

Application Type Renewal  
 Facility Type Non-Municipal  
 Major / Minor Minor

**NPDES PERMIT FACT SHEET  
INDIVIDUAL SEWAGE**

Application No. PA0033111  
 APS ID 350308  
 Authorization ID 1338458

**Applicant and Facility Information**

Applicant Name	<u>Oak Creek Campgrounds Inc.</u>	Facility Name	<u>Oak Creek Campground</u>
Applicant Address	<u>PO Box 128</u> <u>Bowmansville, PA 17507-0128</u>	Facility Address	<u>400 East Maple Grove Road</u> <u>Narvon, PA 17555</u>
Applicant Contact	<u>Michael Schaden</u>	Facility Contact	<u>Michael Schaden</u>
Applicant Phone	<u>(717) 445-6161</u>	Facility Phone	<u>(717) 445-6161</u>
Client ID	<u>37367</u>	Site ID	<u>444146</u>
Ch 94 Load Status	<u>Not Overloaded</u>	Municipality	<u>Brecknock Township</u>
Connection Status	<u>No Limitations</u>	County	<u>Lancaster</u>
Date Application Received	<u>December 21, 2020</u>	EPA Waived?	<u>Yes</u>
Date Application Accepted	<u>January 12, 2021</u>	If No, Reason	<u></u>
Purpose of Application	<u>NPDES permit Renewal.</u>		

**Summary of Review**

Oak Creek Campground, Inc. has applied to the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) for reissuance of its National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit for Oak Creek Campground STP. This permit renewal application was received on January 11, 2021. The permit was last reissued on August 30, 2016, authorizing discharge of treated sewage from the existing treatment plant located in Brecknock Township, Lancaster County into Rock Run. The permit expired on August 30, 2021 and was administratively extended since a timely application was submitted.

The permitted Annual Average Design Flow and Hydraulic Design Capacity is 0.00423 MGD. This plant discharges treated sewage to Rock Creek, a tributary to Conestoga Creek in Lower Susquehanna River basin. The camp site contains spaces for 300 camp sites with the owner living at the site year-round. Potable water is supplied by wells. Sodium Hypochlorite is the only chemical used in the plant.

The Oak Creek Campground has held a Water Quality Management permit since 1964 and an NPDES permit once that program was created.

Sludge use and disposal description and location(s): N/A

Changes from the previous permit: Unit of Fecal Coliform changed from CFU/100 ml to No./100 ml. The E. Coli. monitoring and report requirements will add to the proposed permit.

Based on the review outlined in this fact sheet, it is recommended that the permit be drafted. A public notice of the draft permit will be published in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin* for public comments for 30 days.

Approve	Deny	Signatures	Date
X		<i>Hilaryle</i> Hilary H. Le / Environmental Engineering Specialist	November 12, 2021
X		<i>Maria D. Bebenek for</i> Daniel W. Martin, P.E. / Environmental Engineer Manager	November 30, 2021

Discharge, Receiving Waters and Water Supply Information			
Outfall No.	001	Design Flow (MGD)	0.00423
Latitude	40° 11' 58.96"	Longitude	-75° 59' 27.51"
Quad Name	Morgantown	Quad Code	
Wastewater Description: Sewage Effluent			
Receiving Waters	Rock Run (HQ-TSF, MF)	Stream Code	07781
NHD Com ID	57461637	RMI	2.3
Drainage Area	6.59 mi. <sup>2</sup>	Yield (cfs/mi <sup>2</sup> )	0.1
Q <sub>7-10</sub> Flow (cfs)	0.68	Q <sub>7-10</sub> Basis	USGS StreamStats
Elevation (ft)	443	Slope (ft/ft)	
Watershed No.	7-J	Chapter 93 Class.	HQ-TSF, MF
Existing Use		Existing Use Qualifier	
Exceptions to Use		Exceptions to Criteria	
Assessment Status	Impaired		
Cause(s) of Impairment	Nutrient, Siltation		
Source(s) of Impairment	Grazing in Riparian or Shoreline Zones		
TMDL Status	Name		
Nearest Downstream Public Water Supply Intake	Lancaster Municipal Water Authority, Lancaster County		
PWS Waters	Conestoga River	Flow at Intake (cfs)	
PWS RMI	24.0 miles	Distance from Outfall (mi)	Approximate 30.0 miles

Changes Since Last Permit Issuance:

**Drainage Area**

The discharge is to Rock Run at RMI 2.3 miles. A drainage area upstream of the discharge is estimated to be 6.59 mi.<sup>2</sup>, according to USGS PA StreamStats available at <https://streamstats.usgs.gov/ss/>.

**Streamflow**

According to StreamStats, the discharge point on Rock Run has a Q<sub>7-10</sub> of 0.68 cfs and a drainage area of 6.59 mi.<sup>2</sup>, which results in a Q<sub>7-10</sub> low flow yield of 0.1 cfs/mi.<sup>2</sup>. This information is used to obtain a chronic or 30-day (Q<sub>30-10</sub>), and an acute or 1-day (Q<sub>1-10</sub>) exposure stream flow for the discharge point as follows (Guidance No. 391-2000-023):

$$\begin{aligned}
 Q_{7-10} &= 0.68 \text{ cfs} \\
 \text{Low Flow Yield} &= 0.68 \text{ cfs} / 6.59 \text{ mi.}^2 \approx 0.1 \text{ cfs/mi.}^2 \\
 Q_{30-10} &= 1.36 * 0.68 \text{ cfs} \approx 0.92 \text{ cfs} \\
 Q_{1-10} &= 0.64 * 0.68 \text{ cfs} \approx 0.44 \text{ cfs}
 \end{aligned}$$

The resulting Q<sub>7-10</sub> dilution ratio is:  $Q_{\text{stream}} / Q_{\text{discharge}} = 0.68 \text{ cfs} / [0.00423 \text{ MGD} * (1.55 \text{ cfs/MGD})] = 103.7:1$

**Public Water Supply**

The nearest downstream public water supply intake is the Lancaster Municipal Authority, Lancaster County, approximately 30 miles downstream of this discharge. Considering distance and dilution, the discharge is not expected to impact the water supply.

