

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

**NPDES PERMIT FACT SHEET
INDIVIDUAL SEWAGE**

Application No. PA0216208
APS ID 1033698
Authorization ID 1345560

Applicant and Facility Information

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| Applicant Name | <u>John F. Kotun</u> | Facility Name | <u>Superior Mobile Home Park STP</u> |
| Applicant Address | <u>319 Anderson Hozak Road</u> <u>Clinton, PA 15026-1303</u> | Facility Address | <u>Superior Lane</u> <u>Aliquippa, PA 15001</u> |
| Applicant Contact | <u>John Kotun</u> | Facility Contact | <u>***same as applicant***</u> |
| Applicant Phone | <u>(724) 899-3201</u> | Facility Phone | <u>***same as applicant***</u> |
| Client ID | <u>43752</u> | Site ID | <u>238031</u> |
| Ch 94 Load Status | <u>Not Overloaded</u> | Municipality | <u>Raccoon Township</u> |
| Connection Status | <u></u> | County | <u>Beaver</u> |
| Date Application Received | <u>March 8, 2021</u> | EPA Waived? | <u>Yes</u> |
| Date Application Accepted | <u></u> | If No, Reason | <u></u> |
| Purpose of Application | <u>NPDES permit renewal for treated sewage discharges from a non-municipal sewage treatment plant.</u> | | |

Summary of Review

On March 8, 2021, DEP received an application from Mr. John F. Kotun to renew the NPDES permit for discharges from the Superior Mobile Home Park STP (Superior MHP STP). The permit currently in effect was issued on December 29, 2016 with a January 1, 2017 effective date and a December 31, 2021 expiration date. The renewal application was received at least 180 days before the permit expired (i.e., by July 4, 2021), so the terms and conditions of the 2017 permit were automatically continued and remain in effect.

Changes for this permit renewal include 1) an increase of the dissolved oxygen limit from 3.0 mg/L minimum monthly average to an instantaneous minimum of 6.0 mg/L; 2) an increase in the minimum measurement frequency for TRC from 3/week to 1/day; and 3) the addition of a 1/year monitoring requirement for *E. Coli*.

Sludge use and disposal description and location(s): no solids disposed in at least the last five years.

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.

| Approve | Deny | Signatures | Date |
|---------|------|---|----------------|
| X | | <i>Ryan C. Decker</i> Ryan C. Decker, P.E. / Environmental Engineer | August 5, 2021 |
| X | | <i>Christopher Kriley</i> Christopher Kriley, P.E. / Program Manager | August 6, 2021 |

Discharge, Receiving Waters and Water Supply Information

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|---|--|------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Outfall No. | <u>001</u> | Design Flow (MGD) | <u>0.0025</u> |
| Latitude | <u>40° 35' 45.0"</u> | Longitude | <u>-80° 23' 37.0"</u> |
| Quad Name | <u>Hookstown</u> | Quad Code | <u>1402</u> |
| Wastewater Description: <u>Treated sewage</u> | | | |
| Receiving Waters | <u>Unnamed Tributary to Service Creek (HQ-CWF)</u> | Stream Code | <u>33610</u> |
| NHD Com ID | <u>99682254</u> | RMI | <u>1.74</u> |
| Drainage Area | <u>0.0409</u> | Yield (cfs/mi ²) | <u>0.00386</u> |
| Q ₇₋₁₀ Flow (cfs) | <u>0.000158</u> | Q ₇₋₁₀ Basis | <u>USGS StreamStats</u> |
| Elevation (ft) | <u>1,148</u> | Slope (ft/ft) | <u>0.026</u> |
| Watershed No. | <u>20-D</u> | Chapter 93 Class. | <u>HQ-CWF</u> |
| Existing Use | <u></u> | Existing Use Qualifier | <u></u> |
| Exceptions to Use | <u></u> | Exceptions to Criteria | <u></u> |
| Assessment Status | <u>Attaining Use(s)</u> | | |
| Cause(s) of Impairment | <u></u> | | |
| Source(s) of Impairment | <u></u> | | |
| TMDL Status | <u>Final</u> | Name | <u>Raccoon Creek Watershed</u> |
| Nearest Downstream Public Water Supply Intake | <u>Ambridge Water Authority (PWS ID 5040008)</u> | | |
| PWS Waters | <u>Service Creek/Ambridge Reservoir</u> | Flow at Intake (cfs) | <u></u> |
| PWS RMI | <u>2.97</u> | Distance from Outfall (mi) | <u>3.13</u> |

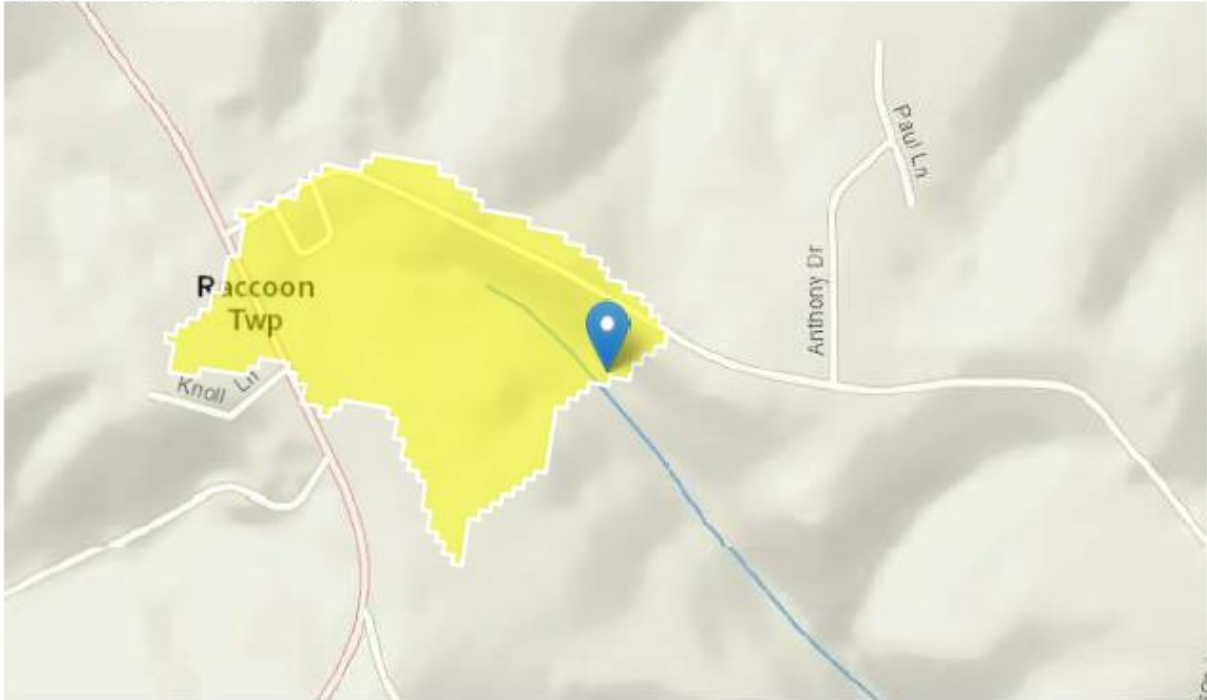
Changes Since Last Permit Issuance: None

