



1200-Z Reissuance 2026 Listening Session

Industrial Stormwater

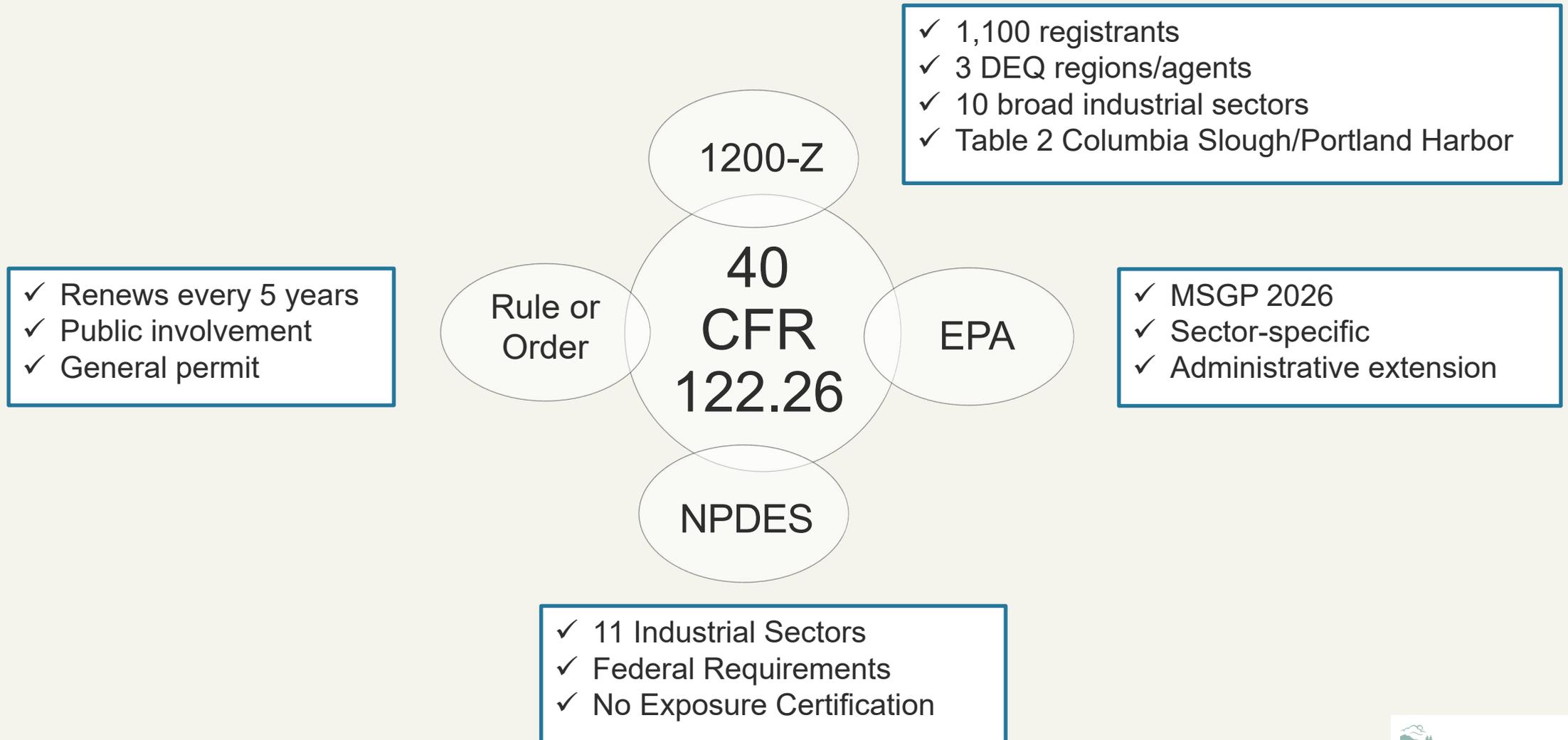
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Zoom Meeting

Topics for Today

1200-Z permit 2026-2031

- Quick background.
- Specific permit conditions.
- Industrial stormwater permitting trends (EPA, WA).
- Impairment status.
- Renewal applications and reissuance timeline.

Industrial Stormwater Permitting



1200-Z 2021 Reissuance

Adopted by rule –
advisory
committee

Hired PG
Environmental

Settlement
agreement

Mass reduction

Expanded geo-
region/Benchmark
evaluation

New framework
for impairment
exceedance

2026-2031 Permit Conditions

1200-Z industrial stormwater permit carry-over

- Uphold permit framework.
- Retain benchmarks – DMR analyses ongoing.
- Keep Tier 2 structure – annual evaluation.
- Impairment monitoring and escalating actions.

2026-2031 Permit Conditions

1200-Z industrial stormwater permit considerations

- Tier 2 – (continued exceedance?) data analyses ongoing.
- Mass reduction measures – integrate/revocation condition.
- New coverage – delayed Tier 2 evaluation.
- Sector-specific – Schedule E incorporated EPA's edits.
- Minor improvements

Industrial Stormwater Trends

Emerging/legacy contaminants monitoring

- 6PPD-quinone and PFAS (6 compounds) now in Washington Ecology industrial stormwater permit.
- PFAS proposed in 2026 EPA's permit for 23 out of 29 sectors (40 compounds).
- Fire fighting foam (AFFF).

Industrial Stormwater in OR

Permit factors

- Water quality standards since 2021 (no new to add).
- DEQ's PFAS Strategic Plan 2025.
- Portland Harbor Superfund Site.
- PCB Columbia Slough settlement with Portland.
- Water quality assessment – 303(d) list and TMDLs.

Integrated Reports

Current 303(d) listings approved by EPA Sept. 2022

- **Notable listings:** Bear Creek (Rogue Basin) for iron, Fairview Creek (Willamette Basin) for copper.
- **Notable de-listings:** Portland Harbor (Willamette River) for iron, S. Umpqua River for E. coli.

2024 Integrated Report submitted for EPA approval March 2025

*If 2024 Integrated Report is not approved by mid-May – DEQ will use 2022 report for impairment status.

Renewal Applications

Must Submit by June 30, 2026

- See our [Industrial Stormwater web page](#) for instructions.
- Agents are processing pager applications.
- DEQ sites must submit in Your DEQ Online.

DEQ has received 145 out of 630. **485 more to go!

Permit Reissuance Timeline for 2026

April through May: Public notice and hearing (redline version).

May through June:

- For YDO users: new Permit/License/Cert. PLC record
- DEQ and agents will communicate monitoring requirements

July 1: Issue Permit, PER and Response to Comments.

July through November:

- Generate 2026-2031 DMRs in YDO
- Implementation/document revisions

Permit Reissuance Information

Go to the [Industrial Stormwater Permits web page](#) for updates.

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