

Intel Project

Permits Needed for Construction

Ohio's economy is booming, and more companies are considering Ohio for their business expansion. When Intel chose to make Ohio its home, Ohio EPA was one of the first to welcome them.

To get the project off to a good start, Ohio EPA met with company officials to get an understanding of their construction plans, project schedule, and business operations. **The company needed air, construction stormwater, and isolated wetlands permits to begin construction.**

Team members from **Ohio EPA's Division of Surface Water and Division of Air Pollution Control** set up regular meetings with the company and their consultant to review the permit application requirements, identify any outstanding issues, and coordinate public comment and community meetings.

Steps to Ensure a Successful Permit

- Protect public health and the environment
- Establish a designated project team
- Ensure regular, open lines of communication
- Limit issue-based delays
- Identify project milestones
- Coordinate with U.S. EPA and other state agencies
- Provide opportunities for community involvement
- Issue required permits to keep project on schedule



Moving Forward

Ohio EPA has worked with Intel step-by-step through construction of their new facility, but the work is far from over. Once the business operations are underway, **we will continue to monitor the facility** and coordinate any additional permits required. We're also here for the community, and look forward to **working together** to build a bridge between economic development and environmental protection for our great state.

For more information about this project, or Ohio EPA's permitting process, please contact Max Moore at max.moore@epa.ohio.gov or **614-644-2160**.



Air Permit

Larger facilities must receive an **air permit-to-install** (PTI) prior to construction. The PTI **issued on Sept. 20, 2022**, allows Intel to complete construction, and operate the source for up to a year. After a year of operation, Intel will apply for a **Title V** operating permit.

Ohio EPA's primary goal for these permits is to **protect air quality and the health** of the surrounding community. Intel worked closely with Ohio EPA to develop best practices and determine the maximum emission control possible to minimize air quality impacts.



Construction Stormwater

All construction sites have the potential to create pollution. With the large footprint of their facility, it was important to Intel, and Ohio EPA, that any impacts to surrounding waterways be controlled. To accomplish this, Intel worked with Ohio EPA to develop a plan specifying all activities required to **prevent** stormwater pollution and control sedimentation and erosion.

Although the plan is important, following it is vital. In coordination with the Ohio EPA team, Intel has worked to ensure that all workers on the site understand their roles and responsibilities. Through regular maintenance and instruction, and guidance from Ohio EPA's rainwater and land development manual, Intel continues to stay on schedule while **protecting nearby water resources**.



Isolated Wetlands

Ohio's prime development land often includes wetland areas. Ohio EPA met with Intel early in the project to identify areas that would be affected and evaluate alternatives. Through discussion with the Ohio EPA team, and input from the community, Intel has committed to **offset** construction impacts with more than **20 acres** of wetland mitigation.