

# Northwest Regional Office CLEAN WATER PROGRAM

Application Type
Wastewater Type
Facility Type
Sewage
SFTF

# NPDES PERMIT FACT SHEET INDIVIDUAL SFTF/SRSTP

Application No. PA0035670

APS ID 1037288

Authorization ID 1351437

Applicant Name	PA DOT Maintenance & Operations Bureau	Facility Name	PA DOT Kiskiminetas Township Satellite Maintenance Bldg			
Applicant Address	400 North Street 6th Floor	Facility Address	Jackson Road			
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Client ID	189304	Site ID	241600			
Municipality	Kiskiminetas Township	County	Armstrong			
SIC Code	4173	SIC Code	4952			
SIC Description	Trans. & Utilities-Bus Terminal & Service FacIties	SIC Description	Trans. & Utilities - Sewerage System			
Date Application Received March 31, 2021		WQM Required	Present permit is adequate			
Date Application Accepted May 26, 2021		WQM App. No.	366-S-028			

#### **Summary of Review**

No open violations. Application by Johnathan Fleming, Division Chief, Maintenance Technical Leadership Division. There are several open violations in WMS for Client ID 189304 under the Storage Tank and Clean Water Programs for other facilities in various parts of the state. The Draft Permit Cover Letter will notify the permittee of the open violations and provide them an opportunity to address the violations prior to final permit issuance. 11/20/2023 CWY

This is an insignificant minor discharge to the Roaring Run segment of the January 29, 2020 Kiskiminetas-Conemaugh River Watersheds mining TMDL.

Septage was last removed on April 13, 2021.

Semiannual monitoring was previously proposed and continued.

### **Public Participation**

DEP will publish notice of the receipt of the NPDES permit application and a tentative decision to issue the individual NPDES permit in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin* in accordance with 25 Pa. Code § 92a.82. Upon publication in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin*, DEP will accept written comments from interested persons for a 30-day period (which may be extended for one additional 15-day period at DEP's discretion), which will be considered in making a final decision on the application. Any person may request or petition for a public hearing with respect to the application. A public hearing may be held if DEP determines that there is significant public interest in holding a hearing. If a hearing is held, notice of the hearing will be published in the *Pennsylvania* 

Approve	Deny	Signatures	Date
<b>V</b>		William H. Mentzer	
Λ		William H. Mentzer, P.E. Environmental Engineering Specialist	November 1, 2023
X		Chad W. Yurisic Chad W. Yurisic, P.E. Environmental Engineer Manager	11/20/2023

Summary of Review
Bulletin at least 30 days prior to the hearing and in at least one newspaper of general circulation within the geographical area of the discharge.

Discharge and Stream Data – 2 - Receiving Waters and PWS

Discharge, Receiving	Waters and Water Supply Informat	ion			
Outfall No.	001	Design Flow (MGD)	.0005		
Latitude DP	40° 34' 18.00"	Longitude DP	-79° 31' 43.00"		
Latitude NHD	40° 34' 18.48"	Longitude NHD	-79º 31' 42.26"		
Quad Name	Vandergrift	_ Quad Code	1409		
Wastewater Descrip	otion: Treated shop domestic waste	es			
Receiving Waters	Rattling Run	Stream Code	43051		
NHD Com ID	125290648	RMI	0.8200		
Drainage Area	14.04	Yield (cfs/mi <sup>2</sup> )	0.16		
Q <sub>7-10</sub> Flow (cfs)	0.65	Q <sub>7-10</sub> Basis			
Elevation (ft)	1065.10	Slope (ft/ft)	0.005051		
Watershed No.	18-B	Chapter 93 Class.	CWF		
Existing Use	statewide	Existing Use Qualifier	none		
Exceptions to Use	none	Exceptions to Criteria	none		
Comments	Earlier measured RMI was 0.78				
Assessment Status	Attaining Use(s)				
Cause(s) of Impairm	nent				
Source(s) of Impairr	ment				
TMDL Status	Final	Name Kiskimineta	s-Conemaugh River TMDL		
Background/Ambier	nt Data D	ata Source			
pH (SU)	<u> </u>				
Temperature (°F)	<u> </u>				
Hardness (mg/L)					
Other:					
Nearest Downstrear	m Public Water Supply Intake E	Buffalo Township Municipal A	authority		
	Allegheny River	Flow at Intake (cfs)			
PWS RMI		Distance from Outfall (mi)	18.8		

