

FIELD LOG –

Weeks of March 18 and March 25

Continue to implement the 2013 PROPOSED
SUSQUEHANNA RIVER SAMPLING PLAN:

- *Susquehanna River flows are beginning to decrease and site reconnaissance and site delineation has started and will continue into April.*
- *Water chemistry grab samples and data logger maintenance was performed on small, warm, and nutrient-rich streams in the southeast part of the state.*
- *Data loggers will begin to be deployed early April in Susquehanna and Juniata River tributaries.*
- *DEP staff are coordinating with Fish and Boat Commission and USGS to begin collecting adult smallmouth bass for histopathology and chemical investigations.*
- *Monthly water quality pesticide sampling at one site*

each on the Delaware and Juniata River and three sites on the Susquehanna started mid-March. Storm water pesticide samples were collected March 14th at all sites following a rain storm.