



**Division of Water Resources
Natural Resources Unit**

NOTICE OF INDIVIDUAL PERMIT DECISIONS

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This serves as notice of the division's decisions on Aquatic Resource Alteration Permit or §401 Water Quality Certification applications previously posted for public comment. Publication of this notice serves as commencement of the thirty-day period for appeal by third parties pursuant to TCA 69-3-105(i). All documents pertaining to the Aquatic Resource Alteration Permit (ARAP) can be viewed on the TDEC website at [Report on Permits \(tn.gov\)](https://www.tdec.gov/Report-on-Permits)

NRS19.031-23	Applicant:	Tennessee Department of Transportation (TDOT)		
	Activity:	Widen SR 115/ Alcoa Hwy between I-40 and Cherokee Trail Interchange.		
	County:	Knox		
	Resource:	Fort Loudon		
	Action:	Issued	Date of Action:	11-DEC-23

NRS20.182	Applicant:	Tennessee Department of Transportation (TDOT)		
	Activity:	TDOT is proposing to construct a bypass around the City of Newport in Cocke County, Tennessee		
	County:	Cocke		
	Resource:	Pigeon River		
	Action:	Issued	Date of Action:	11-DEC-23

NRS22.289	Applicant:	QuikTrip Corporation		
	Activity:	QuikTrip Corporation proposes approximately 75 feet of impacts to an unnamed tributary to Lookout Creek Embayment in the Reflection Riding Arboretum and Nature Center resulting from restoration of head-cuts within a 300-foot reach. This project is associated with the mitigation requirement for the City of Chattanooga resulting from QuikTrip Store #7140 (ARAP NRS20.088).		
	County:	Hamilton		
	Resource:	Lookout Creek Embayment		
	Action:	Issued	Date of Action:	14-DEC-23

NRS22.314	Applicant:	USDA Forest Service, Cherokee National Forest		
	Activity:	The United States Forest Service, Cherokee National Forest proposes placement of large woody debris in streams in the North Zone of the Cherokee National Forest in Carter, Cocke, Greene, Johnson, Sullivan, Unicoi, and Washington County to enhance aquatic habitat.		

County: Unicoi
Resource: All perennial/intermittent streams on the North Zone of Cherokee National Forest
Action: Issued **Date of Action:** 15-DEC-23

NRS22.328 **Applicant:** Bradley/Cleveland Industrial Development Board
Activity: The Bradley/Cleveland Industrial Development Board proposes 0.52 acres of permanent wetland impacts on Corporate Drive in Cleveland (Bradley County) to construct a 176,000 square-foot warehouse. Mitigation will be through purchase of 1.17 wetland credits from the Tennessee Wildlife Federation Hiwassee in-lieu-fee program.

County: Bradley
Resource: Unnamed Isolated Wetland
Action: Issued **Date of Action:** 14-DEC-23

NRS23.166 **Applicant:** Tennessee Department of Transportation (TDOT)
Activity: The Tennessee Department of Transportation proposes 657 feet of impacts to unnamed tributaries to the Sequatchie River for rock slide repairs on State Route 108 in Whitwell (Marion County). Mitigation will be provided through permittee-responsible stream mitigation authorized through ARAP NRS23.024.

County: Marion
Resource: UT to Sequatchie River
Action: Issued **Date of Action:** 14-DEC-23

NRS23.240 **Applicant:** Tennessee Department of Transportation (TDOT)
Activity: The Tennessee Department of Transportation proposes to impact 87 feet of an unnamed tributary of Beaver Creek through culvert extension, resulting in 37 feet of stream length loss for improvements to the Interstate 75 Interchange at State Route 131 in Knoxville (Knox County). Stream impacts will be offset by purchasing 17 functional feet credits from the Flat Creek Mitigation Bank.

County: Knox
Resource: Beaver Creek and unnamed tributaries (TN06010207011_2000)
Action: Issued **Date of Action:** 14-DEC-23

NRS23.250 **Applicant:** MMC Materials, Inc.
Activity: MMC Materials, Inc. proposes to dredge 17,600 cubic yards of sediment and install four mooring cells and two floating deck barges near their facility on McKellar Lake in Memphis (Shelby County). Dredged materials will be transported in a floating pipeline or by truck to an upland disposal site on Treasure Island

County: Shelby
Resource: McKellar Lake
Action: Issued **Date of Action:** 11-DEC-23