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StreamStats

StreamStats Report

Region ID: PA
Workspace ID: PA20210714213842336000
Clicked Point (Latitude, Longitude): 40.59476, -80.38999
Time: 2021-07-14 17:38:57 -0400



| Basin Characteristics | | | |
|-----------------------|---|--------|--------------|
| Parameter Code | Parameter Description | Value | Unit |
| DRNAREA | Area that drains to a point on a stream | 0.0409 | square miles |
| ELEV | Mean Basin Elevation | 1180 | feet |

| Low-Flow Statistics Parameters [Low Flow Region 4] | | | | | |
|--|----------------|--------|--------------|-----------|-----------|
| Parameter Code | Parameter Name | Value | Units | Min Limit | Max Limit |
| DRNAREA | Drainage Area | 0.0409 | square miles | 2.26 | 1400 |

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StreamStats

| Parameter Code | Parameter Name | Value | Units | Min Limit | Max Limit |
|----------------|----------------------|-------|-------|-----------|-----------|
| ELEV | Mean Basin Elevation | 1180 | feet | 1050 | 2580 |

Low-Flow Statistics Disclaimers [Low Flow Region 4]

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 4]

| Statistic | Value | Unit |
|-------------------------|----------|--------------------|
| 7 Day 2 Year Low Flow | 0.000726 | ft ³ /s |
| 30 Day 2 Year Low Flow | 0.00162 | ft ³ /s |
| 7 Day 10 Year Low Flow | 0.000158 | ft ³ /s |
| 30 Day 10 Year Low Flow | 0.000429 | ft ³ /s |
| 90 Day 10 Year Low Flow | 0.00102 | ft ³ /s |

Low-Flow Statistics Citations

Stuckey, M.H.,2006, Low-flow, base-flow, and mean-flow regression equations for Pennsylvania streams: U.S. Geological Survey Scientific Investigations Report 2006-5130, 84 p. (<http://pubs.usgs.gov/sir/2006/5130/>)

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Application Version: 4.6.0

StreamStats Services Version: 1.2.22

NSS Services Version: 2.1.2

| Treatment Facility Summary | | | | |
|---|----------------------------|--|---------------------|------------------------|
| Treatment Facility: Superior Mobile Home Park STP | | | | |
| WQM Permit No. | Issuance Date | Purpose | | |
| 367S027 | June 2, 1971 | Permit issued to Mr. Wesley R. Campbell for a 0.0025 MGD sewage treatment plant consisting of septic tank, pressure-dosed intermittent sand filters, a chlorine contact tank, and tablet chlorinator | | |
| 367S027 T-1 | June 16, 1994 | Permit transferred from Mr. Wesley R. Campbell to Mr. John F. Kotun | | |
| 367S027 T-2 | October 23, 1996 | Permit transferred from Mr. John F. Kotun to Mr. Wesley R. Campbell following repossession from the former | | |
| 367S027 T-3 | January 20, 2000 | Permit transferred from Mr. Wesley R. Campbell to Mr. John F. Kotun | | |
| Waste Type | Degree of Treatment | Process Type | Disinfection | Avg Annual Flow (MGD) |
| Sewage | Tertiary | Septic Tank/Sand Filter | Chlorine Tablets | 0.0025 |
| Hydraulic Capacity (MGD) | Organic Capacity (lbs/day) | Load Status | Biosolids Treatment | Biosolids Use/Disposal |
| 0.0025 | 7.8 | Not Overloaded | N/A | N/A |

Changes Since Last Permit Issuance: None

Other Comments: None

Compliance History

DMR Data for Outfall 001 (from May 1, 2020 to April 30, 2021)

| Parameter | APR-21 | MAR-21 | FEB-21 | JAN-21 | DEC-20 | NOV-20 | OCT-20 | SEP-20 | AUG-20 | JUL-20 | JUN-20 | MAY-20 |
|--|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Flow (MGD) Average Monthly | 0.00234 9 | 0.00234 9 | 0.00234 9 | 0.00234 9 | 0.00234 9 | 0.00234 9 | 0.00234 9 | 0.00234 9 | 0.00234 9 | 0.00234 9 | 0.00234 9 | 0.00234 9 |
| pH (S.U.) Minimum | 6.6 | 6.6 | 6.6 | 6.6 | 6.9 | 6.8 | 6.8 | 6.8 | 7.2 | 6.8 | 7.2 | 6.8 |
| pH (S.U.) Maximum | 7.6 | 7.4 | 7.8 | 8.0 | 7.8 | 7.6 | 7.3 | 7.4 | 8.0 | 7.8 | 8.0 | 7.3 |
| DO (mg/L) Minimum Monthly Average | 8.4 | 8.9 | 7.0 | 9.0 | 9.8 | 8.4 | 8.4 | 8.3 | 8.2 | 7.8 | 7.4 | 8.2 |
| TRC (mg/L) Average Monthly | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.06 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.25 |
| TRC (mg/L) Instantaneous Maximum | 1.6 | 0.84 | 1.3 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.6 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.7 |
| CBOD5 (mg/L) Average Monthly | < 4 | 6.45 | < 4.0 | < 4.0 | < 4.0 | < 4.0 | 13.1 | 4.2 | 4.2 | < 4.0 | < 4.0 | < 4.0 |
| CBOD5 (mg/L) Instantaneous Maximum | < 4 | 8.9 | < 4.0 | < 4.0 | < 4.0 | < 4.0 | 21.7 | 4.3 | 4.2 | < 4.0 | < 4.0 | < 4.0 |
| TSS (mg/L) Average Monthly | < 5 | < 5.0 | < 5.0 | < 5.0 | < 5 | < 5.0 | < 5.0 | 5.5 | < 5.0 | < 5.0 | < 5.0 | < 5.0 |
| TSS (mg/L) Instantaneous Maximum | < 5 | < 5.0 | < 5.0 | < 5.0 | < 5 | < 5.0 | < 5.0 | 6 | < 5.0 | < 5.0 | < 5.0 | < 5.0 |
| Fecal Coliform (CFU/100 ml) Geometric Mean | < 1 | 1 | < 1 | < 1 | < 4.0 | < 1 | < 1 | 3.5 | < 1 | 5 | 11.3 | < 1 |
| Fecal Coliform (CFU/100 ml) Instantaneous Maximum | < 1 | 1 | < 1 | < 1 | < 4.0 | < 1 | < 1 | 6 | < 1 | 30 | 128 | < 1 |
| Total Nitrogen (mg/L) Daily Maximum | | | | | 26.72 | | | | | | | |
| Ammonia (mg/L) Average Monthly | < 0.30 | 0.52 | 0.5 | < 0.30 | < 0.30 | < 0.30 | < 0.30 | < 0.30 | < 0.30 | < 0.30 | < 0.30 | < 0.30 |
| Ammonia (mg/L) Instantaneous Maximum | < 0.30 | 0.74 | 0.7 | < 0.30 | < 0.30 | < 0.30 | < 0.30 | < 0.30 | < 0.30 | < 0.30 | < 0.30 | < 0.30 |
| Total Phosphorus (mg/L) Daily Maximum | | | | | 1.19 | | | | | | | |

