

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Iowa Department of Natural Resources (DNR) is proposing to renew the Title V Operating Permit for HyCast Foundry, LLC. This facility is located at 905 West Depot, Fairfield, IA 52556. DNR is currently reviewing an application for renewal submitted by HyCast Foundry, LLC to operate their existing gray and ductile iron foundry.

HyCast Foundry, LLC is required to obtain a Title V Operating Permit pursuant to 567 Iowa Administrative Code (IAC) 24.101. This facility has the potential to emit the following air pollutants annually:

PM-2.5 (particulate matter 2.5 microns or less in diameter): 179.73 tons
PM-10 (particulate matter ten microns or less in diameter): 215.98 tons
Particulate Matter: 441.24 tons
Sulfur Dioxide: 3.04 tons
Nitrogen Oxides: 7.33 tons
Volatile Organic Compounds: 144.49 tons
Carbon Monoxide: 62.30 tons
Lead: 0.065 tons
Hazardous Air Pollutants: 24.83 tons

Based on the information provided in the Title V Operating Permit renewal application, the DNR has made an initial determination that the facility meets all the applicable criteria for the issuance of an operating permit specified in 567 IAC 24.107.

A copy of the Public Notice is available for public inspection at the:

Fairfield Public Library
104 W Adams Ave
Fairfield, IA 52556
Phone: 641-472-6551

These documents are also available on the Air Quality Bureau's website at:
www.iowadnr.gov/titlev-draft and
<https://programs.iowadnr.gov/easyair/public/GovEnt/Shared/Pages/Main/Login.aspx>.

For additional information or for a copy of the draft permit or fact sheet contact:

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The public comment period for the draft permit started on November 20, 2025 and is now extended to February 2, 2026. During the public comment period, anyone may submit comments on the permit. Mail signed comments to Zane Peters at the DNR address shown above or email comments to zane.peters@dnr.iowa.gov. The beginning date of this public comment period also serves as the beginning of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) 45-day review period, provided the EPA does not seek a separate review period.

A virtual public hearing is now scheduled for Thursday, January 29, 2026 from 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm. To register for the public hearing use the following link: https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/ymxuYH_rQPO6d7y7EM0gwQ.

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting. Individuals with disabilities or limited English proficiency are encouraged to participate in all DNR activities, including submitting public comments. If a reasonable accommodation or language services are needed to participate, contact the Air Quality Bureau staff member listed or Relay Iowa TTY Service at 800-735-7942 in advance to advise them of your specific needs. DNR's language access and disability nondiscrimination plans are available at <https://www.iowadnr.gov/about/nondiscrimination-accessibility-language-access>.

DNR will keep a record of the issues raised during the public participation process and will prepare written responses to all comments received. The comments and responses will be compiled into a responsiveness summary document. After the close of the public comment period, DNR will make a final decision on the renewal application. The responsiveness summary and the final permit will be available to the public.