



Ohio Administrative Code Rule 1501-7-04 Classes of water use.

Effective: June 30, 2024

(A) The following classes of water use are hereby created: domestic, commercial, industrial, agricultural, fire protection, hydroelectric power generation, and public water supply. All determinations as to the class of water use will be made by the division.

(B) Any lease or sale agreement for commercial, industrial, public water supply, hydroelectric power generation, or agricultural water use will be for a minimum of one million gallons per year.

(C) When withdrawing water for public water supply use as a backup source from a canal or canal reservoir, the division is to be notified immediately of commencement of said withdrawal.

Withdrawal amounts will be reported to the division pursuant to paragraph (F) of rule 1501-7-03 of the Administrative Code. For such withdrawals greater than one million gallons per year, the annual payment to the department will be adjusted based on the rate established pursuant to paragraph (D) of rule 1501-7-05 of the Administrative Code and the total number of gallons per year withdrawn.
