposed in your specific application, there may be additional steps not discussed below.

1.9.1 Completeness reviews

Once DEQ receives your application it will be reviewed for completeness. DEQ staff will work with the Responsible Official to obtain a complete application and to evaluate the expected Public Notice and Participation Category. If your application is elevated to a Category 4, there will be a Public Notice and Informational Meeting conducted before the risk screening. OAR [340-093-0100](https://www.oregon.gov/deq/air/qa/Pages/340-093-0100.aspx)

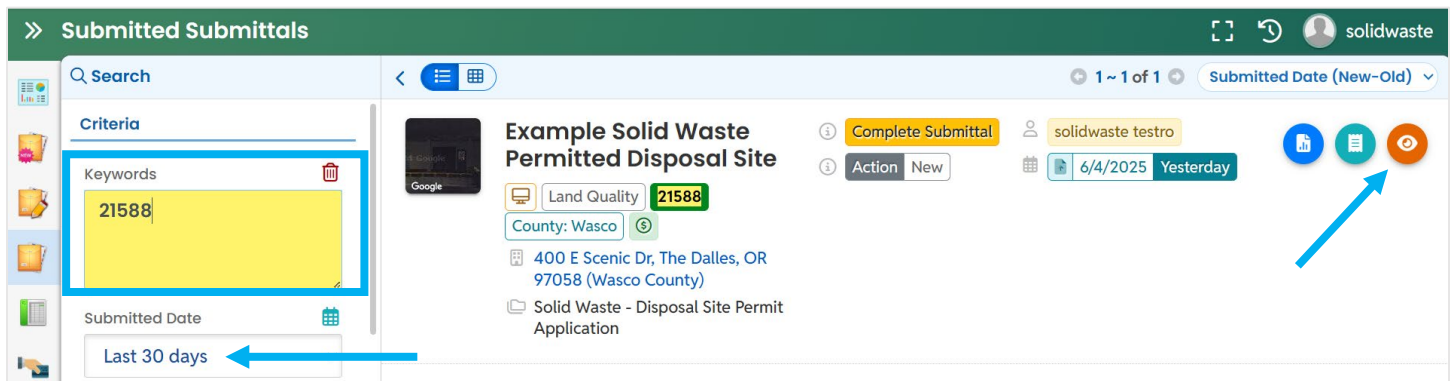
1.9.2 Risk screenings

DEQ will review the submittal to evaluate whether the facility is considered “low-risk”. For purposes of division 96 rules, a low-risk facility is one DEQ determines is not likely to generate significant amounts of residual waste materials or contamination from the operation of the facility that will remain at closure. Financial assurance will be required for facilities that are not “low-risk”.

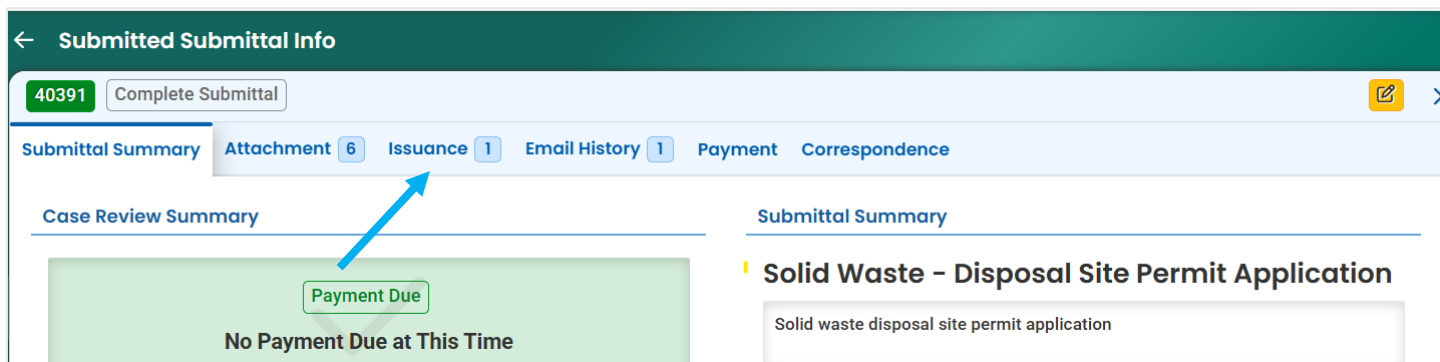
DEQ will provide the results of the screening to the RO in YDO. The evaluation letter is in the Submitted Submittals module.

