



EPA Seeks Comments on Underground Fluid Injection Well Draft Permit

Randolph County, Indiana

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Region 5, 77 West Jackson Blvd., Chicago, Illinois 60604, is providing notice of its intent to issue, and an opportunity to comment on, a draft Class VI permit to One Carbon Partnership, LP (OCP), under the authority of Section 1422(c) of the Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA), 42 U.S.C. § 300h-1(c); 40 C.F.R. § 144.1 and Part 146, subpart H.

PUBLIC NOTICE: One Carbon Partnership, LP, of 1554 N. 600 E. Union City, IN 47390, plans to inject a carbon dioxide (CO₂) stream at its proposed CCS1 well located at the Cardinal Ethanol production facility at Randolph County, Indiana, Section 17, Township 20 N, Range 15 E (40.1874°, -84.8646°).

OCP plans to inject up to 450,000 metric tons of carbon dioxide per year into this well over the injection period for a total of 13.5 million metric tons. OCP will study and monitor the well during the twelve to thirty years of proposed carbon dioxide injection and for 50 years thereafter.

OPPORTUNITY FOR COMMENT: The EPA is providing public notice of the draft Permit and an opportunity to comment on it pursuant to 40 C.F.R. § 124.10.

The EPA is holding an availability session and public hearing on this draft permit. Availability session and hearing details:

Winchester Community High School Commons
700 N Union St
Winchester, IN 47394

December 4, 2025

Availability Session: 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Public Hearing: 7:30 to 9:00 p.m.

Oral and written comments will be recorded or accepted during the public hearing. The EPA will engage in conversation with attendees and answer questions during the availability session.

Direct your comments to Docket ID No. EPA-R05-OW-2025-1613 by December 8, 2025. If you submit a comment, you must include your name and contact information (email preferred). Failure to do so may jeopardize your ability to receive notice of the EPA's final permitting decision or your ability to appeal said decision. All comments received before December 8, 2025, will be included in the public docket without change and may be available online at <https://www.regulations.gov>, including any personal information provided. Do not submit information that you consider to be confidential business information or otherwise personal or protected through <https://www.regulations.gov>, or e-mail.

The EPA encourages submittals via the electronic docket, but if you are unable to submit electronically to the docket or your comment contains sensitive information such as personal information or confidential business information, please reach out to Andrew Greenhagen, greenhagen.andrew@epa.gov, (312)353-7648 for directions on how to submit your comment. Any information submitted as part of a comment during the public notice period outside of the <https://www.regulations.gov> system without prior direction from the EPA will be automatically captured and included as part of the comment that is placed in the administrative record, which is available to the public.

Electronic files should avoid the use of special characters, any form of encryption, and be free of any defects or viruses. If you need assistance in a language other than English, or you are a person with disabilities who needs a reasonable accommodation at no cost to you, please reach out to the EPA contact person.

ADMINISTRATIVE RECORD: The administrative record, including copies of the draft permit, statement of basis or fact sheet, and the permit application documents, is available upon request to Andrew Greenhagen, greenhagen.andrew@epa.gov. In addition, a copy of the administrative record is open for public inspection at 77 West Jackson Blvd. Chicago, IL at a time by appointment or request. All data submitted by the applicant is available as part of the administrative record. The EPA will finalize the complete administrative record at the time of any final permit decision is issued, consistent with 40 C.F.R. § 124.18.