INTERAGENCY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE RULES (ICAR) AGENDA
Monday, January 13, 2020, 2:00 p.m.
Pavilion 5th Floor Conference Room

- Welcome
- Review and approval of the minutes from the December 9, 2019 meeting
- Note any additions or deletions from the agenda
- Public comment
- Presentation of the following proposed rules:
  1. Child Care Licensing Regulations: Center Based Child Care and Preschool Programs, Vermont Agency of Human Services, Department for Children & Families
     a. The proposed rules reduce duplication and adapts the rules for Public School Prekindergarten Programs (PSPP) and/or any Center Based Child Care and Preschool Programs (CBCCPP) located in a public-school building. In addition, the department is making necessary changes to the breastfeeding regulations, background clearance regulations, CPR and first aid regulations, lead water testing regulations, provisional licensure regulations, and updating the name of the Community College of Vermont's professional development system. As a result of these amendments, the section 1.3 of CBCCPP regulations was amended to align with these changes.
  2. General Assistance / Emergency Assistance Rules, Vermont Agency of Human Services, Department for Children & Families
     a. The General Assistance and Emergency Assistance programs (GA/EA) provide temporary housing to Vermonters experiencing homelessness either through the criteria under the category of catastrophic situations or by meeting the criteria under vulnerable populations. The GA/EA programs provide eligible recipients with motel vouchers when there is no shelter space available. The proposed rule removes all references to temporary housing from the GA/EA rules and temporary housing will no longer be administered by the GA/EA programs. Included in this proposal are technical corrections and deletions of obsolete references such as Town Service Officers.
  3. Solid Waste Management Rules, Agency of Natural Resources
     a. These Rules contain requirements for solid waste management activities at facilities including transfer stations, recycling facilities, organics processing and landfills. The rules have been restructured and organized for clarity. The proposed revisions include changes to provisions addressing organics management with consideration of Anaerobic Digesters, Organic Recovery Facilities, and Organic
Drop-off facilities. Also, financial responsibility for landfills and post closure certifications including permit by rule for post closure. Subchapter 13 added a registry for imported class A biosolids, and to align nutrient management standards with required Ag practices. Provisions have been added addressing management of development soils. The revisions also propose changes to permitting requirements in accordance with Act 150 (10 V.S.A. chapter 170), and incorporation of existing ANR written procedures addressing solid waste management.

4. Rule Governing Testing and Remediation of Lead in the Drinking Water of Schools and Child Care Facilities, Department of Health
   a. The rule includes requirements for taking samples of water used for consumption and food preparation in schools and childcare programs. The rule also includes sampling methodology, the frequency and scope of continued sampling, and requirements for implementation of lead mitigation plans.

   • Next meeting date: Monday, February 10, 2020 at 2:00 p.m.
   • Adjournment