

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

NPDES PERMIT FACT SHEET INDIVIDUAL SEWAGE

Application No. PA0088439
APS ID 636767
Authorization ID 1487301

Applicant and Facility Information

<p>Applicant Name <u>School House Village Wastewater Division</u></p> <p>Applicant Address <u>4774 Olde Pump Street, Unit 26, PO Box 128 Walnut Creek, OH 44687</u></p> <p>Applicant Contact <u>Lee Mummau</u></p> <p>Applicant Phone <u>(301) 831-7624</u></p> <p>Client ID <u>261657</u></p> <p>Ch 94 Load Status <u>Not Overloaded</u></p> <p>Connection Status <u>No Limitations</u></p> <p>Date Application Received <u>June 3, 2024</u></p> <p>Date Application Accepted <u>June 5, 2024</u></p> <p>Purpose of Application <u>NPDES permit renewal.</u></p>	<p>Facility Name <u>School House Village</u></p> <p>Facility Address <u>23 Kennys Lane Harrisonville, PA 17228</u></p> <p>Facility Contact <u>Lee Mummau</u></p> <p>Facility Phone <u>(301) 831-7624</u></p> <p>Site ID <u>532866</u></p> <p>Municipality <u>Licking Creek Township</u></p> <p>County <u>Fulton</u></p> <p>EPA Waived? <u>Yes</u></p> <p>If No, Reason <u></u></p>
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Summary of Review

School House Village Wastewater Division (Authority/Permittee), applied to the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) for issuance of the NPDES permit. The permit was reissued on November 15, 2019 and became effective on December 1, 2019. The permit expires on November 30, 2024.

The average annual design flow and hydraulic design capacity is 0.01 MGD. The treated effluent is discharged to Sindeldecker Branch. The 2024 application states that there are no industrial users.

WQM Part II Permit No. 2900401 original & 2900401 T-1 ownership transfer was issued on 10/25/2000 & 3/20/2008.

Sludge use and disposal description and location(s): N/A because sludge is hauled by County Septic contractor.

Changes from the previous permit: The E. Coli. monitoring and report requirements will add to the proposed permit. The summer NH₃-N monthly average limit changed to 14.0 mg/L in 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	September 20, 2024
X		<i>Maria D. Bebenek for</i> Daniel W. Martin, P.E. / Environmental Engineer Manager	September 30, 2024

Discharge, Receiving Waters and Water Supply Information			
Outfall No.	001	Design Flow (MGD)	0.01
Latitude	39° 59' 44.56"	Longitude	-78° 5' 43.59"
Quad Name	Meadown Grounds	Quad Code	1921
Wastewater Description: Sewage Effluent			
Receiving Waters	Sindeldecker Branch (CWF)	Stream Code	60751
NHD Com ID	49478724	RMI	3.26
Drainage Area	4.16 mi. ²	Yield (cfs/mi ²)	0.018
Q ₇₋₁₀ Flow (cfs)	0.076	Q ₇₋₁₀ Basis	USGS StreamStats
Elevation (ft)	905.21	Slope (ft/ft)	
Watershed No.	13-B	Chapter 93 Class.	CWF
Existing Use		Existing Use Qualifier	
Exceptions to Use		Exceptions to Criteria	
Assessment Status	Attaining Use(s)		
Cause(s) of Impairment			
Source(s) of Impairment			
TMDL Status	Name		
Nearest Downstream Public Water Supply Intake	Hagerstown, MD		
PWS Waters	Potomac River	Flow at Intake (cfs)	
PWS RMI		Distance from Outfall (mi)	Approximate 75.0 miles

Changes Since Last Permit Issuance:

Drainage Area

The discharge is to Sindeldecker Branch at RMI 3.26. The drainage area upstream of the point of discharge is 4.16 sq.mi, according to USGS PA StreamStats (<https://water.usgs.gov/osw/streamstats/pennsylvania.html>).

Streamflow

According to StreamStats, the discharge point on Sindeldecker Branch has a Q₇₋₁₀ of 0.076 cfs and a drainage area of 4.16 mi.², which results in a Q₇₋₁₀ low flow yield of 0.018 cfs/mi.². This information is used to obtain a chronic or 30-day (Q₃₀₋₁₀), and an acute or 1-day (Q₁₋₁₀) exposure stream flow for the discharge point as follows (Guidance No. 391-2000-023):

$$\begin{aligned}
 Q_{7-10} &= 0.076 \text{ cfs} \\
 \text{Low Flow Yield} &= 0.076 \text{ cfs} / 4.16 \text{ mi.}^2 = 0.018 \text{ cfs/mi.}^2 \\
 Q_{30-10} &= 1.36 * 0.076 \text{ cfs} = 0.10 \text{ cfs} \\
 Q_{1-10} &= 0.64 * 0.076 \text{ cfs} = 0.049 \text{ cfs}
 \end{aligned}$$

Sindeldecker Branch

25 Pa Code §93.9z classified the Sindeldecker Branch basin as cold-water fishes and migratory fishes. No Class A Wild Trout Fishery is impacted by this discharge. DEP's 2024 integrated water quality report indicates that the discharge is located in a stream segment listed as attaining use(s).