Compliance History

Effluent Violations for Outfall 001, from: June 1, 2020 To: April 30, 2021

| Parameter | Date | SBC | DMR Value | Units | Limit Value | Units |
|-----------|----------|--------|-----------|-------|-------------|-------|
| CBOD5 | 10/31/20 | Avg Mo | 13.1 | mg/L | 10 | mg/L |
| CBOD5 | 10/31/20 | IMAX | 21.7 | mg/L | 20 | mg/L |

Summary of Inspections: [REDACTED]

Other Comments: [REDACTED]

Development of Effluent Limitations

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|--|---------------|--------------------------|----------------|
| Outfall No. | 001 | Design Flow (MGD) | 0.0025 |
| Latitude | 40° 35' 45.0" | Longitude | -80° 23' 37.0" |
| Wastewater Description: Sewage effluent | | | |

Technology-Based Effluent Limitations (TBELs)

25 Pa. Code § 92a.47 – Sewage Permits

Regulations at 25 Pa. Code § 92a.47 specify TBELs and effluent standards that apply to sewage discharges. Section 92a.47(a) requires that sewage be given a minimum of secondary treatment with significant biological treatment that achieves the following:

Table 1. Regulatory TBELs for Sanitary Wastewaters

| Parameter | Average Monthly (mg/L) | Weekly Average (mg/L) | Instant. Max (mg/L) | Basis |
|---|--|-----------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| CBOD5 | 25 | 40 | 50 [†] | 25 Pa. Code § 92a.47(a)(1), (a)(2) & 40 CFR § 133.102(a)(4)(i) |
| Total Suspended Solids | 30 | 45 | 60 [†] | 25 Pa. Code § 92a.47(a)(1), (a)(2) & 40 CFR § 133.102(b)(1) |
| Fecal Coliform (No./100 mL) May 1 – September 30 | 200 (Geometric Mean) | N/A | 1,000 | 25 Pa. Code § 92a.47(a)(4) |
| Fecal Coliform (No./100 mL) October 1 – April 30 | 2,000 (Geometric Mean) | N/A | 10,000 | 25 Pa. Code § 92a.47(a)(5) |
| Total Residual Chlorine | 0.5 (or facility-specific) | N/A | 1.6 (or facility-specific) | 25 Pa. Code § 92a.47(a)(8) & § 92a.48(b)(2) |
| pH (s.u.) | not less than 6.0 and not greater than 9.0 | | | 25 Pa. Code § 92a.47(a)(7) & § 95.2(1), & 40 CFR § 133.102(c) |

[†]Value is calculated as two times the monthly average in accordance with Chapter 2 of DEP's "Technical Guidance for the Development and Specification of Effluent Limitations and Other Permit Conditions in NPDES Permits" [Doc. No. 362-0400-001].

The CBOD₅, TSS, and pH limits are the same as those in EPA's secondary treatment regulation (40 CFR § 133.102).

Additional TBELs

Outfall 001 discharges to a drainage swale that leads to a stream designated for high-quality cold-water fishes (HQ-CWF). Two DEP policies are consulted for this discharge situation: 1) the "Water Quality Antidegradation Implementation Guidance" (Doc. No. 391-0300-002; November 29, 2003); and 2) the "Policy and Procedure for Evaluating Wastewater Discharges to Intermittent and Ephemeral Streams, Drainage Channels and Swales, and Storm Sewers" (Doc. No. 391-2000-014; April 12, 2008).

Antidegradation

DEP explained in previous permit documents for this site that the discharge was permitted and commenced before the receiving stream (downstream of the swale) was designated as a high-quality stream. Water Quality Management Permit No. 367S027 was issued on June 2, 1971 and DEP files indicate the plant was operable on December 21, 1971. The date of the high-quality stream designation was in 1979.

According to DEP's Water Quality Antidegradation Implementation Guidance (p.46):

Discharges in existence prior to the HQ or EV designation are "grandfathered" and considered to be part of the existing quality of the waterbody. "Grandfathered" flows are not subject to "the non-discharge alternatives/use of best technologies analysis" or SEJ (for HQ waters) in acknowledgment of the resources invested by municipal officials in planning for community sewage needs...[a]ll nonpoint source contributions and non-grandfathered point sources that occur after a waterbody is designated HQ or EV are subject to applicable provisions of the Antidegradation Program.

Pursuant to DEP’s antidegradation guidance, discharges from the Superior MHP STP are grandfathered into the receiving stream’s designated aquatic life use of High-Quality Cold-Water Fishes (HQ-CWF), so no antidegradation analysis is required. New, additional, and increased discharges are subject to antidegradation requirements, but the Superior MHP STP has not reported any changes to its discharge (e.g., increased design flow or loading) that trigger an evaluation of those requirements.

Discharges to Drainage Swales

DEP’s “Policy and Procedure for Evaluating Wastewater Discharges to Intermittent and Ephemeral Streams, Drainage Channels and Swales, and Storm Sewers” (Doc. No. 391-2000-014, April 12, 2008) states the following:

Advanced Treatment Requirements. For discharges to intermittent and ephemeral streams, drainage channels and swales, and storm sewers, a high degree of treatment is required to compensate for the lack of available assimilative capacity and to minimize the potential for nuisance conditions. Effluent limits will be determined by the regional permit engineer on a case-by-case basis, but for discharges of treated sewage and similar oxygen-consuming wastes, effluent limits should include and be at least as stringent as these, or equivalent:

- CBOD5 - 10 mg/L as a monthly average;
- TSS - 10 mg/L as a monthly average;
- Total N - 5 mg/L as a monthly average;
- Dissolved oxygen - minimum 6 mg/L at all times;
- Phosphorus – 0.5 mg/L as a monthly average.

All discharges of treated sewage require effective disinfection sufficient to meet Chapter 93 bacteria criteria at the point of discharge. Seasonal adjustments should not be applied to effluent limits based on the advanced treatment requirements contained in this guidance. As an additional requirement for discharges of treated sewage, sand filters or equivalent are required in all cases. The Department will determine if alternative proposed treatment technologies are at least equivalent to sand filters.

SFTFs are exempt from the advanced treatment requirements listed in this guidance. However, the technology-based treatment requirements contained in the Small Flow Treatment Facilities Manual, DEP-ID 362-0300-002, are fully applicable for SFTFs.

Minimum treatment standards for bacteria are given by 92a.47(a)(4) and (a)(5) as shown in Table 1.