Treatment Facility Summary				
Treatment Facility Name: Oak Creek Campground				
WQM Permit No.		Issuance Date		
Waste Type	Degree of Treatment	Process Type	Disinfection	Avg Annual Flow (MGD)
Sewage	Tertiary	Septic Tank Sand Filter W/Sol Removal	Hypochlorite	0.00423
Hydraulic Capacity (MGD)	Organic Capacity (lbs/day)	Load Status	Biosolids Treatment	Biosolids Use/Disposal
0.00423		Not Overloaded		Other WWTP

Changes Since Last Permit Issuance:

The wastewater follows the following treatment train:

Influent → septic tanks in series (16) → lift station → intermittent sand filters (2) → chlorine contact tank → discharge through 001

The chemical uses such as sodium Hypochlorite for disinfectant.

Compliance History	
<b>Summary of DMRs:</b>	The DMRs reported from October 1, 2020 to September 30, 2021 are summarized in the Table below (Pages # 4, & 5).
<b>Summary of Inspections:</b>	9/18/2018: Tracy Tomtishen & Kevin Buss, DEP Environmental Trainee & WQS, conducted a compliance evaluation inspection. There was a violation of sections 401 & 402 of The Clean Stream Law due to a discharge of chlorinated swimming pool water to Rock Creek. There were recommendations such as to provide an SOP outlining the end of season closing procedures for the facility's swimming pool & septic tank hauling records and flow meter calibration records to the Department within 30 days of receiving this report, post DEP 24-hour emergency Response Number at the facility and in SOP, and ensure the inspectors have access to any records that must be kept under the conditions of this permit on site.
<b>Other Comments:</b>	There are no open violations associated to the facility or the permittee.

Other Comments:

Compliance History

DMR Data for Outfall 001 (from October 1, 2020 to September 30, 2021)

Parameter	SEP-21	AUG-21	JUL-21	JUN-21	MAY-21	APR-21	MAR-21	FEB-21	JAN-21	DEC-20	NOV-20	OCT-20
Flow (MGD) Average Monthly	0.00154	0.00129	0.00092	0.00211	0.00209	0.00201	0.00213	0.0018	0.00174	0.00204	0.00138	0.00114
Flow (MGD) Daily Maximum	0.0031	0.00275	0.00175	0.00325	0.0038	0.004	0.0031	0.0024	0.0024	0.00325	0.0033	0.00225
pH (S.U.) Minimum	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8
pH (S.U.) Maximum	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9
TRC (mg/L) Average Monthly	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
TRC (mg/L) Instantaneous Maximum	0.5	0.5	0.8	0.7	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
CBOD5 (mg/L) Average Monthly	15.1	6.6	7.0	6.3	41.9	< 2.4	2.5	< 3.2	< 3.0	5.5	6.0	< 6.0
CBOD5 (mg/L) Instantaneous Maximum	26.2	10.7	8.3	6.9	76.0	< 2.4	2.6	4.0	3.0	6.0	6.0	9.0
TSS (mg/L) Average Monthly	7.0	10.0	16.0	23.5	12.0	3.0	3.0	2.5	1.5	4.0	6.0	6.0
TSS (mg/L) Instantaneous Maximum	12.0	13.0	20.0	26.0	21.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	2.0	4.0	6.0	7.0
Fecal Coliform (No./100 ml) Geometric Mean	> 49	> 191	< 1.0	> 49	> 2420	> 689	923	1.4	7.7	38	> 49	> 98.4
Fecal Coliform (No./100 ml) Instantaneous Maximum	> 2420	> 2420	< 1.0	> 2420	> 2420	> 2420	1553	2.0	59	1414	> 2420	> 2420
Nitrate-Nitrite (mg/L) Average Quarterly	97.1			< 4.5			< 3.3			45.6		
Nitrate-Nitrite (lbs) Total Quarterly	74.5			6.32			5.57			15.75		
Total Nitrogen (mg/L) Average Quarterly	97.6			< 5.0			< 3.8			50.4		
Total Nitrogen (lbs) Total Quarterly	74.9			7.02			6.42			17.4		

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Ammonia (mg/L) Average Monthly	18.3	18.1	< 1.2	7.1	12.7	< 0.165	< 0.10	< 0.10	< 0.1	1.08	16.0	15.5
Ammonia (mg/L) Average Quarterly	12.5			6.64			< 0.1			10.9		
Ammonia (lbs) Total Quarterly	11.03			12.45			0.144			6.9		
TKN (mg/L) Average Quarterly	< 0.5			< 0.5			< 0.50			4.8		
TKN (lbs) Total Quarterly	0.38			0.7			< 0.85			1.66		
Total Phosphorus (mg/L) Average Quarterly	7.3			0.55			0.6			7.2		
Total Phosphorus (lbs) Total Quarterly	5.6			0.77			1.0			2.5		

**Development of Effluent Limitations**

<b>Outfall No.</b> <u>001</u>	<b>Design Flow (MGD)</b> <u>0.00423</u>
<b>Latitude</b> <u>40° 11' 58.96"</u>	<b>Longitude</b> <u>-75° 59' 27.51"</u>
<b>Wastewater Description:</b> <u>Sewage Effluent</u>	

**Technology-Based Limitations**

The following technology-based limitations apply, subject to water quality analysis and BPJ where applicable:

Pollutant	Limit (mg/l)	SBC	Federal Regulation	State Regulation
CBOD <sub>5</sub>	25	Average Monthly	133.102(a)(4)(i)	92a.47(a)(1)
	40	Average Weekly	133.102(a)(4)(ii)	92a.47(a)(2)
Total Suspended Solids	30	Average Monthly	133.102(b)(1)	92a.47(a)(1)
	45	Average Weekly	133.102(b)(2)	92a.47(a)(2)
pH	6.0 – 9.0 S.U.	Min – Max	133.102(c)	95.2(1)
Fecal Coliform (5/1 – 9/30)	200 / 100 ml	Geo Mean	-	92a.47(a)(4)
Fecal Coliform (5/1 – 9/30)	1,000 / 100 ml	IMAX	-	92a.47(a)(4)
Fecal Coliform (10/1 – 4/30)	2,000 / 100 ml	Geo Mean	-	92a.47(a)(5)
Fecal Coliform (10/1 – 4/30)	10,000 / 100 ml	IMAX	-	92a.47(a)(5)
Total Residual Chlorine	0.5	Average Monthly	-	92a.48(b)(2)

Comments:

**Water Quality-Based Limitations**

**Carbonaceous Biochemical Oxygen Demand (CBOD<sub>5</sub>):**

The attached computer printout of the WQM 7.0 stream model (version 1.1) indicates that a monthly average limit of 25.0 mg/L, or secondary treatment, is adequate to protect the water quality of the stream. However, the existing limits of 25.0 mg/L monthly average (AML), and 50.0 mg/L instantaneous maximum (IMAX) will remain in the proposed permit as per guidance document 391-2000-014. Recent DMRs and inspection reports show that the facility has been consistently achieving these limits. The minimum monitoring frequency will remain the same as 2/month which is also consistent with Permit Writers Manual Table 6-3.

**Ammonia (NH<sub>3</sub>-N):**

NH<sub>3</sub>-N calculations are based on the Department's Implementation Guidance of Section 93.7 Ammonia Criteria, dated 11/4/97 (ID No. 391-2000-013). The following data is necessary to determine the in-stream NH<sub>3</sub>-N criteria used in the attached WQM 7.0 computer model of the stream:

*	Discharge pH	=	7.0	(Default)
*	Discharge Temperature	=	20°C	(Default)
*	Stream pH	=	7.0	(Default)
*	Stream Temperature	=	20°C	(Default)
*	Background NH <sub>3</sub> -N	=	0 mg/L	(Default)

Regarding NH<sub>3</sub>-N limits, the attached computer printout of the WQM 7.0 stream model (version 1.1) indicates that a limit of 25.0 mg/L as a monthly average and 50.0 mg/L IMAX are necessary to protect the aquatic life from toxicity effects at the point of discharge. The existing limits of 25.0 mg/L monthly average (AML), and 50.0 mg/L instantaneous maximum (IMAX). This is consistent with the existing permit. Recent DMRs and inspection reports show that the facility has been consistently achieving these limits. The minimum monitoring frequency will remain the same as 2/month.

**pH:**

The effluent discharge pH should remain above 6.0 and below 9.0 standard units according to 25 Pa. Code § 95.2(1).

**Total Suspended Solids (TSS):**

The existing technology-based limits of 30.0 mg/L average monthly, and 60.0 mg/L instantaneous maximum will remain in the proposed permit based on the minimum level of effluent quality attainable by secondary treatment based on 25 Pa. Code § 92a.47. Recent DMRs and inspection reports show that the facility has been consistently achieving these limits. The minimum monitoring frequency will remain the same as 2/month.

**Dissolved Oxygen (D.O.):**

A minimum D.O. of 5.0 mg/L is required per 25 Pa. Code § 93.7. However, since this facility is septic tank system and has been constructed in 1964 which eventually doesn't have external air injection system, the existing permit doesn't have D.O. requirement. The same will be retained in this renewal, however, if the permittee chose to expand the D.O. requirement will be considered.

**Fecal Coliform:**

The recent coliform guidance in 25 Pa. Code § 92a.47.(a)(4) requires a summer technology limit of 200/100 ml as a geometric mean and an instantaneous maximum not greater than 1,000/100 ml and 25 Pa. Code § 92a.47.(a)(5) requires a winter limit of 2,000/100 ml as a geometric mean and an instantaneous maximum not greater than 10,000/100 ml.

**E. Coli:**

As recommended by DEP's SOP no. BPNPSM-PMT-033, a routine monitoring for E. Coli will be included in the proposed permit under 25 Pa Code §92a.61. This requirement applies to all sewage dischargers greater than 0.002 MGD in their new and reissued permits. A monitoring frequency of 2/month will be included in the permit to be consistent with the recommendation from this SOP.

**Total Residual Chlorine (TRC):**

The attached computer printout utilizes the equations and calculations as presented in the Department's 2003 Implementation Guidance for Residual Chlorine (TRC) (ID # 391-2000-015) for developing chlorine limitations. The attached printout indicates that an average monthly water quality limit of 0.5 mg/L and IMAX of 1.6 mg/L would be needed to prevent toxicity concerns. The existing permit had an average monthly water limit of 0.5 mg/L and IMAX of 1.6 mg/L. This is consistent with the existing permit with the same monitoring frequency of 1/day. Recent DMR data indicates that the facility has been consistently achieving concentrations below these limits.

**Chesapeake Bay Strategy:**

The facility is categorized as a Phase 5 facility, a facility with a design flow greater than 0.002 MGD and less than 0.2 GMD. DEP's Phase II Watershed Implementation Plan (WIP) recommends monitoring of Total Nitrogen (TN) and Total Phosphorus (TP) for these Phase 5 facilities at a frequency no less than annually. DEP's SOP also recommends monitoring of TN and TP for any sewage facilities. However, the existing 1/quarter monitoring of TN species (Ammonia, Total Kjeldahl, and Nitrate-Nitrite-Nitrogen) and TP will remain in the proposed permit.

