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DIVISION OF WATE QUALITY UTAH DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY PUBLIC NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO DEFINITIONS, R317-1, AND STANDARDS OF QUALITY FOR WATERS OF THE STATE, R317-2 Utah Administrative Code

The Utah Water Quality Board is considering amendments to UAC R317-1, Definitions and General Requirements and R317-2, Standards of Quality for Waters of the State. Amendments are proposed to the add nutrient criteria to headwater streams (Category 1 and 2) statewide, definitions for the criteria in R317-1, total dissolved solids criterion for Silver Creek (Summit County), Jordan River ammonia criteria (Salt Lake County), add the drinking water use to Sheep Creek (Cache County), and correct human health and the cadmium aquatic life statewide criteria. Detailed explanations of the proposed amendments are posted on our website at:

http://www.waterquality.utah.gov/rules/rulechange.htm. A copy or additional information may also be requested by calling Chris Bittner at (801) 536-4371.

A public hearing will be held to receive comments at the following time and location. DWQ staff will also be available 1 hour before the hour-long hearing to provide additional information or answer questions.

DATE	<u>TIME</u>	LOCATION
May 1, 2019	6:00 PM	Utah Department of Environmental Quality Board Room 195 N 1950 W, Salt Lake City, UT

Written comments will be accepted until 5:00 p.m., May 3, 2019. Comments should be mailed to Chris Bittner, Utah Division of Water Quality, P.O. Box 144870, SLC, Utah 84114-4870, or emailed to <u>cbittner@utah.gov</u>.