

HB 2125 -- Environmental Permits

Sponsor: Schad

This bill allows the Department of Natural Resources to implement a unified permit schedule process for applicants who need multiple permits for a similar activity or project. The department may waive otherwise applicable procedural requirements for permits and establish a schedule for issuing permits to an applicant. Considerations for determining the timing of the unified permit schedule are specified in the bill. Public comment periods and substantive legal requirements cannot be waived by the department to facilitate the new scheduling process.