Small Flow Treatment Facilities (SFTFs) are sewage treatment plants with design flows of 2,000 gpd or less. The design flow of the Superior MHP STP is 2,500 gpd, so the facility is not exempt based on the requirements of the guidance. However, Section I.C.3 of DEP’s “Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) for Clean Water Program Establishing Effluent Limitations for Individual Sewage Permits” (SOP No. BCW-PMT-033, Version 1.9, March 22, 2021) states the following for discharges with a stream flow-to-wastewater flow (Q_{7-10} -to-design flow) ratio of less than 3:1:

For existing discharges, if the more stringent treatment requirements cannot be achieved, do not apply the standards in DEP guidance (391-2000-014) unless the receiving stream is impaired and the point source discharge contributes to the impairment. If this is the case, apply the more stringent treatment requirements and provide a schedule to meet final limitations not exceeding three years in the draft permit.

The stream flow-to-wastewater flow ratio for Outfall 001 is $0.000158 \text{ cfs} / 0.00387 \text{ cfs} = 0.04:1$ (i.e., less than 3:1).

Effluent data from the STP are summarized in the table below for the parameters that could be subject to Advanced Treatment Requirements if those requirements can be achieved by the existing STP.

| Parameter | No. of Samples | Average Effluent Conc. (mg/L) | Maximum Effluent Conc. (mg/L) | Advanced Treatment Requirement (mg/L) |
|------------------|----------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| CBOD5 | 52 | 5.5 | 13.1 | 10.0 |
| TSS | 52 | 5.6 | 25 | 10.0 |
| Dissolved Oxygen | 53 | 7.8 | 5.6 (Minimum) | 6.0 |
| Total Nitrogen | 4 | 17.2 | 29.8 | 5.0 |
| Total Phosphorus | 4 | 0.99 | 1.56 | 0.5 |

The STP is already subject to the Advanced Treatment Requirements for CBOD5 and TSS including 10.0 mg/L average monthly limits and 20.0 mg/L instantaneous maximum limits calculated using an average monthly limit multiplier of 2.0 in

accordance with Chapter 2 of DEP's "Technical Guidance for the Development and Specification of Effluent Limitations and Other Permit Conditions in NPDES Permits" [Doc. No. 362-0400-001]. Those limits must be maintained pursuant to EPA's antibacksliding regulation (40 CFR § 122.44), which requires effluent limits in reissued permits be at least as stringent as the final effluent limits in the previous permit (subject to certain exceptions that do not apply here). Mr. Kotun has only reported one average monthly and one daily maximum effluent violation for CBOD5 and TSS since January of 2017.

Outfall 001 is currently subject to a minimum monthly average dissolved oxygen limit of 3.0 mg/L, but effluent data show that the STP can achieve the 6.0 mg/L minimum, so that limit will be imposed in the renewed permit.

The limited effluent data for Total Nitrogen and Total Phosphorus show that the advanced treatment requirements for those parameters cannot be achieved. However, nitrogen will be controlled to some extent by effluent limits on ammonia-nitrogen. Additionally, the receiving stream, an unnamed tributary to Service Creek, is currently attaining its designated HQ-CWF use. Since the stream is not impaired by nitrogen or phosphorus, the advanced treatment requirements for those parameters will not be imposed.

Other Requirements

An annual monitoring requirement for *E. Coli* will be imposed at Outfall 001 pursuant to 25 Pa. Code § 92a.61(b). *E. Coli* was recently added to the bacteria criteria in 25 Pa. Code Chapter 93 and the monitoring will be used to determine if *E. Coli* concentrations require additional controls.

Applicable TBELs

Table 2. TBELs for Outfall 001

| Parameter | Average Monthly (mg/L) | Instant. Max (mg/L) | Basis |
|---|--|------------------------|---|
| CBOD5 | 10.0 | 20.0 [†] | 25 Pa. Code § 92a.3(b)(4); 40 CFR § 125.3(d); & DEP Doc. 391-2000-014 |
| Total Suspended Solids | 10.0 | 20.0 [†] | 25 Pa. Code § 92a.3(b)(4); 40 CFR § 125.3(d); & DEP Doc. 391-2000-014 |
| E.Coli (No./100 mL) | — | Report (Daily Maximum) | 25 Pa. Code § 92a.61(b) |
| Fecal Coliform (No./100 mL) May 1 – September 30 | 200 (Geometric Mean) | 1,000 | 25 Pa. Code § 92a.47(a)(4); DEP Doc. 391-2000-014 |
| Fecal Coliform (No./100 mL) October 1 – April 30 | 2,000 (Geometric Mean) | 10,000 | 25 Pa. Code § 92a.47(a)(5); DEP Doc. 391-2000-014 |
| Total Residual Chlorine | 0.5 | 1.6 | 25 Pa. Code § 92a.47(a)(8) & § 92a.48(b)(2) |
| Dissolved Oxygen | 6.0 (Minimum) | — | 25 Pa. Code § 92a.3(b)(4); 40 CFR § 125.3(d); & DEP Doc. 391-2000-014 |
| Nitrogen, Total | — | Report (Daily Maximum) | 25 Pa. Code § 92a.61(b) |
| Phosphorus, Total | — | Report (Daily Maximum) | 25 Pa. Code § 92a.61(b) |
| pH (s.u.) | not less than 6.0 and not greater than 9.0 | | 25 Pa. Code § 92a.47(a)(7) & § 95.2(1), & 40 CFR § 133.102(c) |

[†]Value is calculated as two times the monthly average in accordance with Chapter 2 of DEP's "Technical Guidance for the Development and Specification of Effluent Limitations and Other Permit Conditions in NPDES Permits" [Doc. No. 362-0400-001].

Water Quality-Based Effluent Limitations (WQBELs)

Pursuant to EPA's approval of Pennsylvania's 2017 Triennial Review of Water Quality Standards and corresponding regulatory changes published in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin* on July 11, 2020, new water quality criteria for ammonia-nitrogen apply to waters of the Commonwealth. Therefore, WQBELs for Outfall 001 are re-evaluated even though there have been no changes to the STP.

In accordance with DEP's "Policy and Procedure for Evaluating Wastewater Discharges to Intermittent and Ephemeral Streams, Drainage Channels and Swales, and Storm Sewers", WQBELs are evaluated at the point of first surface water use. As established with previous permits, the point of first surface water use is the headwaters of an unnamed tributary to

Service Creek with Stream Code 33610 (UNT 33610), which is designated for high-quality cold-water fishes (HQ-CWF). The approximate river mile of the headwaters is 1.63, but the discharge is about 0.09 miles upstream at RMI 1.74.

WQM 7.0 Water Quality Modeling Program

WQM 7.0 is a water quality modeling program for Windows that determines Waste Load Allocations ("WLAs") and effluent limitations for carbonaceous biochemical oxygen demand ("CBOD5"), ammonia-nitrogen, and dissolved oxygen for single and multiple point-source discharge scenarios. To accomplish this, the model simulates two basic processes. In the ammonia-nitrogen module, the model simulates the mixing and degradation of ammonia-nitrogen in the stream and compares calculated instream ammonia-nitrogen concentrations to ammonia-nitrogen water quality criteria. In the dissolved oxygen module, the model simulates the mixing and consumption of dissolved oxygen in the stream due to the degradation of CBOD5 and ammonia-nitrogen, and compares calculated instream dissolved oxygen concentrations to dissolved oxygen water quality criteria. WQM 7.0 then determines the highest pollutant loadings that the stream can assimilate while still meeting water quality criteria under design conditions.