PWS Intake

The nearest downstream public water supply is Hagerstown, MD on Potomac River. It is approximately 75.0 miles downstream of the discharge. Due to the distance, dilution, and effluent limits the discharge is not expected to impact the water supply.

Treatment Facility Summary				
Treatment Facility Name: School House Village - WWTP				
WQM Permit No.	Issuance Date			
2900401	10/25/2000			
2900401 T-1	3/20/2008			
Waste Type	Degree of Treatment	Process Type	Disinfection	Avg Annual Flow (MGD)
Sewage	Secondary	Extended Aeration	Chlorine With Dechlorination	0.01
Hydraulic Capacity (MGD)	Organic Capacity (lbs/day)	Load Status	Biosolids Treatment	Biosolids Use/Disposal
0.01		Not Overloaded	Aerobic Digestion	Other WWTP

Changes Since Last Permit Issuance:

Other Comments:

Per DEP's recent visit to the site on February 16, 2023, the treatment facility consists of the following units:

- One bar screen
- One equalization tank
- Two aeration tanks
- One clarifier
- One chlorine contact tank
- One dechlorination tank
- One post aeration tank
- One sludge holding tank
- Two blowers

Plant uses chlorine and dechlorination tablets for disinfection & reduce chlorine at the effluent discharge.

Industrial/Commercial Users:

There are no industrial/commercial users contributing to this treatment plant.

Biosolids Management:

Liquid biosolids are hauled off site by County Septic.

Compliance History	
Summary of DMRs:	A summary of past 12-month DMRs is presented on the next page.
Summary of Inspections:	<p>3/14/24: Mr. Clark, DEP WQS, conducted a routine compliance inspection. The field test results were within permit limits. There were violations noted during inspection. Recommendations were to make repairs to the air piping and valves to allow for proper air distribution and adjustments to all treatment tanks, perform process control testing of mixed liquor, and reseed plant if necessary.</p> <p>2/16/23: Mr. Clark, DEP WQS, conducted a compliance evaluation inspection. The field test results were within permit limits. The cooling water looked clear. No sludge has been removed from the treatment plant since 2019.</p>
Other Comments:	<p>There were two violations against the permittee or applicant.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 1/28/2022: Biosolids – permittee violated the record keeping requirements. - 3/14/2024: NPDES- Failure to properly operate and maintain all facilities which are installed or used by the permittee to achieve compliance.

Compliance History

DMR Data for Outfall 001 (from August 1, 2023 to July 31, 2024)

Parameter	JUL-24	JUN-24	MAY-24	APR-24	MAR-24	FEB-24	JAN-24	DEC-23	NOV-23	OCT-23	SEP-23	AUG-23
Flow (MGD) Average Monthly	0.00169 8	0.00226 3	0.00213 2	0.00295 4	0.00177 6	0.00152 9	0.00167 6	0.00150 2	0.00153 0	0.00150 2	0.00150 2	0.00150 2
Flow (MGD) Daily Maximum	0.00425	0.00537 0	0.00518	0.00489 0	0.00912	0.00348	0.00554 0	0.00451 0	0.00485	0.00451 0	0.00451 0	0.00451 0
pH (S.U.) Daily Minimum	6.60	6.40	7.0	7.04	7.20	8.0	6.76	6.93	6.68	6.59	6.46	6.54
pH (S.U.) Daily Maximum	7.30	7.60	7.70	7.51	8.10	8.3	8.60	7.69	7.69	6.98	7.03	7.94
DO (mg/L) Daily Minimum	6.88	6.10	8.0	8.11	8.21	10.4	10.11	9.48	6.45	8.69	7.97	7.01
TRC (mg/L) Average Monthly	0.10	0.10	0.13	0.05	0.07	0.14	0.22	0.09	0.06	0.06	0.04	0.07
TRC (mg/L) Instantaneous Maximum	0.32	0.26	0.80	0.07	0.13	0.20	0.42	0.13	0.11	0.09	0.07	0.13
CBOD5 (mg/L) Average Monthly	2.39	6.42	2.58	3.26	7.16	4.62	3.41	2.60	2.0	3.0	2.48	2.0
TSS (mg/L) Average Monthly	2.75	3.0	2.75	2.00	3.75	3.75	2.50	5.50	4.50	4.25	3.25	7.50
Fecal Coliform (No./100 ml) Geometric Mean	6.0	6.0	3.0	22	9.0	3.0	1.0	3.0	3.0	26	1.0	3.0
Fecal Coliform (No./100 ml) Instantaneous Maximum	18.0	37.0	7.0	52	85.0	4.0	1.0	7.0	12.0	62	1.0	3.0
Nitrate-Nitrite (mg/L) Average Quarterly		10.90			9.30			12.40			10.20	
Nitrate-Nitrite (lbs) Total Quarterly		6.68			1.382			3.08			4.333	
Total Nitrogen (mg/L) Average Quarterly		12.49			10.00			12.90			11.20	
Total Nitrogen (lbs) Total Quarterly		7.66			1.49			3.21			4.76	
Total Nitrogen (lbs) Total Annual								11.0				
Ammonia (mg/L) Average Monthly	0.50	5.35	0.61	0.50	0.50	0.50	1.41	0.50	< 0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50

