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Stormwater Reminder

A few reminders as we start to wade into the wet season (dad-level puns are the best):

- Check your site's stormwater management systems and make sure they effectively prevent sediment and contaminants from reaching surface waters and groundwater.
- Look for sheens leaving equipment yards, roadways, or other traveled surfaces and clean them up asap. Also clean up track-out off of your site if it occurs.
- If your site discharges stormwater from mining-disturbed areas to a stream or other surface water, you need to be covered by a NPDES 1200-A permit.
 - If you are already covered, make sure to conduct monitoring, maintain records, and report data as required.
 - If you are not covered, you still need to comply with the requirements of the 1200-A as if you were covered. DEQ is *still* working on the required renewal of this stormwater permit (as required by the Clean Water Act). DEQ's 1200-A expired in 2017... no word on when the renewed permit will be ready.
 - Make sure you understand the requirements in the 1200-A general permit, which can be obtained from the DEQ website at:
<https://www.oregon.gov/deq/wq/wqpermits/Pages/Stormwater.aspx>.
- Check your Stormwater Pollution Control Plan (SWPCP) and make sure it is up to date and accurately reflects your current operations.

Other than helping you avoid compliance orders and fines from state agencies, this also touches on Erwin's point from last newsletter. Maintaining a clean workplace – both on your site and the

area around it – will help maintain good relations with your neighbors and a more positive perception of the industry.

Take care and be safe,

Erick Staley
OIAA Board

2025 PART 46 TRAINING



2025 Part 46 Training dates have been established. Registration in 2025 will be on a first come first served basis on both classes so remember to register early to get the location you want.

Registration forms will be available beginning in January. No pre-registrations will be taken prior to January.

Watch future newsletters for training updates.

OIAA 2025 Part 46 Refresher Training

Presented by: Adele Abrams

Albany Class – Linn County Fair & Expo – March 10, 2025

Roseburg Class – Douglas County Fairgrounds - March 11, 2025

Attention!!

We welcome and encourage all of our members to become more involved with our association. You are welcome to attend our meetings anytime. Please contact any of our board members for information on how you can become more involved, ways we can improve our association and information regarding our upcoming meetings.

VISIT OUR WEBSITE AT WWW.ORAGGREGATE.COM

We are always looking for information to print in the newsletter. If you have a specific article, safety information , or any other information you think will be helpful and of interest to our members, please submit them to memberreply@oraggregate.com

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No meetings are currently scheduled