Finding the risk screenings evaluation letter

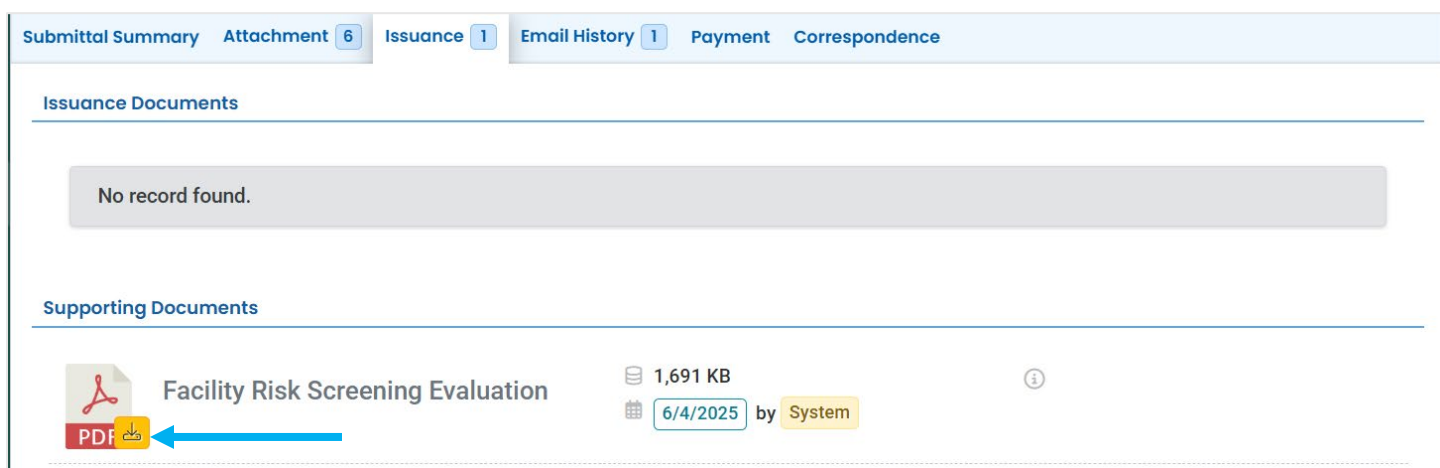
In the Submitted Submittals module use the Keywords feature to search for your Submittal ID number. Once you find the submittal, click the icon  on the right side of the screen. If your submittal does not display, update the Submitted Date to the appropriate time range.



This will open a Submitted Submittal Info screen. Click on the Issuance tab.



The Facility Risk Screening Evaluation letter is in the Supporting Documents section. To view the letter, download it by clicking on the icon .



1.9.3 What to do if you receive a send back email

Scenarios that will result in a Send Back include, but are not limited to:

- **Administratively Incomplete Submittal**
OAR [340-093-0070](https://www.oregon.gov/deq/qa/pdfs/340-093-0070.pdf)

In each scenario you will receive an email with an attachment explaining DEQ's findings and instructions.

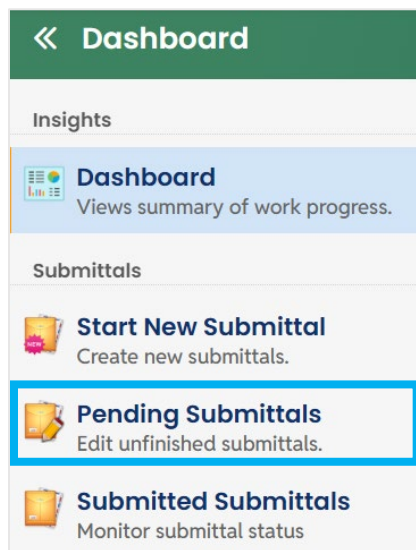
yourdeqonline@govonlineasaas.com
YourDEQOnline System Message:

External [UAT] Application Send Back

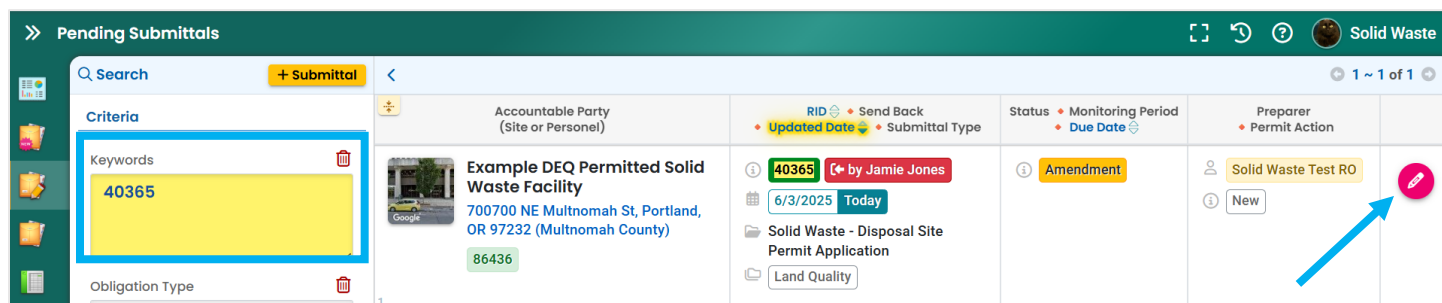
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How to find your application send back in YDO

Send Backs are in the Pending Submittal module.



Once you are ready to submit the additionally required items identified in your Send Back, the quickest way to find your submittal in the Pending Submittals module is to use the Keywords feature to search for the Submittal ID number in the Send Back email. Once you find the submittal click the Edit Submittal icon .



How to resubmit your send back

When you are ready to update and submit the item(s) identified in the send back letter, go to each applicable tab.

- [Link to Basic tab instructions](#)
- [Link to Attachment tab instructions](#) - If you are required to update/submit a new attachment, do not delete previously submitted attachments.
- [Link to Payments tab instructions](#)
- [Link to Review tab instructions.](#)
- [Link to Submission tab instructions](#)

After submitting, you will receive an email confirming DEQ has received your submittal. If you do not receive this email or if you have issues resubmitting, contact your [regional permit coordinator](#).

1.9.4 Draft permit

DEQ staff will develop a draft permit package, including the draft permit, permit evaluation report, and public notice.

1.9.5 Site inspection

DEQ will schedule and complete a site inspection(s) before the public notice.

1.9.6 Courtesy review

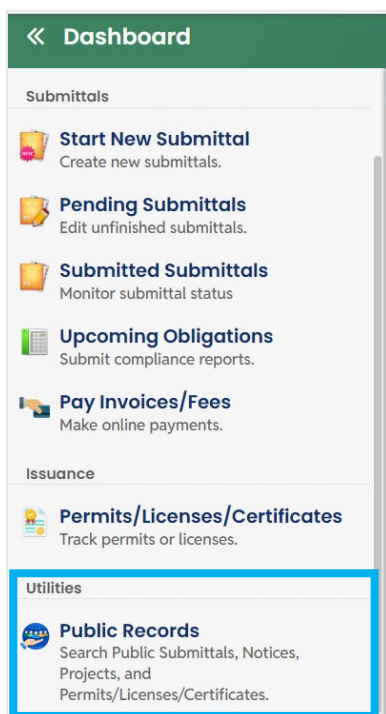
When the draft permit is ready, DEQ may offer the applicant an opportunity to review and provide comments on the draft permit. The Draft Permit will be on the Issuance tab in the Submitted Submittals module (same location as the Facility Risk Screening Evaluation Letter). [Link to Instructions to find Issuance documents](#).