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Ammonia (mg/L) Average Quarterly		3.81			1.41			0.50			0.50	
Ammonia (lbs) Total Quarterly		1.08			0.1654			0.0931			0.48522	
Ammonia (lbs) Total Annual								15.0				
TKN (mg/L) Average Quarterly		1.59			0.70			0.50			1.0	
TKN (lbs) Total Quarterly		0.97			0.10			0.12			0.42	
Total Phosphorus (mg/L) Average Quarterly		0.44			0.15			0.29			0.32	
Total Phosphorus (lbs) Total Quarterly		0.27			0.02			0.07			0.13	
Total Phosphorus (lbs) Total Annual								1.0				

Existing Effluent Limitations and Monitoring Requirements

Outfall 001,

Parameter	Effluent Limitations						Monitoring Requirements	
	Mass Units (lbs/day) ⁽¹⁾		Concentrations (mg/L)				Minimum ⁽²⁾ Measurement Frequency	Required Sample Type
	Average Monthly	Average Weekly	Minimum	Average Monthly	Maximum	Instant. Maximum		
Flow (MGD)	Report	Report Daily Max	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	Continuous	Measured
pH (S.U.)	XXX	XXX	6.0 Daily Min	XXX	9.0 Daily Max	XXX	1/day	Grab
DO	XXX	XXX	5.0 Daily Min	XXX	XXX	XXX	1/day	Grab
TRC	XXX	XXX	XXX	0.5	XXX	1.6	1/day	Grab
CBOD5	XXX	XXX	XXX	25.0	XXX	50	2/month	8-Hr Composite
TSS	XXX	XXX	XXX	30.0	XXX	60	2/month	8-Hr Composite
Fecal Coliform (No./100 ml) Oct 1 - Apr 30	XXX	XXX	XXX	2,000 Geo Mean	XXX	10,000	2/month	Grab
Fecal Coliform (No./100 ml) May 1 - Sep 30	XXX	XXX	XXX	200 Geo Mean	XXX	1,000	2/month	Grab
Ammonia Nov 1 - Apr 30	XXX	XXX	XXX	Report	XXX	XXX	2/month	8-Hr Composite
Ammonia May 1 - Oct 31	XXX	XXX	XXX	15.0	XXX	XXX	2/month	8-Hr Composite
Ammonia	XXX	XXX	XXX	Report Avg Qrtly	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	8-Hr Composite
Ammonia (lbs)	Report Total Qrtly	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	Calculation
Ammonia (lbs)	XXX	Report Total Annual	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	1/year	Calculation
TKN	XXX	XXX	XXX	Report Avg Qrtly	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	8-Hr Composite
TKN (lbs)	Report Total Qrtly	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	Calculation
Nitrate-Nitrite	XXX	XXX	XXX	Report Avg Qrtly	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	8-Hr Composite
Nitrate-Nitrite (lbs)	Report Total Qrtly	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	Calculation

Parameter	Effluent Limitations						Monitoring Requirements	
	Mass Units (lbs/day) ⁽¹⁾		Concentrations (mg/L)				Minimum ⁽²⁾ Measurement Frequency	Required Sample Type
	Average Monthly	Average Weekly	Minimum	Average Monthly	Maximum	Instant. Maximum		
Total Nitrogen	XXX	XXX	XXX	Report Avg Qrtly	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	Calculation
Total Nitrogen (lbs)	Report Total Qrtly	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	Calculation
Total Nitrogen (lbs)	XXX	Report Total Annual	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	1/year	Calculation
Total Phosphorus	XXX	XXX	XXX	Report Avg Qrtly	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	8-Hr Composite
Total Phosphorus (lbs)	XXX	Report Total Annual	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	1/year	Calculation
Total Phosphorus (lbs)	Report Total Qrtly	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	Calculation

Development of Effluent Limitations

Outfall No. 001
Latitude 39° 59' 44.56"
Wastewater Description: Sewage Effluent
Design Flow (MGD) 0.01
Longitude -78° 5' 43.59"

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 ₅	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

Ammonia (NH₃-N):

NH₃N 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 NH₃-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 NH₃-N = 0 mg/L (Default)

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)

3.26 School House PA0088439 0.0100

Parameter	Effluent Limit 30 Day Average (mg/L)	Effluent Limit Maximum (mg/L)	Effluent Limit Minimum (mg/L)
CBOD ₅	25		
NH ₃ -N	14.31	28.62	
Dissolved Oxygen			5

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Regarding NH₃-N limits, the attached computer printout of the WQM 7.0 stream model (version 1.1) indicates that a limit of 14.31 mg/L as a monthly average and 28.62 mg/L instantaneous maximum (IMAX) are necessary to protect the aquatic life from toxicity effects at the point of discharge. Therefore, the existing summer limits of 15.0 mg/L monthly average will be replaced with 14.0 mg/L because it is more stringent. The existing winter monitoring and reporting will remain in place. Recent DMRs and inspection reports show that the facility has been consistently achieving these limits. Minimum monitoring frequency will be 2/month and sampling type will be 8-hr composite.