**Total Phosphorus:**

This facility is located in lower Susquehanna River basin which requires a local phosphorous evaluation. Phosphorus limitations are based on the Department's Implementation Guidance for Section 96.5 Phosphorus Discharges to Free-flowing Streams, dated 10/27/97 (ID No. 391-2000-018). Total phosphorus loading from this discharge would be  $8.34 \times 10 \text{ mg/l} \times 0.00423 \text{ MGD}$  or 0.35 lbs/day. Using the equation that was documented in EPA's Chesapeake Bay Management Report,  $\text{Total P @ Y} = \text{Total P} \times 0.99^Y$ , where Y = stream miles to PA-MD line, the actual loading to the critical part of the Susquehanna River would be 0.18 lbs/day at an estimated distance of 67.5 miles. This loading represents 0.18 lbs/day ÷ 3,814 lbs/day or 0.005% of the total phosphorus loading of all discharges in the Lower Susquehanna River Basin. According to the above phosphorus guidance, phosphorus removal will be required if this percentage is > 0.25%. Therefore, since 0.005 < 0.25%, phosphorus limitations will not be required.

Discharge to HQ water is also taken under consideration. Because of the HQ status, a SERA was prepared previously which resulted in a medium risk category that required a limitation of 2 mg/l. However, since the facility was constructed before the HQ designation, this limit will not be applied. This limit will be in effect in the event the facility chose to expand or upgrade.

**Toxics:**

A review of the application and inspection reports shows that there are no toxics of concern in the effluent. Therefore, no modeling is required.

**Stormwater:**

There is no stormwater outfall associated with this facility.

**Antidegradation (93.4):**

Chapter 93.4a(b) of the Department's rules and regulations require that "Existing instream water uses and the level of water quality necessary to protect the existing uses shall be maintained and protected." The discharge is into a segment of Rock Run which is classified as High Quality (HQ), Trout Stock Fishes (TSF) and Migratory Fishes (MF). The designation was imposed after the construction of the facility and discharge; therefore, it was included in the existing instream uses and water quality. If the facility plans to expand in future, the Antidegradation policy will be applied. No High Quality (HQ) stream will be impacted by this discharge. No Exceptional Value (EV) water will be impacted by this discharge.

**303d Listed Streams:**

The discharge is located in a stream segment that is designated Fish Consumption supporting but is Aquatic Life impaired due to nutrients and siltation by grazing in riparian or shoreline zones (September 24, 1998). The receiving stream is also impaired for recreational use due to pathogens from unknown source (October 16, 2015). Effluent limits were set up in the permit so that the discharge from this facility doesn't contribute to the impairment.

**Class A Wild Trout Fisheries:**

No Class A Wild Trout Fisheries are impacted by this discharge.

**WQM 7.0:**

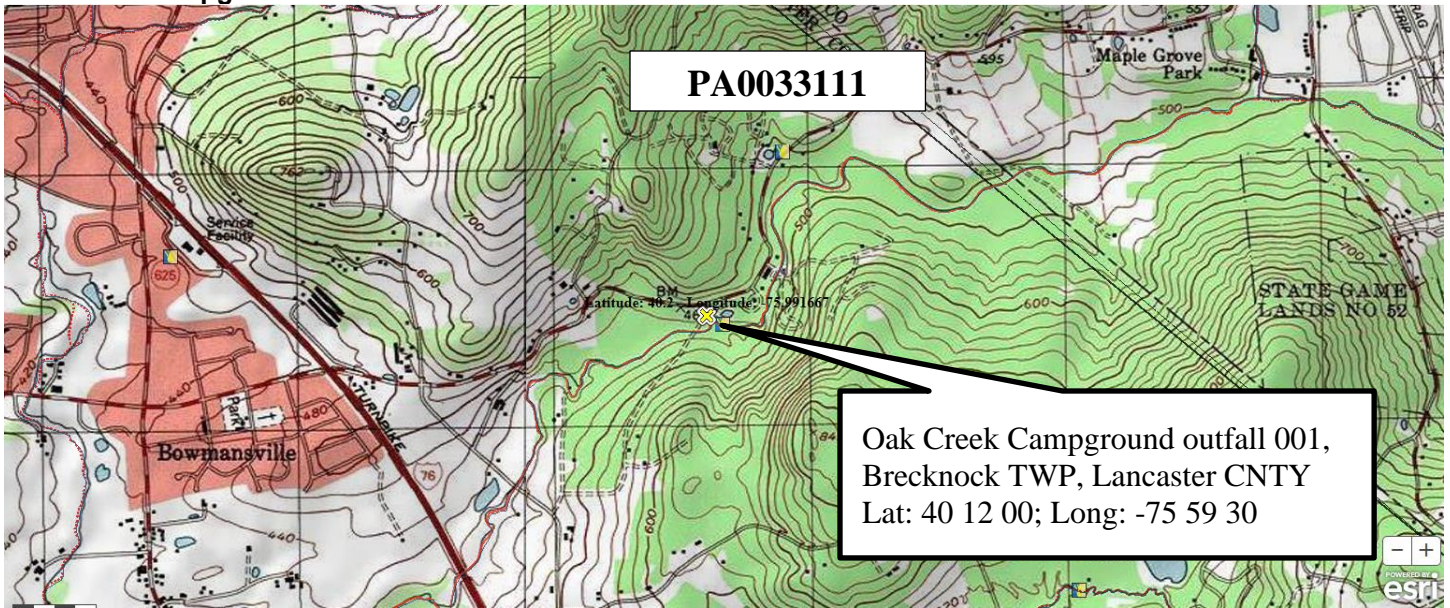
The following data were used in the attached computer model (WQM 7.0) of the stream:

- Discharge pH 7.0 (Default)
- Discharge Temperature 20°C (Default)
- Stream pH 7.0 (Default)
- Stream Temperature 20°C (Default)

The following two nodes were used in modeling:

- Node 1: Outfall 001 at Rock Run (07781)  
Elevation: 443 ft (USGS Topo Map)  
Drainage Area: 6.59 mi<sup>2</sup> (USGS StreamStats)  
River Mile Index: 2.3 (PA DEP eMapPA)  
Low Flow Yield: 0.1 cfs/mi<sup>2</sup>  
Discharge Flow: 0.00423 MGD
- Node 2: Before the confluence with Muddy Creek (07760)  
Elevation: 406 ft (USGS Topo Map)  
Drainage Area: 7.72 mi<sup>2</sup> (USGS StreamStats)  
River Mile Index: 0.001 (PA DEP eMapPA)  
Low Flow Yield: 0.1 cfs/mi<sup>2</sup>  
Discharge Flow: 0.00 MGD





