



Fact Sheet

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SUMMARY OF WELLHEAD PROTECTION PROVISIONS INCLUDED IN INDIANA STATUTE, RULE AND NON-RULE POLICY

Notification

IC 13-18-17-6 The Indiana Wellhead Protection Rule, or any zoning under IC 36-7 to establish protection zones around community water system wells, may not restrict any activity by an owner of land, a mineral owner, or a mineral leaseholder of record unless the owner or leaseholder is sent written notice of, and has an opportunity to be heard on, the establishment of the zone and the construction of the community water supply system that caused the establishment of the zone.

Solid Waste Landfills

329 IAC 10-16-11(b)

For solid waste landfills:

- new and lateral expansions must not be located in the 5 year time of travel; or
- within 3,000 feet of a community water supply well, if no 5 year time of travel established.

Spill Reporting

327 IAC 2-6.1-5(2)

The following spills from a facility that has been notified in writing by a water utility that it is located in a delineated public water supply wellhead protection area as approved by the department under 327 IAC 8-4.1 [shall be reported]:

- hazardous substance or extremely hazardous substances in excess of 100 pounds or the reportable quantity, whichever is less;
- spills of petroleum in excess of 55 gallons;
- spills of objectionable substances.

Secondary Containment of Hazardous Materials

327 IAC 2-10-3(a)(11) - final adoption May 1998

New facilities must provide secondary containment unless there is:

- less than 660 gallons at a facility that is not in a delineated wellhead protection area as approved by the department under 327 IAC 8-4.1; or
- less than 275 gallons at a facility that has been notified in writing by a water utility that it is in a delineated wellhead protection area as approved by the department under 327 IAC 8-4.1.

Underground Storage Tanks

327 IAC 9-2-1.1 - final adoption September 1998

New UST systems within a 1 year time of travel to a community public water supply well must be constructed with:

- a double walled tank;
- double walled piping; and
- a secondary barrier system.

Risk-Integrated System of Closures

Draft Non-Rule Policy

Ground water remediation in wellhead protection areas should:

- cleanup contaminated ground water to drinking water standards;
- apply treatment to contaminated ground water at the well to ensure delivered water meets drinking water standards; or
- implement exposure prevention with concurrence of public water supply and IDEM.