Dissolved Oxygen (D.O.):

The minimum D.O. of 5.0 mg/L is required per 25 Pa. Code § 93.7. It is recommended that this limit be maintained in the proposed permit to ensure the protection of water quality standards. This approach is consistent with DEP's current Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) No. BCW-PMT-033, version 2.0 revised February 5, 2024, and has been applied to other point source dischargers throughout the state.

Carbonaceous Biochemical Oxygen Demand (CBOD₅):

The attached computer printout of the WQM 7.0 stream model (ver. 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 permit 25.0 mg/L as AML will remain in the proposed permit. Recent DMRs and inspection reports show that the facility has typically been achieving concentrations below this limit. 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 IMAX 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.

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 1,000/100ml and § 92a.47.(a)(5) requires a winter limit of 2,000/100ml as a geometric mean and an instantaneous maximum not greater than 10,000/100ml.

E. Coli:

As recommended by DEP's SOP No. BCW-PMT-033, version 2.0 revised February 5, 2024, 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 1/year will be included in the permit to be consistent with the recommendation from this SOP.

Toxics:

Any minor sewage facilities designed less than 0.1 MGD are not required to collect samples for toxics.

Total Phosphorus:

The receiving stream is in Potomac river basin, which is outside of Lower Susquehanna River Basin. Therefore, per DEP guidance No. 391-2000-018, no local phosphorus limits will be applied to this facility at this time.

Stormwater:

There is no known stormwater outfall associated with this facility.

Total Residual Chlorine (TRC):

Based on the attached TRC Excel spreadsheet calculator, which uses the equations and calculations from the Department's May 1, 2003 Implementation Guidance for Total Residual Chlorine (ID No. 391-2000-015), the facility's discharge must meet a monthly average limit of 0.5 mg/L and an instantaneous maximum limit of 1.6 mg/L. These limits are the same as in existing permit and will be carried over. The minimum monitoring frequency is 1/day.

TRC EVALUATION					
Input appropriate values in A3:A9 and D3:D9					
0.076	= Q stream (cfs)	0.5	= CV Daily		
0.01	= 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 = 1.586	1.3.2.iii	WLA cfc = 1.539	
PENTOXSD TRG	5.1a	LTAMULT afc = 0.373	5.1c	LTAMULT cfc = 0.581	
PENTOXSD TRG	5.1b	LTA_afc= 0.591	5.1d	LTA_cfc = 0.895	
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*AFC_tc)}) + [(AFC_Yc*Qs*.019/Qd*e ^{-(k*AFC_tc)})]... ...+ Xd + (AFC_Yc*Qs*Xs/Qd)]*(1-FOS/100)				
LTAMULT afc	EXP((0.5*LN(cvh^2+1))-2.326*LN(cvh^2+1)^0.5)				
LTA_afc	wla_afc*LTAMULT_afc				
WLA_cfc	(.011/e ^{-(k*CFC_tc)}) + [(CFC_Yc*Qs*.011/Qd*e ^{-(k*CFC_tc)})]... ...+ Xd + (CFC_Yc*Qs*Xs/Qd)]*(1-FOS/100)				
LTAMULT_cfc	EXP((0.5*LN(cvd^2/no_samples+1))-2.326*LN(cvd^2/no_samples+1)^0.5)				
LTA_cfc	wla_cfc*LTAMULT_cfc				
AML MULT	EXP(2.326*LN((cvd^2/no_samples+1)^0.5)-0.5*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)				

Additional Considerations

Flow Monitoring

The requirement to monitor the volume of effluent will remain in the draft permit per 40 CFR § 122.44(i)(1)(ii).

Chesapeake Bay TMDL & TN/TP SOP Monitoring Requirement

The discharge is located within the Chesapeake Bay watershed and is considered under the Supplement to Phase II Watershed Implementation Plan a Phase 5 facility designed to treat between 0.002 MGD and 0.2 MGD. The requirement to monitor for Total Phosphorus and Total Nitrogen is recommended. This approach is also consistent with DEP's Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) no. BCW-PMT-033 in which the SOP recommends a routine monitoring of Total Phosphorus and Total Nitrogen for any sewage facilities greater than 0.002 MGD regardless of the discharge location. The facility has already been monitoring for Total Phosphorus; no change is therefore recommended for Total Phosphorus. For Total Nitrogen, 1/quarter 8-hr composite monitoring is recommended for all TN species.

Antidegradation Requirements

All effluent limitations and monitoring requirements have been developed to ensure that existing instream water uses and the level of water quality necessary to protect the existing uses are maintained and protected.

Anti-Degradation Requirements

Unless stated otherwise in this fact sheet, all permit requirements proposed in this fact sheet are at least as stringent as permit requirements specified in the existing permit renewal in accordance with 40 CFR §122.44(l)(1).

WETT

Minor facilities and facilities without a formal EPA approved pretreatment program are exempted from WETT.

Anti-Backsliding

The proposed limits are at least as stringent as are in existing permit; therefore, anti-backsliding is not applicable.

