

PUBLIC NOTICE

Date of Notice: August 11, 2015

Name and address of facility:

Knapke Swine Farms, LLC
12054 Bey Road
Versailles, Ohio 45380

Name and address of applicants:

Knapke Swine Farms, LLC
8453 Bulcher Rd.
Versailles, Ohio 45380

James and Katherine Knapke

8453 Bulcher Rd.
Versailles, Ohio 45380

In accordance with OAC rule 901:10-6-01, public notice is hereby given that the Ohio Department of Agriculture (ODA) is accepting comments on a draft Permit to Install (PTI) and draft Permit to Operate (PTO) for the expansion of the facility called "Knapke Swine Farm, LLC" which is located at 12054 Bey Rd. Versailles, Ohio, Darke County, Wayne and York Townships in the Upper Great Miami watershed. If the final permit is issued, the PTO would be valid for five years.

Copies of the draft permits can be reviewed and/or copies made at the Division of Livestock Environmental Permitting (DLEP) office at: A.B. Graham Building, 8995 East Main Street, Reynoldsburg, Ohio 43068, (614) 387-0470. Any person may submit written comments and/or request a public meeting on the draft permit. A request for a public meeting must be in writing and shall state the nature of the issues to be raised at the public meeting. Comments and/or public meeting requests must be received by the DLEP office no later than 5 p.m. September 10, 2015. Comments received after this date will not be considered. A public meeting will be held when required by OAC 901:10-6-04(C) and may be held where authorized by OAC 901:10-6-01(D). Persons have a right to provide a written or oral statement for the record at the public meeting, if a meeting is scheduled. - end -