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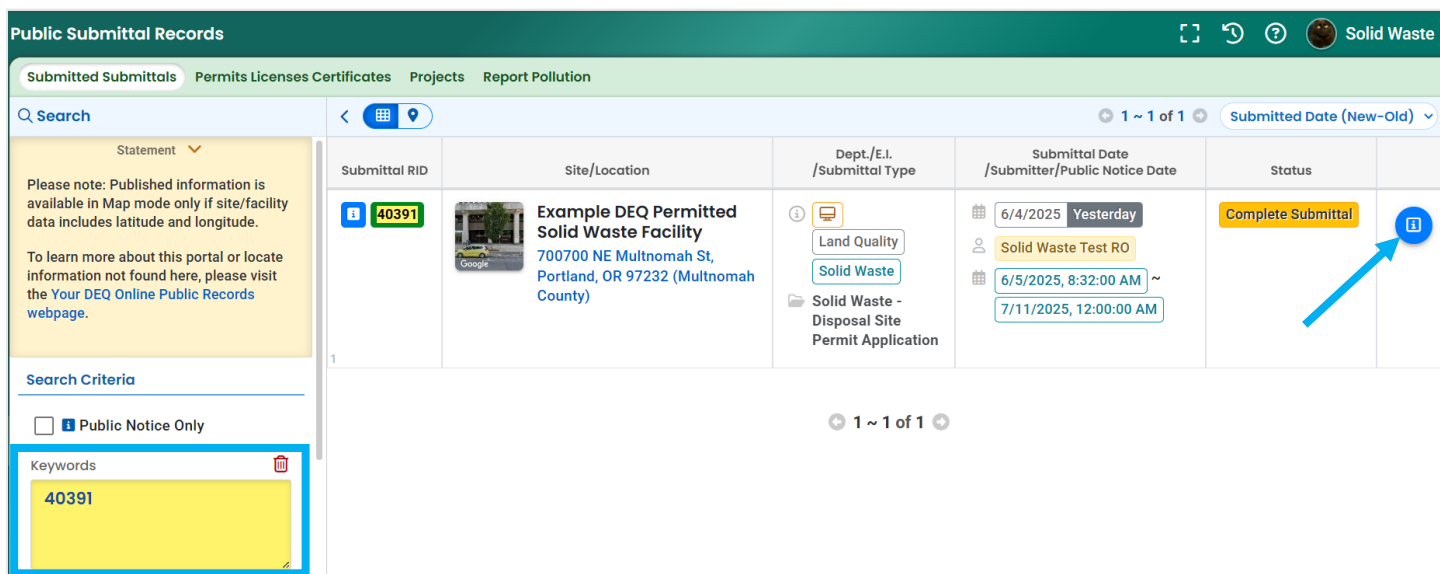
The screenshot displays the 'Submitted Submittal Info' interface. At the top, the submittal number '40391' and the status 'Complete Submittal' are shown. Below this, a navigation bar includes tabs for 'Submittal Summary', 'Attachment' (6), 'Issuance' (2), 'Email History' (1), 'Payment', and 'Correspondence'. The 'Issuance' tab is active, showing a section titled 'Issuance Documents' with a message: 'No record found.' Below this, the 'Supporting Documents' section lists two files: 'Facility Risk Screening Evaluation' (1,691 KB, dated 6/4/2025, by System) and 'Draft Permit' (13 KB, dated 6/5/2025, by System). A blue arrow points to the 'Draft Permit' document.

1.9.7 Public notice and comment period

DEQ may put the draft permit package out for public notice and comment, and if appropriate, will hold a public hearing. To view the Public Notice from your YDO account, click the menu icon to the left of "Dashboard". Scroll down and click the Public Records icon .



The quickest way to find a submittal is to use the Keywords feature to search for the Submittal ID number. Once you find your submittal, click the Public Notice Info icon  on the right side of the screen.



The [Your DEQ Online Public Records](#) page has additional instructions on how to use the Public Records module.

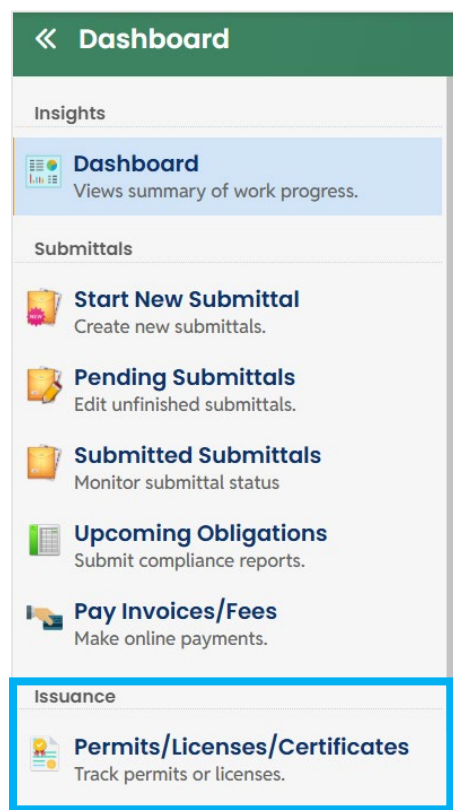
1.9.8 Response to comments

DEQ staff will respond to the comments received and if necessary, will update and finalize the permit. Any significant changes to the permit will require an additional Public Notice and Comment Period.