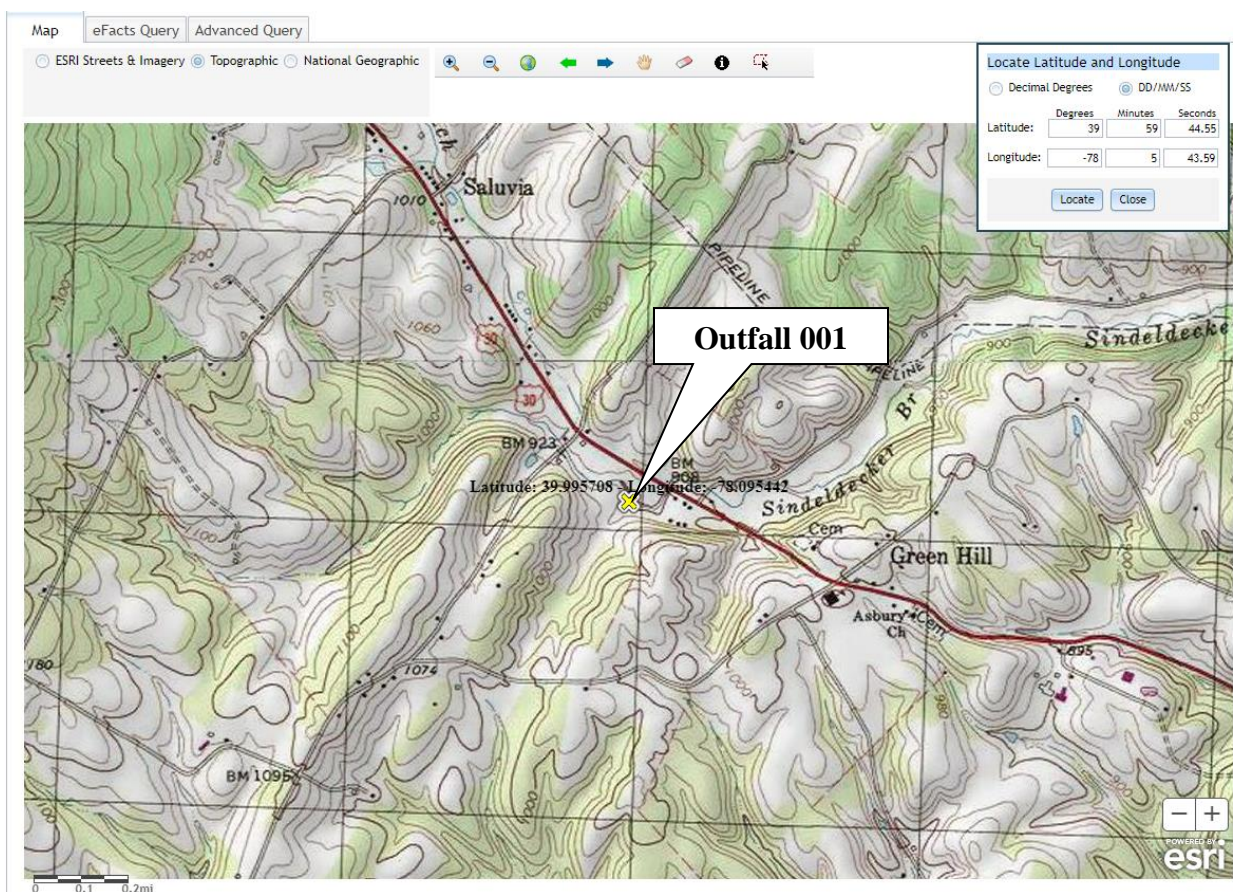
WQM 7.0:

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 per 391-2000-013)
- Stream pH 7.0 (391-2000-007)
- Stream Temperature 20°C (Default per 391-2000-013)

Node 1: Outfall 001 at Sindeldecke Branch (60751)
 Elevation: 905.21 ft. (USGS National Map)
 Drainage Area: 4.16 mi² (USGS StreamStats)
 River Mile Index: 3.26 (PA DEP eMapPA)
 Low Flow Yield: 0.018 cfs/mi²
 Discharge Flow: 0.01 MGD

Node 2: At the confluence with Sipes Branch (60753)
 Elevation: 804.53 ft (USGS National Map)
 Drainage Area: 5.38 mi² (StreamStats)
 River Mile Index: 0.001 (PA DEP eMapPA)
 Low Flow Yield: 0.018 cfs/mi²
 Discharge Flow: 0.00 MGD



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Basin Delineated ▾

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Basin Characteristics				
Parameter Code	Parameter Description	Value	Unit	
CARBON	Percentage of area of carbonate rock	0	percent	
DRNAREA	Area that drains to a point on a stream	4.16	square miles	
PRECIP	Mean Annual Precipitation	39	inches	
ROCKDEP	Depth to rock	4.1	feet	
STRDEN	Stream Density -- total length of streams divided by drainage area	2.41	miles per square mile	

Low-Flow Statistics				
Low-Flow Statistics Parameters [Low Flow Region 2]				
Parameter Code	Parameter Name	Value	Units	Min Limit Max Limit
DRNAREA	Drainage Area	4.16	square miles	4.93 1280
PRECIP	Mean Annual Precipitation	39	inches	35 50.4
STRDEN	Stream Density	2.41	miles per square mile	0.51 3.1
ROCKDEP	Depth to Rock	4.1	feet	3.32 5.65
CARBON	Percent Carbonate	0	percent	0 99

Low-Flow Statistics Disclaimers [Low Flow Region 2]				
One or more of the parameters is outside the suggested range. Estimates were extrapolated with unknown errors.				