Water Quality Modeling with WQM 7.0

Table 4. Reach 2 WQM 7.0 Inputs

| Discharge Characteristics | |
|---------------------------------------|----------|
| Parameter | Value |
| River Mile Index | 1.63 |
| Discharge Flow (MGD) | 0.0025 |
| Discharge Temp. (°C) (Warm) | 20.0 |
| Discharge Temp. (°C) (Cold) | 15.0 |
| Basin/Stream Characteristics | |
| Parameter | Value |
| Area in Square Miles | 0.04 |
| Q ₇₋₁₀ (cfs) | 0.000158 |
| Low-flow yield (cfs/mi ²) | 0.00386 |
| Elevation (ft) | 1148 |
| Slope | 0.026 |
| Stream Temp. (°C) (Summer) | 20.0 |
| Stream Temp. (°C) (Winter) | 5.0 |
| Stream pH (s.u.) | 7.0 |
| D.O. Goal (mg/L) (HQ-CWF) | 6.0 |

DEP's modeling for sewage discharges is a two-step process. First, a discharge is modeled for the summer period (May through October) using warm temperatures for the discharge and the receiving stream. Modeling for the summer period is done first because allowable ammonia-nitrogen concentrations in a discharge are lower at higher temperatures (i.e., warm temperatures are more likely to result in critical loading conditions). Reduced dissolved oxygen levels also appear to increase ammonia toxicity and the maximum concentration of dissolved oxygen in water is lower at higher temperatures. The second step is to evaluate WQBELs for the winter period, but only if modeling shows that WQBELs are needed for the summer period.

For the summer period, pursuant to DEP's "Implementation Guidance of Section 93.7 Ammonia Criteria" [Doc. No. 391-2000-013, November 4, 1997] (Ammonia Guidance) and in the absence of site-specific data, the discharge temperature is assumed to be 20°C and the design stream temperature and pH are assumed to be 20°C and 6.5 s.u., respectively, based on the recommendations for free stone cold water streams in DEP's Ammonia Guidance (the unnamed tributary to Service Creek is designated for cold water fishes). The flow used for modeling is the average design flow (0.0025 MGD). Except for dissolved oxygen, the input discharge concentrations are the average monthly limits from the previous permit (10 mg/L for CBOD5 and 2.0 mg/L for ammonia-nitrogen). The input discharge concentration for dissolved oxygen is the 6.0 mg/L minimum limit (see Table 2). The width to

depth ratio is assumed to be ten according to DEP policy.

The results of the modeling at the input discharge concentrations indicate that new, more stringent WQBELs for CBOD5 and Ammonia-Nitrogen are not required because the input concentrations are returned as the recommended limits. However, by adjusting the input concentration for ammonia-nitrogen to a default input concentration of 25 mg/L the model is forced to report ammonia-nitrogen WQBELs if they are more stringent than 25 mg/L. Using that revised input discharge concentration, WQM 7.0 recommends WQBELs of 2.02 mg/L average monthly and 4.04 mg/L maximum. After rounding, those limits are the same as the current summer period ammonia-nitrogen limits.

As a check, winter period modeling also is conducted. For winter period modeling, the low-flow yield (0.00386 cfs/mi² representing Q₇₋₁₀ flow) is doubled to 0.00772 cfs/mi² consistent with DEP's Ammonia Guidance. Default stream and discharge temperatures of 5°C and 15°C, respectively, are assumed—also based on the Ammonia Guidance. The input discharge concentration for ammonia-nitrogen is the winter period limit from the previous permit (3.2 mg/L). The model calculates ammonia-nitrogen WQBELs for the winter period of 3.17 mg/L average monthly and 6.34 mg/L maximum. Those limits are comparable to the current winter period ammonia-nitrogen limits. Therefore, the existing ammonia-nitrogen limits will control in the reissued permit.

Total Residual Chlorine

To determine if WQBELs are required for discharges containing total residual chlorine (TRC), a discharge evaluation is performed using a DEP program called TRC_CALC created with Microsoft Excel for Windows. TRC_CALC calculates TRC Waste Load Allocations (WLAs) through the application of a mass balance model which considers TRC losses due to stream and discharge chlorine demands and first-order chlorine decay. Input values for the program include flow rates and chlorine demands for the receiving stream and the discharge, the number of samples taken per month, coefficients of TRC variability, partial mix factors, and an optional factor of safety. The mass balance model calculates WLAs for acute and chronic criteria that are then converted to long term averages using calculated multipliers. The multipliers are functions of the number of samples taken per month and the TRC variability coefficients (normally kept at default values unless site-specific information is available). The most stringent limitation between the acute and chronic long-term averages is converted to an average monthly limit for comparison to the BAT average monthly limit of 0.5 mg/L from 25 Pa. Code § 92a.48(b)(2). The more stringent of these average monthly TRC limitations is imposed in the permit.

Based on TRC discharge evaluation, the TRC limits that apply at Outfall 001 are TBELs (0.5 mg/L average monthly and 1.6 mg/L instantaneous maximum). The IMAX limit is not consistent with DEP's policy for calculating IMAX limits from average monthly limits using a multiplier of 2.0 as described in Chapter 2, Section C of DEP's "Technical Guidance for the Development and Specification of Effluent Limitations and Other Permit Conditions in NPDES Permits" [Doc. No. 362-0400-001]. However, TRC_CALC recommends an IMAX limit of 1.6 mg/L and no water quality impacts have been noted in the receiving stream at that level.

Effluent Limit and Monitoring Requirements

In accordance with 25 Pa. Code §§ 92a.12 and 92a.61, effluent limits applicable at Outfall 001 are the more stringent of TBELs, WQBELs, regulatory effluent standards, and monitoring requirements as summarized in the table on the following page.

Monitoring frequencies and sample types are established pursuant to DEP's "Technical Guidance for the Development and Specification of Effluent Limitations and Other Permit Conditions in NPDES Permits" and DEP's "Standard Operating Procedure for Clean Water Program Establishing Effluent Limitations for Individual Sewage Permits". Dissolved oxygen, TRC, and pH must be sampled 1/day using grab sampling. CBOD5, TSS, and ammonia-nitrogen must be sampled 2/month using grab sampling. Fecal coliform must be sampled 2/month using grab sampling. *E.Coli* must be sampled 1/year using grab sampling. Total nitrogen and total phosphorus must be sampled 1/year using grab sampling. Flow must be measured 1/week.