1.9.9 Final action

Issued permits

To view your permit in YDO, click the menu icon  to the left of “Dashboard”. Click the Permits/Licenses/Certificates icon .



To find a permit quickly in the PLC module, enter the permit number in the Keywords section.

Denied permits

OAR [340-093-0110](#) identifies scenarios that will result in the denial of a permit.

2. Attachments for sludge lagoon

Permit Action Type: New

- **Adjacent Property Owners:** This is a list of the addresses of property owners located within a quarter-mile radius of the solid waste facility property boundary. The information should be in Excel or a similar format. For facilities located in the Eastern Region, only include addresses of adjacent landowner's per OAR [340-093-0070](#)(3)(k); OAR [340-093-0130](#)(1)(a) and OAR [340-093-0100](#)(5)

YDO Logic: In the Submittal Configuration module, this attachment is now automatically required for all new permit actions. **Land Use Compatibility Statement (LUCS):** Refer to OAR [340-093-0070](#)(3)(b)

YDO Logic: When Sludge Lagoon is selected as the "Type of Permit Requested" this attachment will display as required.

- **Certification of Business Registry:** This is needed for applicants that are businesses registered with the State of Oregon.

YDO Logic: In the Applicant Information section, if "Registered Business" is selected as the response to the question "What is the Applicant ownership type?" this attachment will display as required.

- **Property Lease or Rental Agreement:** Refer to OAR [340-093-0070](#)(1)

YDO Logic: In the Applicant Mailing Address section, if the response to "Is the Applicant the Same as the Real Property Owner?" is "No," this attachment will display as required.

- **Other DEQ Permits\Licenses\Certificates:** This is a list of known or anticipated DEQ permits per OAR [340-093-0070](#)(3)(c)

YDO Logic: In the Additional Information section, if the response to "Do you currently have, or anticipate having any DEQ Permits/Licenses/Certificates?" is "Yes" this attachment will display as required.

- **Non-DEQ Permits\Licenses\Certificates:** This is a list of known or anticipated non-DEQ governmental agencies permits, licenses or certificates per OAR [340-093-0070](#)(3)(c).

YDO Logic: In the Additional Information section, if the response "Yes" is selected as the response to the question "Do you currently have, or anticipate having any non-DEQ Permits/Licenses/Certificates?" this attachment will display as required.

- **Site Characterization Report or Request for Low-Risk Disposal Site Determination:** Refer to OAR [340-093-0070](#)(3)(e) & OAR [340-093-0070](#)(4) and OAR [340-093-0130](#).

YDO Logic: When Sludge Lagoon is selected for the "Type of Permit Requested" this attachment will display as required.

Solid Waste Disposal Site Permit application resources

- [Site Characterization Report Guidance](#)
- [Technical Resources for Permit Applications Guidance](#)

- **Detailed Plans and Specifications or Request for Low-Risk Disposal Site:** Refer to OAR [340-093-0070](#) (3)(f) & OAR [340-093-0070](#)(4) and OAR [340-093-0140](#).

YDO Logic: When Sludge Lagoon is selected as the “Type of Permit Requested” this attachment will display as required.

- **Operations Plan:** Refer to OAR [340-093-0070](#)(3)(k).

YDO Logic: When Sludge Lagoon is selected as the “Type of Permit Requested” this attachment will display as required.

- **Closure Plan:** Refer to OAR [340-093-0070](#)(3)(g)(A).

YDO Logic: When Sludge Lagoon is selected as the “Type of Permit Requested” this attachment will display as required.

- **Evidence of Financial Assurance or Request for Exemption:** Refer to OAR [340-093-0070](#)(3)(g)(B) and OAR [340-095-0090](#)(2).

YDO Logic: When Sludge Lagoon is selected as the “Type of Permit Requested” this attachment will display as required.

3. Solid waste permitting staff contacts

Information about solid waste permits and DEQ's regulations may be obtained from the DEQ [Solid Waste Program](#) web page.