Low-Flow Statistics Flow Report [Low Flow Region 2]				
Statistic	Value		Unit	
7 Day 2 Year Low Flow	0.205		ft ³ /s	
30 Day 2 Year Low Flow	0.304		ft ³ /s	
7 Day 10 Year Low Flow	0.076		ft ³ /s	
30 Day 10 Year Low Flow	0.114		ft ³ /s	
90 Day 10 Year Low Flow	0.207		ft ³ /s	

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Basin Characteristics

Parameter Code	Parameter Description	Value	Unit
CARBON	Percentage of area of carbonate rock	0	percent
DRNAREA	Area that drains to a point on a stream	5.38	square miles
PRECIP	Mean Annual Precipitation	39	inches
ROCKDEP	Depth to rock	3.9	feet
STRDEN	Stream Density -- total length of streams divided by drainage area	2.24	miles per square mile

Low-Flow Statistics

Low-Flow Statistics Parameters [Low Flow Region 2]

Parameter Code	Parameter Name	Value	Units	Min Limit	Max Limit
DRNAREA	Drainage Area	5.38	square miles	4.93	1280
PRECIP	Mean Annual Precipitation	39	inches	35	50.4
STRDEN	Stream Density	2.24	miles per square mile	0.51	3.1
ROCKDEP	Depth to Rock	3.9	feet	3.32	5.65
CARBON	Percent Carbonate	0	percent	0	99

Low-Flow Statistics Flow Report [Low Flow Region 2]

PI/L: Lower 90% Prediction Interval, PI/U: Upper 90% Prediction Interval, ASEP: Average Standard Error of Prediction, SE: Standard Error (other -- see report)

Statistic	Value	Unit	SE	ASEP
7 Day 2 Year Low Flow	0.265	ft ³ /s	38	38
30 Day 2 Year Low Flow	0.398	ft ³ /s	33	33
7 Day 10 Year Low Flow	0.0944	ft ³ /s	51	51
30 Day 10 Year Low Flow	0.146	ft ³ /s	46	46
90 Day 10 Year Low Flow	0.27	ft ³ /s	36	36

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)
3.26	School House	PA0088439	0.0100

Parameter	Effluent Limit 30 Day Average (mg/L)	Effluent Limit Maximum (mg/L)	Effluent Limit Minimum (mg/L)
CBOD5	25		
NH3-N	14.31	28.62	
Dissolved Oxygen			5

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WQM 7.0 Effluent Limits

SWP Basin	Stream Code	Stream Name
13 B	60751	SINDELDECKER BRANCH

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)
3.260	School House	PA0088439	0.010	CBOD5	25		
				NH3-N	14.31	28.62	
				Dissolved Oxygen			5

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WQM 7.0 Wasteload Allocations

SWP Basin	Stream Code	Stream Name
13 B	60751	SINDELDECKER BRANCH

NH3-N Acute Allocations

RMI	Discharge Name	Baseline Criterion (mg/L)	Baseline WLA (mg/L)	Multiple Criterion (mg/L)	Multiple WLA (mg/L)	Critical Reach	Percent Reduction
3.260	School House	16.76	50	16.76	50	0	0