The permittee previously filed an appeal of the final permit issued on July 20, 2016. In the appeal, the permittee, Mr. John F. Kotun, objected to 1/day sampling for TRC and pH. To resolve the appeal, DEP amended the permit to require TRC and pH sampling 3/week. When the appeal was resolved, DEP wrote in its Fact Sheet Addendum that Mr. Kotun would be informed that the next permit renewal in the year 2021 may contain 1/day sampling for TRC, pH and D.O. It is unknown if Mr. Kotun was informed as such, but DEP is including 1/day sampling for TRC, pH and D.O. In doing so, DEP notes that it is not aware of any exceptional circumstances at the Superior MHP STP that warrant continued deviation from daily sampling frequencies for TRC, D.O., and pH. Schools, campgrounds, other mobile home parks, and other sites operating small-flow sewage treatment plants are required to conduct daily sampling for those parameters. Those facilities can comply with daily sampling, so it is reasonable to expect that Mr. Kotun can comply with daily sampling. Additionally, the facility has a history of operation and maintenance issues, which warrants greater scrutiny of the STP.

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) ⁽¹⁾ | | Concentrations (mg/L) | | | | Minimum ⁽²⁾ Measurement Frequency | Required Sample Type |
| | Average Monthly | Average Weekly | Instant. Minimum | Average Monthly | Daily Maximum | Instant. Maximum | | |
| Flow (MGD) | 0.0025 | XXX | XXX | XXX | XXX | XXX | 1/week | Measured |
| pH (S.U.) | XXX | XXX | 6.0 | XXX | XXX | 9.0 | 1/day | Grab |
| Dissolved Oxygen | XXX | XXX | 6.0 | XXX | XXX | XXX | 1/day | Grab |
| Total Residual Chlorine (TRC) | XXX | XXX | XXX | 0.5 | XXX | 1.6 | 1/day | Grab |
| CBOD5 | XXX | XXX | XXX | 10.0 | XXX | 20.0 | 2/month | Grab |
| Total Suspended Solids (TSS) | XXX | XXX | XXX | 10.0 | XXX | 20.0 | 2/month | Grab |
| Fecal Coliform (No./100 ml) Oct 1 - Apr 30 | XXX | XXX | XXX | 2000 Geo Mean | XXX | 10000 | 2/month | Grab |
| Fecal Coliform (No./100 ml) May 1 - Sep 30 | XXX | XXX | XXX | 200 Geo Mean | XXX | 1000 | 2/month | Grab |
| E. Coli (No./100 ml) | XXX | XXX | XXX | XXX | Report | XXX | 1/year | Grab |
| Total Nitrogen | XXX | XXX | XXX | XXX | Report | XXX | 1/year | Grab |
| Ammonia-Nitrogen Nov 1 - Apr 30 | XXX | XXX | XXX | 3.2 | XXX | 6.4 | 2/month | Grab |
| Ammonia-Nitrogen May 1 - Oct 31 | XXX | XXX | XXX | 2.0 | XXX | 4.0 | 2/month | Grab |
| Total Phosphorus | XXX | XXX | XXX | XXX | Report | XXX | 1/year | Grab |

Compliance Sampling Location: at Outfall 001

| Tools and References Used to Develop Permit | |
|---|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | WQM for Windows Model (see Attachment A) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Toxics Management Spreadsheet (see Attachment) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | TRC Model Spreadsheet (see Attachment B) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Temperature Model Spreadsheet (see Attachment) |
| <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 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 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 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 type="checkbox"/> | Pennsylvania's Chesapeake Bay Tributary Strategy Implementation Plan for NPDES Permitting, 4/07. |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | SOP: Standard Operating Procedure for Clean Water Program Establishing Effluent Limitations for Individual Sewage Permits" [SOP No. BCW-PMT-033, Version 1.9, March 22, 2021] |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Other: |

ATTACHMENT A

WQM 7.0 Modeling Results

Summer Modeling

Input Data WQM 7.0

| SWP Basin | Stream Code | Stream Name | RMI | Elevation (ft) | Drainage Area (sq mi) | Slope (ft/ft) | PWS Withdrawal (mgd) | Apply FC |
|-----------|-------------|-----------------------------|-------|----------------|-----------------------|---------------|----------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 20D | 33610 | Trib 33610 to Service Creek | 1.630 | 1148.00 | 0.04 | 0.02600 | 0.00 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |

Stream Data

| Design Cond. | LFY | Trib Flow | Stream Flow | Rch Trav Time | Rch Velocity | WD Ratio | Rch Width | Rch Depth | Tributary Temp | Tributary pH | Stream Temp | Stream pH |
|--------------|--------|-----------|-------------|---------------|--------------|----------|-----------|-----------|----------------|--------------|-------------|-----------|
| | (cfsm) | (cfs) | (cfs) | (days) | (fps) | | (ft) | (ft) | (°C) | | (°C) | |
| Q7-10 | 0.004 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 10.0 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 20.00 | 6.50 | 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 Factor | Disc Temp (°C) | Disc pH |
|-------------|---------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|----------------|----------------|---------|
| Outfall 001 | PA0216208-1 | 0.0025 | 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 | 10.00 | 2.00 | 0.00 | 1.50 |
| Dissolved Oxygen | 6.00 | 9.17 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| NH3-N | 25.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.70 |

Summer Modeling

Input Data WQM 7.0

| SWP Basin | Stream Code | Stream Name | RMI | Elevation (ft) | Drainage Area (sq mi) | Slope (ft/ft) | PWS Withdrawal (mgd) | Apply FC |
|-----------|-------------|-----------------------------|-------|----------------|-----------------------|---------------|----------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 20D | 33610 | Trib 33610 to Service Creek | 0.630 | 975.00 | 0.41 | 0.02600 | 0.00 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |

Stream Data

| Design Cond. | LFY | Trib Flow | Stream Flow | Rch Trav Time | Rch Velocity | WD Ratio | Rch Width | Rch Depth | Tributary Temp | Tributary pH | Stream Temp | Stream pH |
|--------------|--------|-----------|-------------|---------------|--------------|----------|-----------|-----------|----------------|--------------|-------------|-----------|
| | (cfsm) | (cfs) | (cfs) | (days) | (fps) | | (ft) | (ft) | (°C) | | (°C) | |
| Q7-10 | 0.004 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 10.0 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 20.00 | 6.50 | 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 Factor | Disc Temp (°C) | Disc pH |
|------|---------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|----------------|----------------|---------|
| | | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.000 | 0.00 | 7.00 |

Parameter Data

| Parameter Name | Disc 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 | 3.00 | 8.24 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| NH3-N | 25.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.70 |

Summer Modeling

WQM 7.0 Modeling Specifications

| | | | |
|--------------------|--------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Parameters | Both | Use Inputted Q1-10 and Q30-10 Flows | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| WLA Method | EMPR | Use Inputted W/D Ratio | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Q1-10/Q7-10 Ratio | 0.64 | Use Inputted Reach Travel Times | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Q30-10/Q7-10 Ratio | 1.36 | Temperature Adjust Kr | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| D.O. Saturation | 90.00% | Use Balanced Technology | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| D.O. Goal | 6 | | |