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Parameter Code	Parameter Description	Value	Unit
DRNAREA	Area that drains to a point on a stream	6.59	square miles
BSLOPD	Mean basin slope measured in degrees	5.9593	degrees
ROCKDEP	Depth to rock	4.5	feet
URBAN	Percentage of basin with urban development	0.9564	percent

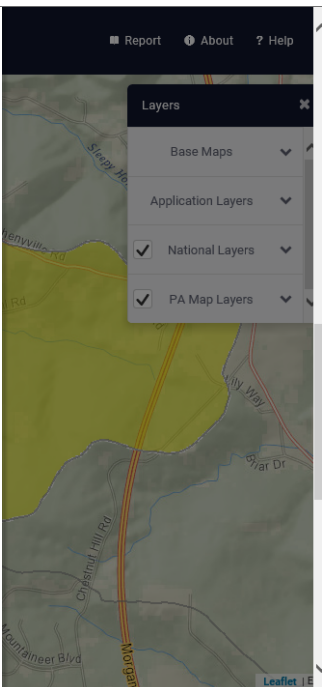
Low-Flow Statistics Parameters<sub>[Low Flow Region 1]</sub>

Parameter Code	Parameter Name	Value	Units	Min Limit	Max Limit
DRNAREA	Drainage Area	6.59	square miles	4.78	1150
BSLOPD	Mean Basin Slope degrees	5.9593	degrees	1.7	6.4
ROCKDEP	Depth to Rock	4.5	feet	4.13	5.21
URBAN	Percent Urban	0.9564	percent	0	89

Low-Flow Statistics Flow Report<sub>[Low Flow Region 1]</sub>

PII: Prediction Interval-Lower, PIU: Prediction Interval-Upper, SEp: Standard Error of Prediction, SE: Standard Error (other -- see report)

Statistic	Value	Unit	SE	SEp
7 Day 2 Year Low Flow	1.44	ft <sup>3</sup> /s	46	46
30 Day 2 Year Low Flow	1.83	ft <sup>3</sup> /s	38	38
7 Day 10 Year Low Flow	0.683	ft <sup>3</sup> /s	51	51
30 Day 10 Year Low Flow	0.898	ft <sup>3</sup> /s	46	46
90 Day 10 Year Low Flow	1.29	ft <sup>3</sup> /s	41	41



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Parameter Code	Parameter Description	Value	Unit
DRNAREA	Area that drains to a point on a stream	7.72	square miles
BSLOPD	Mean basin slope measured in degrees	5.806	degrees
ROCKDEP	Depth to rock	4.4	feet
URBAN	Percentage of basin with urban development	1.8366	percent

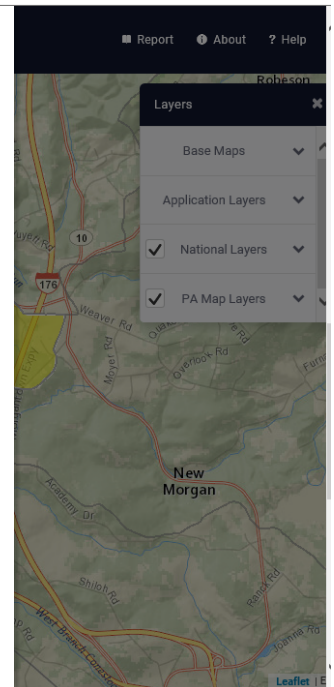
Low-Flow Statistics Parameters<sub>(Low Flow Region 1)</sub>

Parameter Code	Parameter Name	Value	Units	Min Limit	Max Limit
DRNAREA	Drainage Area	7.72	square miles	4.78	1150
BSLOPD	Mean Basin Slope degrees	5.806	degrees	1.7	6.4
ROCKDEP	Depth to Rock	4.4	feet	4.13	5.21
URBAN	Percent Urban	1.8366	percent	0	89

Low-Flow Statistics Flow Report<sub>(Low Flow Region 1)</sub>

PI: Prediction Interval-Lower, PIU: Prediction Interval-Upper, SEP: Standard Error of Prediction, SE: Standard Error (other -- see report)

Statistic	Value	Unit	SE	SEP
7 Day 2 Year Low Flow	1.51	ft <sup>3</sup> /s	46	46
30 Day 2 Year Low Flow	1.95	ft <sup>3</sup> /s	38	38
7 Day 10 Year Low Flow	0.704	ft <sup>3</sup> /s	51	51
30 Day 10 Year Low Flow	0.942	ft <sup>3</sup> /s	46	46
90 Day 10 Year Low Flow	1.39	ft <sup>3</sup> /s	41	41



Analysis Results WQM 7.0

Hydrodynamics NH3-N Allocations D.O. Allocations D.O. Simulation **Effluent Limitations**

RMI	Discharge Name	Permit Number	Disc Flow (mgd)
2.30	Oak Creek	PA0033111	0.0042

Parameter	Effluent Limit 30 Day Average (mg/L)	Effluent Limit Maximum (mg/L)	Effluent Limit Minimum (mg/L)
CBOD5	25		
NH3-N	25	50	
Dissolved Oxygen			5

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### WQM 7.0 Effluent Limits

SWP Basin		Stream Code		Stream Name			
07J		7781		"ROCK RUN"			
RMI	Name	Permit Number	Disc. Flow (mgd)	Parameter	Eff. Limit 30-day Ave. (mg/L)	Eff. Limit Maximum (mg/L)	Eff. Limit Minimum (mg/L)
2.300	Oak Creek	PA0033111	0.004	CBOD5	25		
				NH3-N	25	50	
				Dissolved Oxygen			5

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### WQM 7.0 Wasteload Allocations