NH3-N Chronic Allocations

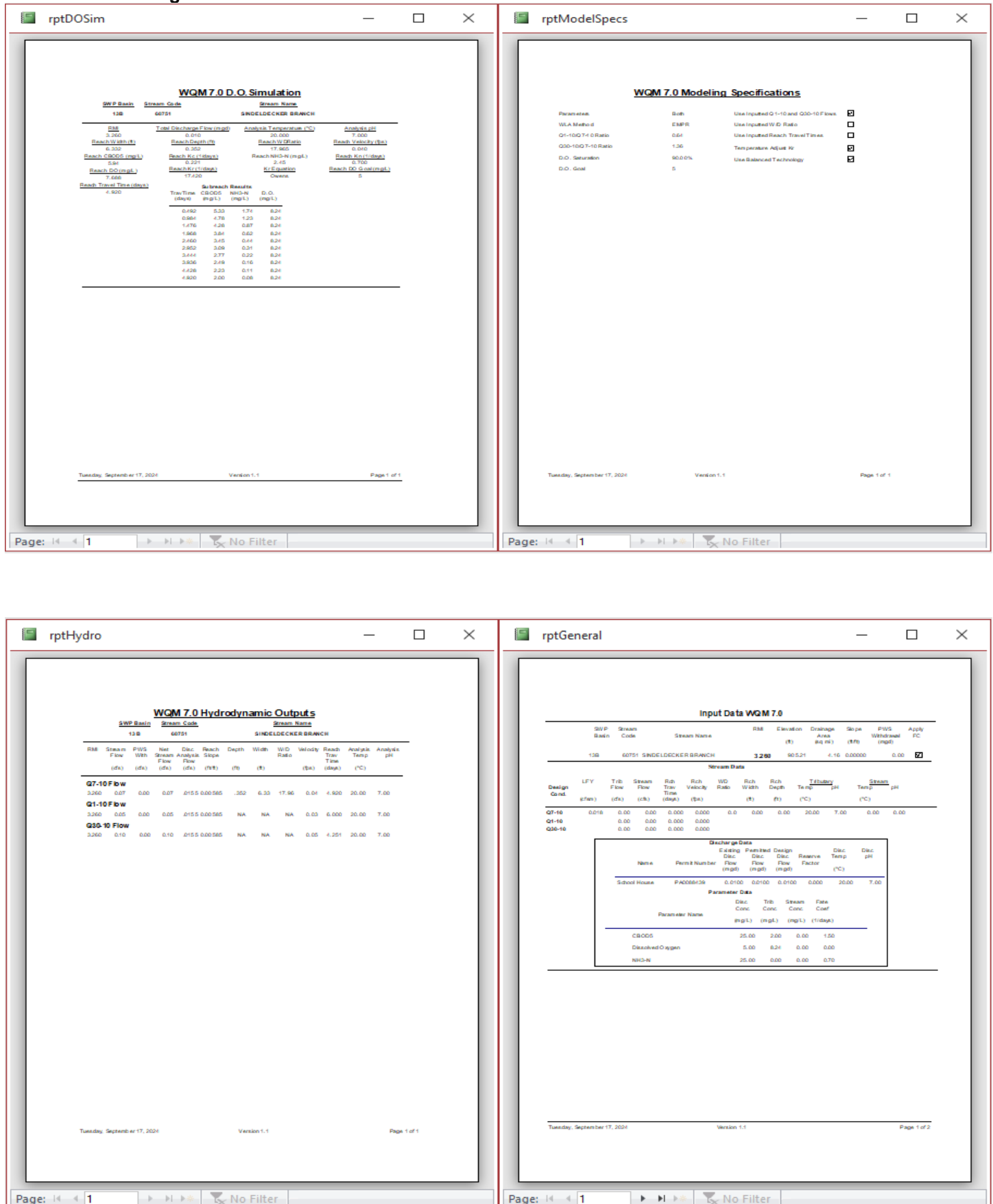
RMI	Discharge Name	Baseline Criterion (mg/L)	Baseline WLA (mg/L)	Multiple Criterion (mg/L)	Multiple WLA (mg/L)	Critical Reach	Percent Reduction
3.260	School House	1.89	14.31	1.89	14.31	0	0

Dissolved Oxygen Allocations

RMI	Discharge Name	CBOD5 Baseline (mg/L)	CBOD5 Multiple (mg/L)	NH3-N Baseline (mg/L)	NH3-N Multiple (mg/L)	Dissolved Oxygen Baseline (mg/L)	Dissolved Oxygen Multiple (mg/L)	Critical Reach	Percent Reduction
3.26	School House	25	25	14.31	14.31	5	5	0	0

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SWP Basin	Stream Code	Stream Name	RMB	Elevation (ft)	Drainage Area (sq mi)	Slope (ft/ft)	PWS Withdrawal (mgd)	Apply PC
10B	60751	SINDELDECKER BRANCH	0.001	60.453	5.36	0.00000	0.00	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Stream Data

Design Cond.	LFV (cfs)	Trib Flow (cfs)	Stream Flow (cfs)	Rch Trav Time (days)	Rch Velocity (ft/s)	WD Rate	Rch Width (ft)	Rch Depth (ft)	Tributary Temp (°C)	pH	Stream Temp (°C)	pH
QT-10	0.018	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	0.00	0.000	0.000							
Q30-10	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.000							

Discharge Data

Name	Permit Number	Existing Discharge Flow (mgd)	Permitted Discharge Flow (mgd)	Design Discharge Flow (mgd)	Reserve Factor	Discharge Temp (°C)	Discharge pH
School House	PA0088439	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.000	20.00	7.00

Parameter Data

Parameter Name	Discharge Conc. (mg/L)	Trib Conc. (mg/L)	Stream Conc. (mg/L)	Fate Coef. (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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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" (386-0400-001), SOPs and/or BPJ.

