

## Minnesota Department of Natural Resources

### Public Rulemaking Docket under Minnesota Statutes, section 14.366

**Last updated: 21 February 2024**

Rule types: **P** = Permanent; **ExpP** = Expedited Permanent §14.389; **GCE** = Good Cause Exempt §14.388; **Ex** = Exempt §14.386

Other abbreviations: **OAH** = Office of Administrative Hearings; **ALJ** = Administrative Law Judge

Contact the Lead Staff / Contact Person to inspect written comments, written requests for a public hearing, and names of parties who requested a public hearing

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#### ACTIVE RULEMAKING CASES

Subject Matter	Rule Type	Lead Staff / Contact Person	Current Status of proposed rule and any agency determinations	Revisor's ID Number	Notices Published (State Register citations)	Public hearing schedule	Date Rule Adopted	Date Rule Filed with Secretary of State	Effective Date of Rule
<b>Taking Turtles</b>	<b>GCE</b>	Lacy Levine Ecological & Water Resources Division 651-259-5265 <a href="mailto:lacy.levine@state.mn.us">lacy.levine@state.mn.us</a>	DNR is preparing to submit rules to OAH for review as to legality	R-4756		OAH Docket No. not yet assigned			
<b>Netting Whitefish and Ciscoes</b>	<b>ExpP</b>	Shannon Fisher Fish & Wildlife Division 651-259-5206 <a href="mailto:shannon.fisher@state.mn.us">shannon.fisher@state.mn.us</a>	DNR is preparing to submit rules to OAH for review as to legality	R-4747	Notice of Intent to Adopt Expedited Rules published 4/17/2023 (47 SR 1005); Comments deadline 5/26/2023	OAH Docket No. not yet assigned			
<b>Border Waters, Fishing Contests, Designated Waters, Aquatic Management Areas</b> (6212.2525, 6264.0050, 6264.0125, 6264.0400, 626630700, 6270.0200)	<b>ExpP</b>	Shannon Fisher Fish & Wildlife Division 651-259-5206 <a href="mailto:shannon.fisher@state.mn.us">shannon.fisher@state.mn.us</a>	Receiving public comments through 3/08/2024	R-4598	Notice of Intent to Adopt Expedited Rules published 29 January 2024 (48 SR 699); comments deadline 8 March 2024	OAH Docket No. not yet assigned			
<b>Outdoor Recreation</b> (various parks and trails rules in chapter 6100)	<b>P</b>	Jade Templin Parks & Trails Division 651-259-5598 <a href="mailto:jade.templin@state.mn.us">jade.templin@state.mn.us</a>	Rule and SONAR development underway  <i>Goal to complete: 2024</i>	R-3941	Requests for Comments published: • 27 May 2014 (38 SR 1563) • 10 August 2009 (34 SR 188) • 31 July 2006 (31 SR 140)	OAH Docket No. not yet assigned			

**RECENTLY COMPLETED RULEMAKING CASES**

Subject Matter	Rule Type	Lead Staff / Contact Person	Current Status of proposed rule and any agency determinations	Revisor's ID Number	Notices Published (State Register citations)	Public hearing schedule	Date Rule Adopted	Date Rule Filed with Secretary of State	Effective Date of Rule
Invasive Species	ExpP	Laura Van Riper Ecological & Water Resources Division 651-259-5090 <a href="mailto:ais.dnr@state.mn.us">ais.dnr@state.mn.us</a>	COMPLETED	R-4640	Notice of Intent to Adopt Expedited Rules published 31 October 2022 (47 SR 405); comments deadline 12/09/2022; Notice of Adoption set for publication 2/20/2024	OAH Docket No. 8-9014-39731 No hearing required under the statutory authority for these rules.	1/31/2024	2/06/2024	2/20/2024
Snowmobile Registration, Wildlife Management Areas, and Restitution Value	GCE	Elizabeth Carlson DNR Rules Coordinator 651-259-5531 <a href="mailto:beth.carlson@state.mn.us">beth.carlson@state.mn.us</a>	COMPLETED	R-4835	1/29/2024 Adopted rule published in State Register (48 SR 697) and effective upon publication	OAH Docket No. 22-9027-39690 E-comments due to ALJ between 12/26/2023 and 1/03/2024 No hearing in this process	1/17/2024	1/22/2024	1/29/2024