All inquiries regarding this application should be directed to the permit coordinator at the regional office for the area where the facility is located. DEQ's solid waste regional offices are as follows:

If your facility/project is in this county...	...then send to this DEQ office
Baker, Crook, Deschutes, Gilliam, Grant, Harney, Hood River, Jefferson, Klamath, Lake, Malheur, Morrow, Sherman, Umatilla (including Milton-Freewater), Union, Wallowa, Wasco, Wheeler	Eastern Region Materials Management Program 400 E Scenic Drive, Suite 307 The Dalles, OR 97058 Phone: 541-298-7257 DEQER.SolidWastePermitCoordinator@deq.oregon.gov
Clackamas, Clatsop, Columbia, Multnomah, Tillamook, Washington	Northwest Region Environmental Partnerships 700 NE Multnomah St., Suite 600 Portland, OR 97232 Phone: 503-229-5353 DEQNR.SolidWastePermitCoordinator@deq.oregon.gov
Benton, Coos, Curry, Douglas, Jackson, Josephine, Lane, Lincoln, Linn, Marion, Polk, Yamhill	Western Region Materials Management Program 165 E Seventh Ave., Suite 100 Eugene, OR 97401 Phone: 541-687-7465 DEQWR.SolidWastePermitCoordinator@deq.oregon.gov

4. FTP link information

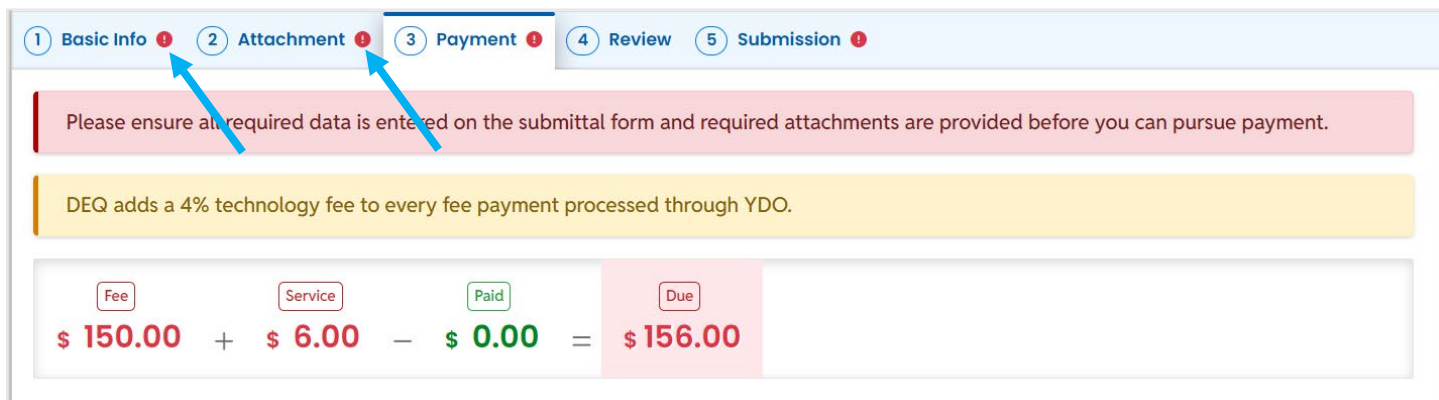
If you would like to submit your document using our FTP, please email the request to your regional permit coordinator. They will respond with an email that contains a link to the FTP and instructions for submitting.

5. Troubleshooting

If you are experiencing any submittal related issues you may contact your [regional permit coordinator](#) for assistance.

Unable to pay

You will not be able to submit a payment until the Basic Info and Attachment tab no longer have the red warning icon .



1 Basic Info  2 Attachment  3 Payment  4 Review 5 Submission 

Please ensure all required data is entered on the submittal form and required attachments are provided before you can pursue payment.

DEQ adds a 4% technology fee to every fee payment processed through YDO.

Fee	Service	Paid	Due
\$ 150.00	+ \$ 6.00	- \$ 0.00	= \$ 156.00

6. Helpdesk and resources

For more information, training and resources, go to the [Your DEQ Online Help page](#). For technical assistance, contact the [Your DEQ Online Helpdesk](#).

7. Version history

Version	Date	Changes	Editor
1.0	6/30/25	Initial Approved Document	JJ/Jamie Jones
	7/16/25	PAS review	Jennifer