SWP Basin		Stream Code		Stream Name					
07J		7781		"ROCK RUN"					
<b>NH3-N Acute Allocations</b>									
RMI	Discharge Name	Baseline Criterion (mg/L)	Baseline WLA (mg/L)	Multiple Criterion (mg/L)	Multiple WLA (mg/L)	Critical Reach	Percent Reduction		
2.300	Oak Creek	16.76	50	16.76	50	0	0		
<b>NH3-N Chronic Allocations</b>									
RMI	Discharge Name	Baseline Criterion (mg/L)	Baseline WLA (mg/L)	Multiple Criterion (mg/L)	Multiple WLA (mg/L)	Critical Reach	Percent Reduction		
2.300	Oak Creek	1.89	25	1.89	25	0	0		
<b>Dissolved Oxygen Allocations</b>									
RMI	Discharge Name	CBOD5		NH3-N		Dissolved Oxygen		Critical Reach	Percent Reduction
		Baseline (mg/L)	Multiple (mg/L)	Baseline (mg/L)	Multiple (mg/L)	Baseline (mg/L)	Multiple (mg/L)		
2.300	Oak Creek	25	25	25	25	5	5	0	0

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### WQM 7.0 D.O. Simulation

SMP Basin	Stream Code	Stream Name		
07J	7781	"ROCK RUN"		
RMI	Total Discharge Flow (mgd)	Analysis Temperature (°C)	Analysis pH	
2300	0.004	20.000	7.000	
Reach Width (ft)	Reach Depth (ft)	Reach WDRatio	Reach Velocity (fps)	
12346	0.485	25.701	0.105	
Reach CBOD5 (mg/L)	Reach Kd (1/days)	Reach NH3-N (mg/L)	Reach Nit (1/days)	
222	0.075	0.34	0.700	
Reach DO (mg/L)	Reach K1 (1/days)	K1 Equation	Reach DO Goal (mg/L)	
8.211	18.411	Owens	5	
Reach Travel Time (days)	Subreach Results			
1.325	Time (days)	CBOD5 (mg/L)	NH3-N (mg/L)	DO (mg/L)
	0.133	2.20	0.22	8.24
	0.255	2.18	0.20	8.24
	0.380	2.15	0.18	8.24
	0.530	2.14	0.17	8.24
	0.663	2.12	0.15	8.24
	0.795	2.10	0.14	8.24
	0.928	2.07	0.13	8.24
	1.060	2.05	0.12	8.24
	1.193	2.03	0.11	8.24
	1.325	2.01	0.10	8.24

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rptModelSpecs

### WQM 7.0 Modeling Specifications

Parameters	Both	Use Inputted Q1-10 and Q50-10 Flows
WLA Method	EMPR	<input type="checkbox"/>
Q1-10/Q7-10 Ratio	0.64	<input type="checkbox"/>
Q5-10/Q7-10 Ratio	1.35	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
DO Saturation	50.00%	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
DO Goal	5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		Use Inputted WDRatio <input type="checkbox"/>
		Use Inputted Reach Travel Time <input type="checkbox"/>
		Temperature Adjust K1 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		Use Balanced Technology <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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### WQM 7.0 Hydrodynamic Outputs

SWP Basin		Stream Code		Stream Name								
07J		7781		"ROCK RUN"								
RMI	Stream Flow	PWS With	Net Stream Flow	Disc. Flow	Reach Slope	Depth	Width	WD Ratio	Velocity	Reach Trv Time	Analysis Temp	Analysis pH
(cfs)	(cfs)	(cfs)	(cfs)	(cfs)	(%/)	(ft)	(ft)		(fps)	(days)	(°C)	
<b>Q7-10 Flow</b>												
2300	0.66	0.00	0.66	.0065	0.00305	.485	12.95	26.7	0.11	1.325	20.00	7.00
<b>Q1-10 Flow</b>												
2300	0.42	0.00	0.42	.0065	0.00305	NA	NA	NA	0.08	1.696	20.00	7.00
<b>Q30-10 Flow</b>												
2300	0.90	0.00	0.90	.0065	0.00305	NA	NA	NA	0.13	1.117	20.00	7.00

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### Input Data WQM7.0

SWP Basin	Stream Code	Stream Name	RMI	Elevation	Drainage Area	Slope	PWS Withdrawal	Apply FC
(ft)	(ft)	(sq mi)	(%/)	(ft)	(sq mi)	(%/)	(mgd)	
07J	7781	"ROCK RUN"	2.300	443.00	6.59	0.00000	0.00	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

#### Stress Data

LFY	Trib Flow	Stream Flow	Rch Trv Time	Rch Velocity	WD Ratio	Rch Width	Rch Depth	Trib Temp	Stream Temp	pH
(dsm)	(cfs)	(cfs)	(days)	(fps)		(ft)	(ft)	(°C)	(°C)	
Q7-10	0.100	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.000	0.0	0.00	0.00	20.00	7.00
Q1-10	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.000	0.000					
Q30-10	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.000	0.000					

#### Discharge Data

Name	Permit Number	Existing Disc. Flow	Permitted Disc. Flow	Design Disc. Flow	Reserve Factor	Disc. Temp	Disc. pH
		(mgd)	(mgd)	(mgd)		(°C)	
Oak Creek	PA0033111	0.0042	0.0042	0.0042	0.000	20.00	7.00

#### Parameter Data

Parameter Name	Disc Conc	Trib Conc	Stream Conc	Fate Coef
	(mg/L)	(mg/L)	(mg/L)	(1/days)
CBOD5	25.00	2.00	0.00	1.50
Dissolved Oxygen	5.00	8.24	0.00	0.00
NH3-N	25.00	0.00	0.00	0.70

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**Input Data WQM7.0**

SWP Basin	Stream Code	Stream Name	RMI	Elevation (ft)	Drainage Area (sq mi)	Slope (ft/ft)	PWS Withdrawal (mgd)	Apply FC
07J	7781	"ROCK RUN"	0.001	406.00	7.72	0.00000	0.00	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

