

May 5, 2021 Virtual Public Hearing on the proposed rules for Certification of Radon Testers and Mitigators

A public hearing concerning this notice of proposal will be held on May 5, 2021, at 9:00 A.M. In light of the current COVID-19 public health emergency, this hearing will be held remotely.

Prior to entering the hearing, participants are strongly encouraged to read the following information and guidelines:

- Access to the public hearing is available on your computer or mobile device through either the Microsoft Teams application or the device's web browser.
- The web browsers that best support Microsoft Teams meetings are Internet Explorer 11, Microsoft Edge, Chrome, and Firefox.
- To attend the public hearing through Microsoft Teams, click [virtual meeting](#). If you do not have internet access you can call (856) 338-7074, and when prompted enter conference ID No. 528896812.
- Participants may enter the hearing at 8:30 am. Testimony will begin at the designated starting time of 9:00 am.
- The hearing will be moderated by a NJDEP representative.
- **Upon admission to the hearing**, participants will be asked for their full name, the organization that they represent, and whether they plan to provide comments.
- **As a courtesy to other people testifying**, participants will be muted until they are called upon by the NJDEP hearing officer/moderator to testify. At that time, the participant will be expected to unmute their microphones to provide comments. Anyone who interrupts another individual's testimony will be immediately muted and cautioned not to interrupt again.
- The hearing will be recorded for public record beginning at 8:30 am. Although the virtual hearing allows for video testimony, it is not required. If you do not wish to submit video testimony, please turn off your video feed during the hearing.
- The conversation box in Microsoft Teams is only to be used to notify the NJDEP that you are having technical difficulty or to provide notification that you have decided to testify. Any comments on the proposal that are entered in the conversation box will NOT be addressed, recorded, or considered as testimony.
- At the beginning of the meeting, a NJDEP representative will provide a brief demonstration on how to unmute/mute your microphones, how to turn off your video feed, and how to access the hearing's conversation box.

As a reminder, those individuals who are not able to submit testimony at the hearing, may still provide written comments to the Department. The Department encourages electronic submittal of comments. Written comments may be submitted electronically by June 4, 2021 at www.nj.gov/dep/rules/comments. In the alternative, comments may be submitted on paper to:

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If you have any questions regarding the public hearing, please feel free to email the Radon Section at radon@dep.nj.gov.