

Pursuant to the “Noncoal Surface Mining Conservation and Reclamation Act” and the “Clean Streams Law” notice is hereby given that Pierson Rheems LLC, 426 Swedesboro Road, Pilesgrove, NJ, 08098 has made application to the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) for a major modification to the existing Large Noncoal Industrial Minerals Surface Mining Permit # 36080301, which will add 29.58 acres to the SMP for a total permit area of 132.22 acres. The receiving stream is an unnamed tributary to Donegal Creek, which is classified as “TSF” (Trout Stocked Fisheries). The surface mine site is located in West Donegal and Mt. Joy Township, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania and is known as the Rheems Quarry. The quarry is located by travelling on PA Route 283 South to Rheems Exit, Right on Cloverleaf Rd. to Right on East Harrisburg Ave. thru to West Harrisburg Ave. to intersection with Heisey Quarry Rd., Quarry on Left

The existing NPDES permit # is PA0224651. No changes are proposed to the NPDES Permit.

The Elizabethtown and Columbia West, PA, U.S. Geological Survey 7.5 minute topographic maps contains the area described.

A copy of the application is available for public inspection at the following location:

Lancaster County Conservation District, 1383 Arcadia Rd Room 200, Lancaster, PA 17601

Written comments, objections, or a request for public hearing or informal conference may be submitted to the DEP, PA Department of Environmental Protection, Pottsville District Office, 5 West Laurel Blvd., Pottsville, PA, 17901-2522, by June 9, 2023, and must include the person’s name, address, telephone number, and a brief statement as to the nature of the objection(s).