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### DEQ EnviroSchool to host free LPDES General Permit workshops in June

BATON ROUGE - DEQ's EnviroSchool program is hosting free sessions on the Louisiana Pollution Discharge Elimination System general water discharge permits in four locations around the state in June. The session on LPDES permits will provide an understanding of water discharge applicability, outfall schedules and how effluent limits and requirements are derived. It will also include a basic overview of stormwater general permits and requirements and preview several new general permits.

EnviroSchool provides training for communities, businesses and other organizations on many regulatory topics. The goal of EnviroSchool is for the attendees to become informed about the environmental regulatory process in order to maintain and improve environmental compliance.

The LPDES General Permits sessions are as follows:

**Baton Rouge**, June 5 – 10 a.m. to noon  
DEQ Galvez Building, Oliver Pollock Room  
602 N. 5<sup>th</sup> Street

**Lake Charles** – June 7 – 10 a.m. to noon  
LSU AgCenter  
7101 Gulf Highway

**New Orleans area** – June 14 – 10 a.m. to noon  
Yenni Building, Room 405  
1221 Elmwood Park Boulevard, Jefferson

**Alexandria area**, June 26 – 10a.m. to noon  
Main Street Community Center  
708 Main Street, Pineville

To register for one of the sessions, go to [www.deq.louisiana.gov/enviroschool](http://www.deq.louisiana.gov/enviroschool). For more information about the sessions or EnviroSchool, please call Tomeka Prioleau at 225-219-0877 or email at [Tomeka.prioleau@la.gov](mailto:Tomeka.prioleau@la.gov).