**Stream Data**

Design Cond.	LFY (dism)	Trib Flow (dts)	Stream Flow (cfs)	Rch Trav Time (days)	Rch Velocity (fps)	WD Ratio	Rch Width (ft)	Rch Depth (ft)	Tributary		Stream	
									Temp (°C)	pH	Temp (°C)	pH
Q7-10	0.100	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.000	0.0	0.00	0.00	20.00	7.00	0.00	0.00
Q1-10		0.00	0.00	0.000	0.000							
Q30-10		0.00	0.00	0.000	0.000							

**Discharge Data**

Name	Permit Number	Existing Disc Flow (mgd)	Permitted Disc Flow (mgd)	Design Disc Flow (mgd)	Reserve Fador	Disc Temp (°C)	Disc pH
Oak Creek	PA0033111	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	20.00	7.00

**Parameter Data**

Parameter Name	Disc Conc (mg/L)	Trib Conc (mg/L)	Stream Conc (mg/L)	Fate Coef (1/days)
CBOD5	2500	2.00	0.00	1.50
Dissolved Oxygen	500	8.24	0.00	0.00
NH3-N	2500	0.00	0.00	0.70

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<b>TRC EVALUATION</b>			
Input appropriate values in A3:A9 and D3:D9			
0.68	= Q stream (cfs)	0.5	= CV Daily
0.00423	= Q discharge (MGD)	0.5	= CV Hourly
30	= no. samples	1	= AFC_Partial Mix Factor
0.3	= Chlorine Demand of Stream	1	= CFC_Partial Mix Factor
0	= Chlorine Demand of Discharge	15	= AFC_Criteria Compliance Time (min)
0.5	= BAT/BPJ Value	720	= CFC_Criteria Compliance Time (min)
0	= % Factor of Safety (FOS)		=Decay Coefficient (K)
Source	Reference	AFC Calculations	Reference CFC Calculations
TRC	1.3.2.iii	WLA_afc = 33.168	1.3.2.iii WLA_cfc = 32.329
PENTOXSD TRG	5.1a	LTAMULT_afc = 0.373	5.1c LTAMULT_cfc = 0.581
PENTOXSD TRG	5.1b	LTA_afc = 12.359	5.1d LTA_cfc = 18.794
Source	Effluent Limit Calculations		
PENTOXSD TRG	5.1f	AML_MULT = 1.231	
PENTOXSD TRG	5.1g	AVG_MON_LIMIT (mg/l) = 0.500	BAT/BPJ
		INST_MAX_LIMIT (mg/l) = 1.635	
WLA_afc	$(.019/e^{-k \cdot AFC\_tc}) + [(AFC\_Yc \cdot Qs \cdot .019 / Qd \cdot e^{-k \cdot AFC\_tc}) \dots + Xd + (AFC\_Yc \cdot Qs \cdot Xs / Qd)] \cdot (1 - FOS / 100)$		
LTAMULT_afc	$EXP((0.5 \cdot LN(cvh^2 + 1)) - 2.326 \cdot LN(cvh^2 + 1)^{0.5})$		
LTA_afc	wla_afc * LTAMULT_afc		
WLA_cfc	$(.011/e^{-k \cdot CFC\_tc}) + [(CFC\_Yc \cdot Qs \cdot .011 / Qd \cdot e^{-k \cdot CFC\_tc}) \dots + Xd + (CFC\_Yc \cdot Qs \cdot Xs / Qd)] \cdot (1 - FOS / 100)$		
LTAMULT_cfc	$EXP((0.5 \cdot LN(cvd^2 / no\_samples + 1)) - 2.326 \cdot LN(cvd^2 / no\_samples + 1)^{0.5})$		
LTA_cfc	wla_cfc * LTAMULT_cfc		
AML_MULT	$EXP(2.326 \cdot LN((cvd^2 / no\_samples + 1)^{0.5}) - 0.5 \cdot LN(cvd^2 / no\_samples + 1))$		
AVG_MON_LIMIT	MIN(BAT_BPJ, MIN(LTA_afc, LTA_cfc) * AML_MULT)		
INST_MAX_LIMIT	1.5 * ((av_mon_limit / AML_MULT) / LTAMULT_afc)		

**Existing Effluent Limitations and Monitoring Requirements**

Parameter	Effluent Limitations						Monitoring Requirements	
	Mass Units (lbs/day) <sup>(1)</sup>		Concentrations (mg/L)				Minimum <sup>(2)</sup> Measurement Frequency	Required Sample Type
	Total Monthly	Daily Maximum	Minimum	Average Monthly	Maximum	Instant. Maximum		
Flow (MGD)	Report Avg Mo	Report	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	1/week	Measured
pH (S.U.)	XXX	XXX	6.0	XXX	9.0	XXX	1/day	Grab
Total Residual Chlorine	XXX	XXX	XXX	0.5	XXX	1.6	1/day	Grab
Carbonaceous Biochemical Oxygen Demand (CBOD5)	XXX	XXX	XXX	25.0	XXX	50.0	2/month	Grab
Total Suspended Solids	XXX	XXX	XXX	30.0	XXX	60.0	2/month	Grab
Fecal Coliform (CFU/100 ml) May 1 - Sep 30	XXX	XXX	XXX	200 Geo Mean	XXX	1000	2/month	Grab
Fecal Coliform (CFU/100 ml) Oct 1 - Apr 30	XXX	XXX	XXX	2000 Geo Mean	XXX	10000	2/month	Grab
Ammonia	XXX	XXX	XXX	Report	XXX	XXX	2/month	Grab

Parameter	Effluent Limitations						Monitoring Requirements	
	Mass Units (lbs)		Concentrations (mg/L)				Minimum Measurement Frequency	Required Sample Type
	Total Monthly	Total Annual	Minimum	Average Monthly	Weekly Average	Instant. Maximum		
Ammonia-Nitrogen	Report	Report	XXX	Report	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	Grab
Nitrate-Nitrite as N	Report	XXX	XXX	Report	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	Grab
Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen	Report	XXX	XXX	Report	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	Grab
Total Phosphorus	Report	Report	XXX	Report	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	Grab
Total Nitrogen	Report	Report	XXX	Report	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	Calculation



