

**TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND  
CONSERVATION (TDEC) DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES (DWR)**

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**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

**NOPH25-002**

**May 5, 2025**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN;** the Division of Water Resources will hold a public hearing pursuant to Rule 0400-40-05-.06 (8) on the reissuance of the Nuclear Fuel Services, Inc., permit.

<b>Date:</b>	<b>June 10, 2025</b>
<b>Time:</b>	<b>5:30-6:30 PM EST, Informal Question and Answer Session 6:30-7:30 PM EST, Formal Public Hearing</b>
<b>Meeting Location:</b> <b>National Guard Armory 615 South Main Avenue Erwin, TN 37243</b>	
<b>Ways to Participate:</b> <b>In person (see above for the meeting location) Log in online (see login info below) Call in by phone (see call-in info below)</b>	
<b>Virtual Login Info:</b> <b>To access the meeting or join anytime during the Q&amp;A session or the formal public hearing, click on the link or copy the URL to your web browser.</b> Microsoft Teams meeting <b>Join on your computer, mobile app or room device</b> <a href="#">Join the meeting now</a> Meeting ID: 280 200 358 817 5 Passcode: bB6dk3Ri  <a href="#">Download Teams</a>   <a href="#">Join on the web</a> <b>Join with a video conferencing device</b>  <a href="mailto:stateoftn@m.webex.com">stateoftn@m.webex.com</a> Video ID: 114 749 178 4	
<b>Call-in Information</b> <a href="#">+1 629-209-4396,,718371608#</a> United States, Triune Phone conference ID: 718 371 608#	

TDEC will receive public comments concerning the proposed permit action described below:

Permit Name: Nuclear Fuel Services, Inc.  
Permittee Address: 1205 Banner Hill Rd, Erwin, TN  
Permit Number: **TN0002038**  
Permit Writer: Oscar Montenegro  
Permit Rating: Major  
County: Unicoi  
Description of Activity: Treatment and discharge of wastewater from Fenton's process, laboratory facilities, laundry facility, fuel production facilities, commercial development line (CDL), miscellaneous, blended low enriched uranium preparation facility (BLEU/BPF), development laboratories and decommissioning activities from a nuclear fuel manufacturing and uranium recovery facility  
Receiving Stream: Nolichucky River at mile 94.6 for Outfall 001

The meeting moderator may limit the length of oral comments to allow all parties an opportunity to speak and will require that all comments be relevant to the proposed permit action and the DWR issues. TDEC staff considers written comments accepted at the hearing and through June 20, 2025, to be part of the hearing record. Written comments can be emailed to Oscar Montenegro at [oscar.montenegro@tn.gov](mailto:oscar.montenegro@tn.gov).

Interested persons may obtain additional information, including a copy of the draft permit by contacting Oscar Montenegro at [oscar.montenegro@tn.gov](mailto:oscar.montenegro@tn.gov). These documents may also be found on [Division of Water Resources DataViewer](#).

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For further information, you may reach Oscar Montenegro, the permit writer, at 615-532-0642 or [oscar.montenegro@tn.gov](mailto:oscar.montenegro@tn.gov).