Course Schedule (Tentative)

T 1/13 Unit 1 Introduction/Administrative matters/ Final project. View the web site on legal research at: http://www.lib.ncsu.edu/staff/jmcgeachy/are309.htm/ and the Wake County Clerk's office web site: http://web.co.wake.nc.us/courts/ Read materials on the final project and how to analyze a case.

Th 1/15 Guest lecture: Jack McGeachy, NCSU Library, will discuss legal research (Please review his web site); Read Unit 2 Sources of Law.

T 1/20 Unit 2 Sources of Law, continued; Unit 3 Regulation Legislation, and the Political Process. Analyze: Bradley v. U.S. EPA.

Th 1/22 Unit 3 Regulation Legislation, and the Political Process, continued; Unit 4 Conflict Resolution: Administrative, Judicial, Mediation & Arbitration.

T 1/27 Unit 4 Conflict Resolution: Administrative, Judicial, Mediation & Arbitration, continued; Unit 5 Common law solutions/Nuisance/Economic basis for modification of the common law. Analyze: Southview Farm I

Th 1/29 Unit 5 Common law solutions/Nuisance/Economic basis for modification of the common law, continued. Analyze: Durham v. Britt; Unit 6 National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA)/SEPA.

T 2/3 Unit 7 Constitutional limitations: Regulatory Takings. Read Constitutional Limitations on the Regulation of Wetlands. Analyze: Bormann v. Kossuth County; Read: Palazzolo.


T 2/10 Unit 9 Contaminated Real Property/ Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA/Superfund), continued. Analyze: Gould Inc. v. A & M Battery & Tire Service

Th 2/12 Catch up/Review.

T 2/17 Exam I. [Friday, 2/24 is the last day to withdraw; exams will be returned on 2/19.]


Th 2/26 Unit 11 Solid waste disposal, continued; Unit 12 Underground storage tanks. Analyze: Agricultural Excess


Spring break, March 08 - 12.

T 3/16 Unit 15 Community Right-to-Know/Risk Management & Environmental Protection. Analyze: *Citizens for a Better Environment v. The Steel Company*.


T 3/23 Exam II [Covers Units 10 - 16.]

Th 3/25 Return and discuss Exam II. Unit 17 Clean Water: Point Source Control. Analyze: *Southview Farm II*

T 3/30 Unit 17 Clean Water: Point Source Control (continued). Analyze: *Southview Farm III*.


T 4/6 Unit 18 Clean Water: Nonpoint Source Control, continued. Unit 19 Drinking Water.

April 8-9. No class.


Th 4/22 Unit 23 Land Preservation/Land Use Management/Preservation of Agricultural, Forestry, and Tourism Resources. Analyze: *Smithsonian*.

T 4/27 Unit 23 continued. Catch up/Review.

Th 4/29 Catch up/Review.

Additional cases and reading assignments may be added.

Th 5/6 1:00 - 4:00 Final Exam