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

Parameter	Effluent Limitations						Monitoring Requirements	
	Mass Units (lbs/day) ⁽¹⁾		Concentrations (mg/L)				Minimum ⁽²⁾ Measurement Frequency	Required Sample Type
	Average Monthly	Average Weekly	Minimum	Average Monthly	Maximum	Instant. Maximum		
Flow (MGD)	Report	Report Daily Max	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	Continuous	Measured
pH (S.U.)	XXX	XXX	6.0 Daily Min	XXX	9.0 Daily Max	XXX	1/day	Grab
DO	XXX	XXX	5.0 Daily Min	XXX	XXX	XXX	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	8-Hr Composite
TSS	XXX	XXX	XXX	30.0	XXX	60.0	2/month	8-Hr Composite
Fecal Coliform (No./100 ml) Oct 1 - Apr 30	XXX	XXX	XXX	2,000 Geo Mean	XXX	10,000	2/month	Grab
Fecal Coliform (No./100 ml) May 1 - Sep 30	XXX	XXX	XXX	200 Geo Mean	XXX	1,000	2/month	Grab
E. Coli (No./100 ml)	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	Report	1/year	Grab
Ammonia Nov 1 - Apr 30	XXX	XXX	XXX	Report	XXX	XXX	2/month	8-Hr Composite
Ammonia May 1 - Oct 31	XXX	XXX	XXX	14.0	XXX	XXX	2/month	8-Hr Composite
Ammonia	XXX	XXX	XXX	Report Avg Qrtly	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	8-Hr Composite
Ammonia (lbs)	Report Total Qrtly	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	Calculation
Ammonia (lbs)	XXX	Report Total Annual	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	1/year	Calculation
TKN	XXX	XXX	XXX	Report Avg Qrtly	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	8-Hr Composite

Parameter	Effluent Limitations						Monitoring Requirements	
	Mass Units (lbs/day) ⁽¹⁾		Concentrations (mg/L)				Minimum ⁽²⁾ Measurement Frequency	Required Sample Type
	Average Monthly	Average Weekly	Minimum	Average Monthly	Maximum	Instant. Maximum		
TKN (lbs)	Report Total Qrtly	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	Calculation
Nitrate-Nitrite	XXX	XXX	XXX	Report Avg Qrtly	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	8-Hr Composite
Nitrate-Nitrite (lbs)	Report Total Qrtly	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	Calculation
Total Nitrogen	XXX	XXX	XXX	Report Avg Qrtly	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	Calculation
Total Nitrogen (lbs)	Report Total Qrtly	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	Calculation
Total Nitrogen (lbs)	XXX	Report Total Annual	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	1/year	Calculation
Total Phosphorus	XXX	XXX	XXX	Report Avg Qrtly	XXX	XXX	1/quarter	8-Hr Composite
Total Phosphorus (lbs)	XXX	Report Total Annual	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	1/year	Calculation
Total Phosphorus (lbs)	Report Total Qrtly	XXX	XXX	XXX	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)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Toxics Management Spreadsheet (see Attachment)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	TRC Model Spreadsheet (see Attachment)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Temperature Model Spreadsheet (see Attachment)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Water Quality Toxics Management Strategy, 361-0100-003, 4/06.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Technical Guidance for the Development and Specification of Effluent Limitations, 386-0400-001, 10/97.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Policy for Permitting Surface Water Diversions, 386-2000-019, 3/98.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Policy for Conducting Technical Reviews of Minor NPDES Renewal Applications, 386-2000-018, 11/96.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Technology-Based Control Requirements for Water Treatment Plant Wastes, 386-2183-001, 10/97.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Technical Guidance for Development of NPDES Permit Requirements Steam Electric Industry, 386-2183-002, 12/97.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pennsylvania CSO Policy, 386-2000-002, 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, 386-2000-008, 4/97.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Determining Water Quality-Based Effluent Limits, 386-2000-004, 12/97.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Implementation Guidance Design Conditions, 386-2000-007, 9/97.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Technical Reference Guide (TRG) WQM 7.0 for Windows, Wasteload Allocation Program for Dissolved Oxygen and Ammonia Nitrogen, Version 1.0, 386-2000-016, 6/2004.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Interim Method for the Sampling and Analysis of Osmotic Pressure on Streams, Brines, and Industrial Discharges, 386-2000-012, 10/1997.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Implementation Guidance for Section 95.6 Management of Point Source Phosphorus Discharges to Lakes, Ponds, and Impoundments, 386-2000-009, 3/99.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Technical Reference Guide (TRG) PENTOXSD for Windows, PA Single Discharge Wasteload Allocation Program for Toxics, Version 2.0, 386-2000-015, 5/2004.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Implementation Guidance for Section 93.7 Ammonia Criteria, 386-2000-022, 11/97.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Policy and Procedure for Evaluating Wastewater Discharges to Intermittent and Ephemeral Streams, Drainage Channels and Swales, and Storm Sewers, 386-2000-013, 4/2008.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Implementation Guidance Total Residual Chlorine (TRC) Regulation, 386-2000-011, 11/1994.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Implementation Guidance for Temperature Criteria, 386-2000-001, 4/09.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Implementation Guidance for Section 95.9 Phosphorus Discharges to Free Flowing Streams, 386-2000-021, 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, 386-2000-020, 10/97.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Field Data Collection and Evaluation Protocol for Determining Stream and Point Source Discharge Design Hardness, 386-2000-005, 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, 386-2000-010, 3/1999.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Design Stream Flows, 386-2000-003, 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, 386-2000-006, 10/98.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Evaluations of Phosphorus Discharges to Lakes, Ponds and Impoundments, 386-3200-001, 6/97.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Pennsylvania's Chesapeake Bay Tributary Strategy Implementation Plan for NPDES Permitting, 4/07.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SOP: BCW-PMT-033
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