

Application Type	Renewal		Application No.	PAI133524
Facility Type	MS4	NPDES PERMIT FACT SHEET MS4s	APS ID	855412
Permit Type	Individual	INC-13	Authorization ID	1216079
		Applicant and Facility Information		
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Applicant Name	Capital Region Water	Facility Name	Harrisburg City MS4			
Applicant Address	212 Locust Street Suite 500	Facility Address	212 Locust Street Suite 500			
	Harrisburg, PA 17101		Harrisburg, PA 17101			
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Client ID	43333	Site ID	615160			
SIC Code	9199	Municipality	Harrisburg City			
SIC Description	Public Admin Genral Government, Nec	County	Dauphin			
Date Application Receiv	ved September 15, 2017					
Date Application Accep	ted February 15, 2018					
Purpose of Application	Application for an individual MS4 NF	Application for an individual MS4 NPDES permit for discharge of stormwater.				

## Internal Review and Recommendations

Per PA Title 25 § 92a.54 because the MS4 discharges to a surface water that requires a TMDL Plan, Capital Region Water must seek permit coverage under an individual permit.

Capital Region Water discharges to five (5) receiving waters: Unnamed Tributary to Spring Creek, Asylum Run (WWF, MF), Susquehanna River (WWF, MF), Paxton Creek (WWF, MF), and Spring Creek (CWF, MF)

According to the MS4 Requirements Table, Capital Region Water is subject to the following IP appendix requirements: Appendix B

Appendix C

Appendix D Appendix E

Appendix E Appendix F

To comply with Appendices D, E and F, Capital Region Water has submitted a Pollutant Reduction Plan (PRP) and TMDL Plan. The plan is a joint plan with Lower Paxton Township and Susquehanna Township and combines the Chesapeake Bay PRP and Paxton Creek Watershed TMDL Plan.

There are no unresolved violations associated with Capital Region Water that would affect issuance of coverage.

It is recommended that individual permit coverage is granted in accordance with 40 CFR §123.35.

Approve	Deny	Signatures	Date
х		/s/ Jacob S. Rakowsky, EIT / Environmental Engineering Specialist	4/20/2020
х		/s/ Scott M. Arwood, P.E. / Environmental Engineer Manager	4/20/2020

## **Internal Review and Recommendations**

DEP has reviewed the revised PRP/TMDL Plan that was dated 12/27/19. DEP offers the following comments and recommendations based on the review, which will be evaluated by DEP during the permit term:

- 1. Please ensure that existing stream restoration projects, used to reduce the pollutant reduction obligations, meet the minimum qualifying criteria in DEP's stream restoration guidance document and are maintained properly.
- 2. Please ensure the proposed stream restoration projects meet DEP's stream restoration guidance. In final crediting please ensure that sections of hard armoring are properly accounted for using current Chesapeake Bay Expert Panel guidelines to determine the creditable restoration length.
- 3. Proposed stream restoration project BMP-12, Greenbelt Parkway, is listed with a length of 1,800 feet. This appears to be "Site 1" of the Paxtang Parkway Watershed Restoration Phase 1 included in Appendix H. Design drawings included in Appendix H are not consistent with the 1,800-foot length. Please resolve this discrepancy before final crediting.

## 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.