Summer Modeling

WQM 7.0 Hydrodynamic Outputs

| <u>SWP Basin</u> | | <u>Stream Code</u> | | | | <u>Stream Name</u> | | | | | | |
|--------------------|----------------------|--------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------|-----------|-------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-------------|
| 20D | | 33610 | | | | Trib 33610 to Service Creek | | | | | | |
| RMI | Stream Flow (cfs) | PWS With (cfs) | Net Stream Flow (cfs) | Disc Analysis Flow (cfs) | Reach Slope (ft/ft) | Depth (ft) | Width (ft) | W/D Ratio | Velocity (fps) | Reach Trav Time (days) | Analysis Temp (°C) | Analysis pH |
| Q7-10 Flow | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1.630 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | .0039 | 0.02600 | .134 | 1.34 | 10 | 0.02 | 2.743 | 20.00 | 6.97 |
| Q1-10 Flow | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1.630 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | .0039 | 0.02600 | NA | NA | NA | 0.02 | 2.765 | 20.00 | 6.98 |
| Q30-10 Flow | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1.630 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | .0039 | 0.02600 | NA | NA | NA | 0.02 | 2.722 | 20.00 | 6.95 |

Summer Modeling

WQM 7.0 Wasteload Allocations

| | | |
|------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|
| <u>SWP Basin</u> | <u>Stream Code</u> | <u>Stream Name</u> |
| 20D | 33610 | Trib 33610 to Service Creek |

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 |
|-------|----------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| 1.630 | Outfall 001 | 17.09 | 17.53 | 17.09 | 17.53 | 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 |
|-------|----------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| 1.630 | Outfall 001 | 1.92 | 2.02 | 1.92 | 2.02 | 0 | 0 |

Dissolved Oxygen Allocations

| RMI | Discharge Name | <u>CBOD5</u> | | <u>NH3-N</u> | | <u>Dissolved Oxygen</u> | | Critical Reach | Percent Reduction |
|------|----------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| | | Baseline (mg/L) | Multiple (mg/L) | Baseline (mg/L) | Multiple (mg/L) | Baseline (mg/L) | Multiple (mg/L) | | |
| 1.63 | Outfall 001 | 10 | 10 | 2.02 | 2.02 | 6 | 6 | 0 | 0 |

Summer Modeling

WQM 7.0 D.O. Simulation

| <u>SWP Basin</u> | <u>Stream Code</u> | <u>Stream Name</u> | | |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------|
| 20D | 33610 | Trib 33610 to Service Creek | | |
| <hr/> | | | | |
| <u>RMI</u> | <u>Total Discharge Flow (mgd)</u> | <u>Analysis Temperature (°C)</u> | <u>Analysis pH</u> | |
| 1.630 | 0.002 | 20.000 | 6.965 | |
| <u>Reach Width (ft)</u> | <u>Reach Depth (ft)</u> | <u>Reach WDRatio</u> | <u>Reach Velocity (fps)</u> | |
| 1.344 | 0.134 | 10.000 | 0.022 | |
| <u>Reach CBOD5 (mg/L)</u> | <u>Reach Kc (1/days)</u> | <u>Reach NH3-N (mg/L)</u> | <u>Reach Kn (1/days)</u> | |
| 9.69 | 0.575 | 1.95 | 0.700 | |
| <u>Reach DO (mg/L)</u> | <u>Reach Kr (1/days)</u> | <u>Kr Equation</u> | <u>Reach DO Goal (mg/L)</u> | |
| 6.122 | 69.537 | Owens | 6 | |
| <u>Reach Travel Time (days)</u> | | | | |
| 2.743 | | | | |
| | <u>TravTime</u> | <u>Subreach Results</u> | | |
| | (days) | CBOD5 | NH3-N | D.O. |
| | | (mg/L) | (mg/L) | (mg/L) |
| | 0.274 | 8.28 | 1.61 | 8.24 |
| | 0.549 | 7.07 | 1.32 | 8.24 |
| | 0.823 | 6.04 | 1.09 | 8.24 |
| | 1.097 | 5.16 | 0.90 | 8.24 |
| | 1.372 | 4.40 | 0.74 | 8.24 |
| | 1.646 | 3.76 | 0.61 | 8.24 |
| | 1.920 | 3.21 | 0.51 | 8.24 |
| | 2.195 | 2.74 | 0.42 | 8.24 |
| | 2.469 | 2.34 | 0.35 | 8.24 |
| | 2.743 | 2.00 | 0.29 | 8.24 |

Summer Modeling

WQM 7.0 Effluent Limits

| <u>SWP Basin</u> | | <u>Stream Code</u> | <u>Stream Name</u> | | | | |
|------------------|-------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| 20D | | 33610 | Trib 33610 to Service Creek | | | | |
| RMI | Name | Permit Number | Disc Flow (mgd) | Parameter | Effl. Limit 30-day Ave. (mg/L) | Effl. Limit Maximum (mg/L) | Effl. Limit Minimum (mg/L) |
| 1.630 | Outfall 001 | PA0216208-1 | 0.002 | CBOD5 | 10 | | |
| | | | | NH3-N | 2.02 | 4.04 | |
| | | | | Dissolved Oxygen | | | 6 |

Winter Modeling

Input Data WQM 7.0

| SWP Basin | Stream Code | Stream Name | RMI | Elevation (ft) | Drainage Area (sq mi) | Slope (ft/ft) | PWS Withdrawal (mgd) | Apply FC |
|-----------|-------------|-----------------------------|-------|----------------|-----------------------|---------------|----------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 20D | 33610 | Trib 33610 to Service Creek | 1.630 | 1148.00 | 0.04 | 0.02600 | 0.00 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |

Stream Data

| Design Cond. | LFY (cfs) | Trib Flow (cfs) | 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 | 0.008 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 10.0 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 5.00 | 6.50 | 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 Factor | Disc Temp (°C) | Disc pH |
|-------------|---------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|----------------|----------------|---------|
| Outfall 001 | PA0216208-1 | 0.0025 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.000 | 15.00 | 7.00 |

Parameter Data

| Parameter Name | Disc Conc (mg/L) | Trib Conc (mg/L) | Stream Conc (mg/L) | Fate Coef (1/days) |
|------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| CBOD5 | 10.00 | 2.00 | 0.00 | 1.50 |
| Dissolved Oxygen | 6.00 | 12.80 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| NH3-N | 25.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.70 |

Winter Modeling

Input Data WQM 7.0

| SWP Basin | Stream Code | Stream Name | RMI | Elevation (ft) | Drainage Area (sq mi) | Slope (ft/ft) | PWS Withdrawal (mgd) | Apply FC |
|-----------|-------------|-----------------------------|-------|----------------|-----------------------|---------------|----------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 20D | 33610 | Trib 33610 to Service Creek | 0.630 | 975.00 | 0.41 | 0.02600 | 0.00 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |

Stream Data

| Design Cond. | LFY | Trib Flow | Stream Flow | Rch Trav Time | Rch Velocity | WD Ratio | Rch Width | Rch Depth | Tributary | | Stream | |
|--------------|--------|-----------|-------------|---------------|--------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------|-----------|------|
| | (cfsm) | (cfs) | (cfs) | (days) | (fps) | | (ft) | (ft) | Temp (°C) | pH | Temp (°C) | pH |
| Q7-10 | 0.008 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.000 | 0.000 | 10.0 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 5.00 | 6.50 | 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 Factor | Disc Temp (°C) | Disc pH |
| | | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.0000 | 0.000 | 0.00 | 7.00 |
| Parameter Data | | | | | | | |
| Parameter Name | Disc 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 | 3.00 | 8.24 | 0.00 | 0.00 | | | |
| NH3-N | 25.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.70 | | | |

