

WATER RESOURCES ADVISORY COMMITTEE

July 15, 2009

9:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Room 105, RCSOB

Harrisburg, PA

AGENDA

1. **Call to Order, Attendance** – Stephen Rhoads
2. **Review and Approval of Minutes** – Stephen Rhoads
3. **Chapter 105, Dam Safety and Waterway Management** – Dennis Dickey

*The Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) proposes to amend the Dam Safety portion of the regulations. Mr. Dickey, Bureau of Waterways Engineering, will follow up on the comments received during the April 8, 2009, WRAC meeting concerning the proposed **Chapter 105** rulemaking. In preparation for an upcoming Environmental Quality Board (EQB) meeting, DEP is requesting a formal record of the committee's recommendations at this meeting.*

4. **Chapter 95, Wastewater Treatment Requirements** – Kevin McLeary, P.E.

*Mr. McLeary, Bureau of Water Standards and Facility Regulation (BWSFR), will further discuss proposed amendments to **Chapter 95**. Primarily, amendments consist of the addition of a section titled “§ 95.10 Effluent standards for new discharges of wastewaters containing high Total Dissolved Solids concentrations,” and revisions to two existing sections: “§ 95.2 Effluent standards for Industrial Wastes” and “§ 95.5 Treatment requirements for discharges to waters affected by abandoned mine drainage.” In preparation for an upcoming EQB meeting, DEP is requesting a formal record of the committee's recommendations at this meeting.*

5. **Chapter 96, Water Quality Standards Implementation** – Andy Zemba

*Mr. Zemba, Water Planning Office, will further discuss DEP's plan to revise **Chapter 96** to provide a system that allows for the use of offsets and tradable credits to help achieve water quality standards in the Chesapeake Bay watershed. In preparation for an upcoming EQB meeting, DEP is requesting a formal record of the committee's recommendations at this meeting.*

6. **Chapter 105, Dam Safety and Waterway Management** – Matt Royer

*DEP has begun a review of **Chapter 105 Dam Safety and Waterway Management** to amend the regulations. In July 2007, the WRAC formed an ad hoc workgroup to identify the outstanding issues to be addressed. Mr. Royer, spokesperson for the workgroup, will report the group's findings for the WRAC's consideration during the future regulation review and comment process.*

7. **Other Business**

8. **Adjourn**