

# Northeast Regional Office CLEAN WATER PROGRAM

 Application Type
 New

 Facility Type
 Storm Water

 Major / Minor
 Minor

# NPDES PERMIT FACT SHEET INDIVIDUAL INDUSTRIAL WASTE (IW) AND IW STORMWATER

Application No. PA0276537

APS ID 1053942

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Client ID	95540	Site ID	447956
SIC Code	2013	Municipality	Upper Milford Township
SIC Description	Manufacturing - Sausages And Other Prepared Meats	County	Lehigh
Date Application Received December 29, 2021		EPA Waived?	Yes
Date Application Accepted		If No, Reason	

#### **Summary of Review**

The application is for a new NPDES permit for an existing discharge of Industrial Stormwater. The receiving stream, Unnamed Tributary to Little Lehigh Creek (HQ-CWF, MF), is located in State Water Plan watershed 2-C and is classified for High Quality-Cold Water and Migratory Fish, aquatic life, water supply and recreation. Per the Department's current existing use list, the receiving stream does not have an existing use classification that is more protective than the designated use. The discharge is not expected to affect public water supplies

The facility is classified under SIC Code 2013 - Establishments primarily engaged in manufacturing sausages, cured meats, smoked meats, canned meats, frozen meats, and other prepared meats and meat specialties, from purchased carcasses and other materials.

The PAG-03 General Permit Appendix I contains the minimal site specific best management practices (BMPs) and monitoring requirements for this industrial stormwater classification. The requirements will also include prohibition of non-stormwater discharges; Hazardous Substances Release; a PPC Plan; Comprehensive Site Compliance Inspection; and Record keeping.

PAG-03 General Stormwater Permit Appendix I has the expected Statewide Benchmark Values for this class of industry. Effective BMPs must be installed to attain these values. A benchmark value is the concentration of a pollutant in stormwater discharges that serves as a threshold for the determination of whether existing site BMPs are effective in controlling stormwater pollution. In the event that stormwater discharge concentrations for a parameter exceeds the benchmark value(s) identified at the same outfall for two or more consecutive monitoring periods, the permittee shall develop a corrective action plan to reduce the concentrations of the parameters in stormwater discharges. Utilize Pennsylvania Stormwater Best Management Practices Manual 363-0300-002 when required.

Approve	Deny	Signatures	Date
Х		Bernard Feist (signed) Bernard Feist, P.E. / Environmental Engineer	January 6, 2022
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## **Summary of Review**

	Monitoring Requirements			
Parameter PAG-03 - App I	Minimum Measurement Frequency	Sample Type	Benchmark Values	
pH (S.U.)	1 / 6 months	Grab	XXX	
5-Day Biochemical Oxygen Demand (BOD5) (mg/L)	1 / 6 months	Grab	XXX	
Total Suspended Solids (TSS) (mg/L)	1 / 6 months	Grab	100	
Chemical Oxygen Demand (COD) (mg/L)	1 / 6 months	Grab	120	
Nitrate + Nitrite-Nitrogen (mg/L)	1 / 6 months	Grab	XXX	
Oil and Grease (mg/L)	1 / 6 months	Grab	30	

### **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 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.