

Administrative Hearing Flowchart for Unpermitted Construction

		DPIE Agency Action (Citation or Stop Work Order Issued)	
A. Citation Compliance		B. Hearing Route	
A-1 Pay the citation and comply with the Correction Order and/or Notice of Violation.	B-1	Request a Hearing 30 days from citation issuance date — will take place within 180 days of the citation's service.	C-1 Defa (2) Fa
DPIE may offer the Respondent a settlement of the matter by stipulation instead of a further hearing. The Hearing Officer issues a Final Decision and Order that incorporates the stipulation.	B-2	Administrative Hearing Officer will hold a hearing and prepare decision within 30 days of hearing.	C-2 Admin Defau
	B-3	If DPIE's action is upheld, the Respondent can request the Administrative Hearing Officer's decision be reconsidered. A Request for Reconsideration is submitted to the Adjudication Administrator and a decision is issued within 30 days.	C-3a The can revi Def the
	B-4	If Reconsideration is denied, the Respondent petitions for judicial review to the Circuit Court within 10 days of the Reconsideration Decision.	
	B-5	If Circuit Court affirms DPIE's enforcement action, Respondent pays the associated fine and abates/corrects the violation. If Circuit remands the case, the matter is referred to DPIE's Administrative Hearing Officer. If Circuit Court reverses the case, the matter is dismissed.	
	B-6	The Respondent can seek judicial review of the Circuit Court's decision to the Court of Special Appeals.	

C. Default Route

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Respondent seek judicial iew of the fault Order to Circuit Court.

C-3b DPIE enforces the Hearing Officer's Order.