**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.**

Parameter	Effluent Limitations						Monitoring Requirements	
	Mass Units (lbs/day) <sup>(1)</sup>		Concentrations (mg/L)				Minimum <sup>(2)</sup> Measurement Frequency	Required Sample Type
	Average Monthly	Daily Maximum	Minimum	Average Monthly	Maximum	Instant. Maximum		
Flow (MGD)	Report	Report	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	1/week	Measured
pH (S.U.)	XXX	XXX	6.0	XXX	XXX	9.0	1/day	Grab
TRC	XXX	XXX	XXX	0.5	XXX	1.6	1/day	Grab
CBOD5	XXX	XXX	XXX	25.0	XXX	50.0	2/month	Grab
TSS	XXX	XXX	XXX	30.0	XXX	60.0	2/month	Grab
Fecal Coliform (No./100 ml) May 1 - Sep 30	XXX	XXX	XXX	200 Geo Mean	XXX	1,000	2/month	Grab
Fecal Coliform (No./100 ml) Oct 1 - Apr 30	XXX	XXX	XXX	2,000 Geo Mean	XXX	10,000	2/month	Grab
E. Coli (No./100 ml)	XXX	XXX	XXX	Report	XXX	XXX	2/month	Grab
Ammonia	XXX	XXX	XXX	Report	XXX	XXX	2/month	Grab

Compliance Sampling Location:     

Other Comments:

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	Mass Units (lbs/day) <sup>(1)</sup>		Concentrations (mg/L)				Minimum <sup>(2)</sup> Measurement Frequency	Required Sample Type
	Monthly	Annual	Monthly	Monthly Average	Maximum	Instant. Maximum		
Ammonia-Nitrogen	Report	Report	XXX	Report	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	Grab
Nitrate-Nitrite as N	Report	XXX	XXX	Report	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	Grab
Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen	Report	XXX	XXX	Report	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	Grab
Total Phosphorus	Report	Report	XXX	Report	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	Grab
Total Nitrogen	Report	Report	XXX	Report	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	Calculation

Compliance Sampling Location:

Other Comments:

Tools and References Used to Develop Permit	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	WQM for Windows Model (see Attachment [redacted])
<input type="checkbox"/>	Toxics Management Spreadsheet (see Attachment [redacted])
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	TRC Model Spreadsheet (see Attachment [redacted])
<input type="checkbox"/>	Temperature Model Spreadsheet (see Attachment [redacted])
<input type="checkbox"/>	Water Quality Toxics Management Strategy, 361-0100-003, 4/06.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Technical Guidance for the Development and Specification of Effluent Limitations, 362-0400-001, 10/97.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Policy for Permitting Surface Water Diversions, 362-2000-003, 3/98.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Policy for Conducting Technical Reviews of Minor NPDES Renewal Applications, 362-2000-008, 11/96.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Technology-Based Control Requirements for Water Treatment Plant Wastes, 362-2183-003, 10/97.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Technical Guidance for Development of NPDES Permit Requirements Steam Electric Industry, 362-2183-004, 12/97.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pennsylvania CSO Policy, 385-2000-011, 9/08.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Water Quality Antidegradation Implementation Guidance, 391-0300-002, 11/03.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Implementation Guidance Evaluation & Process Thermal Discharge (316(a)) Federal Water Pollution Act, 391-2000-002, 4/97.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Determining Water Quality-Based Effluent Limits, 391-2000-003, 12/97.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Implementation Guidance Design Conditions, 391-2000-006, 9/97.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Technical Reference Guide (TRG) WQM 7.0 for Windows, Wasteload Allocation Program for Dissolved Oxygen and Ammonia Nitrogen, Version 1.0, 391-2000-007, 6/2004.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Interim Method for the Sampling and Analysis of Osmotic Pressure on Streams, Brines, and Industrial Discharges, 391-2000-008, 10/1997.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Implementation Guidance for Section 95.6 Management of Point Source Phosphorus Discharges to Lakes, Ponds, and Impoundments, 391-2000-010, 3/99.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Technical Reference Guide (TRG) PENTOXSD for Windows, PA Single Discharge Wasteload Allocation Program for Toxics, Version 2.0, 391-2000-011, 5/2004.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Implementation Guidance for Section 93.7 Ammonia Criteria, 391-2000-013, 11/97.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Policy and Procedure for Evaluating Wastewater Discharges to Intermittent and Ephemeral Streams, Drainage Channels and Swales, and Storm Sewers, 391-2000-014, 4/2008.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Implementation Guidance Total Residual Chlorine (TRC) Regulation, 391-2000-015, 11/1994.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Implementation Guidance for Temperature Criteria, 391-2000-017, 4/09.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Implementation Guidance for Section 95.9 Phosphorus Discharges to Free Flowing Streams, 391-2000-018, 10/97.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Implementation Guidance for Application of Section 93.5(e) for Potable Water Supply Protection Total Dissolved Solids, Nitrite-Nitrate, Non-Priority Pollutant Phenolics and Fluorides, 391-2000-019, 10/97.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Field Data Collection and Evaluation Protocol for Determining Stream and Point Source Discharge Design Hardness, 391-2000-021, 3/99.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Implementation Guidance for the Determination and Use of Background/Ambient Water Quality in the Determination of Wasteload Allocations and NPDES Effluent Limitations for Toxic Substances, 391-2000-022, 3/1999.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Design Stream Flows, 391-2000-023, 9/98.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Field Data Collection and Evaluation Protocol for Deriving Daily and Hourly Discharge Coefficients of Variation (CV) and Other Discharge Characteristics, 391-2000-024, 10/98.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Evaluations of Phosphorus Discharges to Lakes, Ponds and Impoundments, 391-3200-013, 6/97.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Pennsylvania's Chesapeake Bay Tributary Strategy Implementation Plan for NPDES Permitting, 4/07.
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