Changes Since Last Permit Issuance: none

Other Comments: none

#### **Kiskiminetas River Basin**

There is a TMDL for metals in the Kiskiminetas River watershed. This facility is considered a "Negligible Discharge Facility" as identified in Appendix C of the Kiskiminetas-Conemaugh River Watershed TMDL, and the aggregate WLAs were based on the sum of the available information regarding flow from each facility multiplied by the applicable numeric water quality criterion. There is no reason to believe this facility will be discharging at concentrations higher than assumed to develop the aggregate waste load allocation that was inclusive in the TMDL for minor sewage treatment facilities. The contribution for metals from a sewage plant of this nature is expected to be less than water quality criteria and therefore not contributing to stream impairment. The proposed permit does not require monitoring for total iron, total manganese and total aluminum.

#### **Treatment**

WQM Permit 366S028 issued August 31, 1966.

Facilities: 750-gallon septic tank, 18x30-foot subsurface sand filter, sodium hypo-chlorination with a 250-gallon contact tank.

Grandfathered treatment system based on then current but now obsolete Health Department design standards. Continued acceptance is largely based on NPDES permit compliance.

	Influent					Effluent					
	Month	Year	Discharge MGD	Min	Ave	Max	#	Min	Ave	Max	#
Annual Average Design			0.000 500								
Annual average		2018	0.000 100								
-		2019	0.000 300								
		2020	0.000 300								
Highest Monthly Average J	January	2020	0.000 033								
pH	•							6.5		6.6	12
TRC									< 0.8	< 1.0	6
Fecal Coliform									< 14	< 30	6
CBOD5								< 3.0	< 3.0	< 3.0	6
TSS								< 5.0	< 5.0	< 5.0	6
Ammonia N								< 1.5	< 1.5	< 1.5	6

#### **SFTF Monitoring Frequencies**

Although the Department's current SOP recommends monitoring frequencies be set at 1/month, the SOP also states that an existing facility that has been well maintained may roll over less stringent monitoring requirements for SFTF's. For this reason, monitoring once every six months will be reimposed.

#### **CBOD5 and TSS Limits**

Although the Department's current SOP recommends tertiary treatment limits, the SOP also states that an existing facility that is not capable of meeting those limits and has no documented compliance concerns may roll over less stringent limits for SFTF's. For this reason, the limits established in precious permits will be re-imposed. 11/20/2023 CWY

# **Proposed Effluent Limitations and Monitoring Requirements**

The limitations and monitoring requirements specified below are proposed for the draft permit, and reflect the most stringent limitations amongst technology, water quality and BPJ. Instantaneous Maximum (IMAX) limits are determined using multipliers of 2 (conventional pollutants) or 2.5 (toxic pollutants). Sample frequencies and types are derived from the "NPDES Permit Writer's Manual" (362-0400-001), SOPs and/or BPJ.

## Outfall 001, Effective Period: Permit Effective Date through Permit Expiration Date.

	Effluent Limitations							quirements
Parameter	Mass Units	(lbs/day) (1)		Concentrati	Minimum <sup>(2)</sup>	Required		
Farameter	Average Monthly	Average Weekly	Minimum	Semi-Annual Average	Maximum	Instant. Maximum	Measurement Frequency	Sample Type
Flow (MGD)	0.0005	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	1/6 months	Measured
pH (S.U.)	XXX	XXX	6.0 Inst Min	XXX	XXX	9.0	1/6 months	Grab
TRC	XXX	XXX	XXX	0.5	XXX	1.6	1/6 months	Grab
CBOD5	XXX	XXX	XXX	25.0	XXX	50.0	1/6 months	Grab
TSS	xxx	XXX	XXX	30.0	XXX	60.0	1/6 months	Grab
Fecal Coliform (No./100 ml) Oct 1 - Apr 30	XXX	XXX	XXX	2000	XXX	10000	1/6 months	Grab
Fecal Coliform (No./100 ml) May 1 - Sep 30	XXX	XXX	XXX	200	XXX	1000	1/6 months	Grab
Ammonia	XXX	XXX	XXX	25.0	XXX	50.0	1/6 months	Grab

Compliance Sampling Location: Outfall 001 after disinfection