Winter Modeling

WQM 7.0 Modeling Specifications

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| Parameters | Both | Use Inputted Q1-10 and Q30-10 Flows | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| WLA Method | EMPR | Use Inputted W/D Ratio | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Q1-10/Q7-10 Ratio | 0.64 | Use Inputted Reach Travel Times | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Q30-10/Q7-10 Ratio | 1.36 | Temperature Adjust Kr | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| D.O. Saturation | 90.00% | Use Balanced Technology | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| D.O. Goal | 6 | | |

Winter Modeling

WQM 7.0 Hydrodynamic Outputs

| <u>SWP Basin</u> | | <u>Stream Code</u> | | | | <u>Stream Name</u> | | | | | | |
|--------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------|------------|-----------|----------------|------------------------|--------------------|-------------|
| 20D | | 33610 | | | | Trib 33610 to Service Creek | | | | | | |
| RMI | Stream Flow (cfs) | PWS With (cfs) | Net Stream Flow (cfs) | Disc Analysis Flow (cfs) | Reach Slope (ft/ft) | Depth (ft) | Width (ft) | W/D Ratio | Velocity (fps) | Reach Trav Time (days) | Analysis Temp (°C) | Analysis pH |
| Q7-10 Flow | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1.630 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | .0039 | 0.02600 | .135 | 1.35 | 10 | 0.02 | 2.686 | 14.26 | 6.94 |
| Q1-10 Flow | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1.630 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | .0039 | 0.02600 | NA | NA | NA | 0.02 | 2.727 | 14.51 | 6.96 |
| Q30-10 Flow | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1.630 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | .0039 | 0.02600 | NA | NA | NA | 0.02 | 2.647 | 14.02 | 6.92 |

Winter Modeling

WQM 7.0 Wasteload Allocations

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| <u>SWP Basin</u> | <u>Stream Code</u> | <u>Stream Name</u> |
| 20D | 33610 | Trib 33610 to Service Creek |

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 |
|-------|----------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| 1.630 | Outfall 001 | 25.01 | 26.29 | 25.01 | 26.29 | 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 |
|-------|----------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| 1.630 | Outfall 001 | 2.86 | 3.17 | 2.86 | 3.17 | 0 | 0 |

Dissolved Oxygen Allocations

| RMI | Discharge Name | <u>CBOD5</u> | | <u>NH3-N</u> | | <u>Dissolved Oxygen</u> | | Critical Reach | Percent Reduction |
|------|----------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| | | Baseline (mg/L) | Multiple (mg/L) | Baseline (mg/L) | Multiple (mg/L) | Baseline (mg/L) | Multiple (mg/L) | | |
| 1.63 | Outfall 001 | 10 | 10 | 3.17 | 3.17 | 6 | 6 | 0 | 0 |

Winter Modeling

WQM 7.0 D.O. Simulation

| <u>SWP Basin</u> | <u>Stream Code</u> | <u>Stream Name</u> | | |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|
| 20D | 33610 | Trib 33610 to Service Creek | | |
| <u>RMI</u> | <u>Total Discharge Flow (mgd)</u> | <u>Analysis Temperature (°C)</u> | <u>Analysis pH</u> | |
| 1.630 | 0.002 | 14.261 | 6.936 | |
| <u>Reach Width (ft)</u> | <u>Reach Depth (ft)</u> | <u>Reach WDRatio</u> | <u>Reach Velocity (fps)</u> | |
| 1.355 | 0.135 | 10.000 | 0.023 | |
| <u>Reach CBOD5 (mg/L)</u> | <u>Reach Kc (1/days)</u> | <u>Reach NH3-N (mg/L)</u> | <u>Reach Kn (1/days)</u> | |
| 9.41 | 0.750 | 2.93 | 0.450 | |
| <u>Reach DO (mg/L)</u> | <u>Reach Kr (1/days)</u> | <u>Kr Equation</u> | <u>Reach DO Goal (mg/L)</u> | |
| 6.503 | 69.454 | Owens | 6 | |
| <u>Reach Travel Time (days)</u> | Subreach Results | | | |
| 2.686 | <u>TravTime (days)</u> | <u>CBOD5 (mg/L)</u> | <u>NH3-N (mg/L)</u> | <u>D.O. (mg/L)</u> |
| | 0.269 | 8.06 | 2.60 | 9.23 |
| | 0.537 | 6.90 | 2.30 | 9.23 |
| | 0.806 | 5.91 | 2.04 | 9.23 |
| | 1.074 | 5.06 | 1.81 | 9.23 |
| | 1.343 | 4.34 | 1.60 | 9.23 |
| | 1.612 | 3.72 | 1.42 | 9.23 |
| | 1.880 | 3.18 | 1.26 | 9.23 |
| | 2.149 | 2.73 | 1.12 | 9.23 |
| | 2.417 | 2.33 | 0.99 | 9.23 |
| | 2.686 | 2.00 | 0.88 | 9.23 |

Winter Modeling

WQM 7.0 Effluent Limits

| <u>SWP Basin</u> | | <u>Stream Code</u> | <u>Stream Name</u> | | | | |
|------------------|-------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| 20D | | 33610 | Trib 33610 to Service Creek | | | | |
| RMI | Name | Permit Number | Disc Flow (mgd) | Parameter | Effl. Limit 30-day Ave. (mg/L) | Effl. Limit Maximum (mg/L) | Effl. Limit Minimum (mg/L) |
| 1.630 | Outfall 001 | PA0216208-1 | 0.002 | CBOD5 | 10 | | |
| | | | | NH3-N | 3.17 | 6.34 | |
| | | | | Dissolved Oxygen | | | 6 |

ATTACHMENT B

TRC Modeling Results

TRC EVALUATION – Outfall 001

| | | | |
|-------|--------------------------------|-------|--------------------------------------|
| 0.37 | = Q stream (cfs) | 0.5 | = CV Daily |
| 0.012 | = Q discharge (MGD) | 0.5 | = CV Hourly |
| 30 | = no. samples | 0.776 | = 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) |
| | = % Factor of Safety (FOS) | | =Decay Coefficient (K) |

| Source | Reference | AFC Calculations | Reference | CFC Calculations |
|--------------|-----------|---------------------|-----------|---------------------|
| TRC | 1.3.2.iii | WLA_afc = 4.953 | 1.3.2.iii | WLA_cfc = 6.210 |
| PENTOXSD TRG | 5.1a | LTAMULT_afc = 0.373 | 5.1c | LTAMULT_cfc = 0.581 |
| PENTOXSD TRG | 5.1b | LTA_afc = 1.846 | 5.1d | LTA_cfc = 3.610 |

| Source | Reference | 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 | |

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|----------------|---|
| 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 | $1.5*((av_mon_limit/AML_MULT)/LTAMULT_afc)$ |