

## About Florida's Numeric Nutrient Standards for Lakes and Rivers

The change from qualitative assessment to numeric nutrient standards for Florida's inland lakes and rivers will necessitate many changes in the way water resource managers perform monitoring and mitigation activities. The following documents from the US Environmental Protection Agency contain information that should be helpful in understanding the meaning and impact of the new rules. (Many of these documents also may be found in the Water Atlas Digital Library.)

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 30K	<a href="#">News Release: EPA and Florida DEP Work Together to Restore Florida's Surface Waters (1/16/2009)</a>
 24K	<a href="#">News Release: FDEP Statement on EPA Settlement with Earth Justice on Nutrient Criteria Development (8/21/2009)</a>
 291KB	<a href="#">Press Release Announcing EPA's Water Quality Standards for Florida's Lakes &amp; Flowing Water (11/15/2010)</a>
 1.49MB	<a href="#">Memorandum: EPA Approval of Florida's numeric nutrient standards (11/30/2012)</a>
 1.49MB	<a href="#">EPA Amended Determination Letter (11/30/2012)</a>
 132KB	<a href="#">Surface Water Quality Standards: Chapter 62-302 of the Florida Administrative Code)</a>
 132KB	<a href="#">Nutrient Pollution and Numeric Water Quality Standards</a>
 38KB	<a href="#">Water Quality Standards for the State of Florida's Lakes and Flowing Waters (EPA)</a>
 28KB	<a href="#">EPA's Standards to Address Nutrient Pollution in Florida's Lakes and Flowing Waters: Frequently Asked Questions</a>
 5.99MB	<a href="#">Fact Sheet: Final Water Quality Standards for the State of Florida's Lakes and Flowing Waters</a>
 7.77MB	<a href="#">Technical Support Document for U.S. EPA's Final Rule for Numeric Criteria for Nitrogen/Phosphorus Pollution in Florida's Inland Surface Fresh Waters</a>
 2.43MB	<a href="#">Technical Support Document for U.S. EPA's Final Rule for Numeric Criteria for Nitrogen/Phosphorus Pollution in Florida's Inland Surface Fresh Waters (Appendices)</a>
 2.43MB	<a href="#">Economic Analysis of Final Water Quality Standards for Nutrients for Lakes and Flowing Waters in Florida</a>
	<a href="#">Docket Folder for Water Quality Standards for the State of Florida's Lakes and Flowing Waters (webpage with links to individual supporting documents, notices and public comments)</a>

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