

PUBLIC NOTICE
N.C. DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES
INTENT TO ISSUE NPDES WASTEWATER AND STORMWATER DISCHARGE PERMITS

Public comment or objection to the draft permits is invited. All comments received by May 5, 2015 will be considered in the final determination regarding permit issuance and permit provisions.

PERMIT APPLICATIONS

Duke Energy Carolinas LLC, P.O. Box 1006, Charlotte, N.C., has applied for a NPDES permit to discharge wastewater and a NPDES stormwater permit to discharge stormwater from each of the following industrial power plant facilities:

Allen Steam Station, 253 Plant Allen Rd., Belmont, N.C., Gaston County. The facility discharges to the Catawba River in the headwaters of Lake Wylie in the Catawba River basin.

Marshall Steam Station, 8320 East N.C. Highway 150, Terrell, N.C., Catawba County. The facility discharges to Lake Norman in the Catawba River basin.

Riverbend Steam Station, 175 Steam Plant Rd., Mt. Holly, N.C., Gaston County. The facility discharges to the Catawba River (Mountain Island Lake) in the Catawba River basin.

The draft stormwater and wastewater permits and related documents will be available online at: <http://portal.ncdenr.org/web/guest/duke-npdes-permits>. Printed copies of the draft permits and related documents may be reviewed at the department's Mooresville Regional Office. To make an appointment to review the documents, please call 704-663-1699.

Public comment on the stormwater permits should be mailed to: Stormwater Permitting, 1612 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, N.C., 27699-1612.

Public comment on the wastewater permits should be mailed to: Wastewater Permitting, 1617 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, N.C., 27699-1617.

Public comments may also be submitted via email to: publiccomments@ncdenr.gov.

IMPORTANT: Depending on which permit(s) you are commenting on, be sure to include either “**Stormwater**” or “**Wastewater**” in the email’s subject line when submitting comments electronically.

PUBLIC HEARING

The N.C. Department of Environment and Natural Resources will hold a public hearing to accept comments on the aforementioned permits on Wed., April 8, 2015 from 6-9 p.m. at the [James Warner Citizen Center](#), 115 W. Main St., Lincolnton, N.C. Following the public hearing, the public comment period will remain open until May 5, 2015.