

Application Type Renewal
Facility Type Municipal
Major / Minor Minor

**NPDES PERMIT FACT SHEET
INDIVIDUAL SEWAGE**

Application No. PA0248029
APS ID 339051
Authorization ID 1190948

Applicant and Facility Information

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|---------------------------|---|------------------|---|
| Applicant Name | <u>Hustontown Joint Sewer Authority Fulton County</u> | Facility Name | <u>Hustontown STP</u> |
| Applicant Address | <u>PO Box 606 Hustontown, PA 17229-0606</u> | Facility Address | <u>Spring Drive Hustontown, PA 17229-0606</u> |
| Applicant Contact | <u>John Mixell</u> | Facility Contact | <u>John Mixell</u> |
| Applicant Phone | <u>(717) 360-2294</u> | Facility Phone | <u>(717) 360-2294</u> |
| Client ID | <u>147978</u> | Site ID | <u>543168</u> |
| Ch 94 Load Status | <u>Not Overloaded</u> | Municipality | <u>Dublin Township</u> |
| Connection Status | <u>No Limitations</u> | County | <u>Fulton</u> |
| Date Application Received | <u>July 14, 2017</u> | EPA Waived? | <u>Yes</u> |
| Date Application Accepted | <u>August 15, 2017</u> | If No, Reason | <u></u> |
| Purpose of Application | <u>NPDES permit renewal.</u> | | |

Summary of Review

Hustontown Joint Sewer Authority has applied to the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) for reissuance of its NPDES permit. The permit was last reissued on January 29, 2013 and became effective on February 1, 2013. The permit expired on January 31, 2018 but the terms and conditions of the permit have been extended since that time.

The Authority owns, operates, and maintains the wastewater treatment plant located in Taylor Township, Fulton County. The design flow is 0.028 MGD. The facility had numerous effluent violations in 2018-2019. On February 24, 2020, Mr. Clark, DEP WQS, via email indicated that the facility is within compliance (see the email attached).

WQM Part II No. 2906401 original was issued on October 5, 2006.

Changes from the previous permit: Unit of Fecal Coliform changed from CFU/100 ml to No./100 ml.

Based on the review outline in this fact sheet, it is recommended that the permit be drafted and published in the Pennsylvania Bulletin for public comments for 30 days.

| Approve | Deny | Signatures | Date |
|---------|------|---|-------------------|
| X | | Hilary H. Le / Environmental Engineering Specialist | February 28, 2020 |
| | | Daniel W. Martin, P.E. / Environmental Engineer Manager | |
| | | Maria D. Bebenek, P.E. / Clean Water Program Manager | |

| Discharge, Receiving Waters and Water Supply Information | | | |
|--|--|------------------------------|----------------------|
| Outfall No. | 001 | Design Flow (MGD) | 0.028 |
| Latitude | 40° 2' 55.74" | Longitude | -78° 1' 54.66" |
| Quad Name | Hustontown | Quad Code | |
| Wastewater Description: Sewage Effluent | | | |
| Receiving Waters | Unnamed Tributary to Lamberson Branch (HQ-CWF) | Stream Code | 13000 |
| NHD Com ID | 66213917 | RMI | 0.15 |
| Drainage Area | 0.07 mi. ² | Yield (cfs/mi ²) | See comments below |
| Q ₇₋₁₀ Flow (cfs) | See comments below | Q ₇₋₁₀ Basis | USGS StreamStats |
| Elevation (ft) | 1075.27 ft | Slope (ft/ft) | |
| Watershed No. | 12-C | Chapter 93 Class. | HQ-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 | Mifflintown Borough Municipal Authority | | |
| PWS Waters | Juniata River | Flow at Intake (cfs) | |
| PWS RMI | 34.4 miles | Distance from Outfall (mi) | Approximate 88 miles |

Changes Since Last Permit Issuance: none

Drainage Area

The discharge is to Unnamed Tributary to Lamberson Branch at RMI 0.15 miles. A drainage area upstream of the discharge is estimated to be 0.07 mi.², according to USGS PA StreamStats available at <https://streamstats.usgs.gov/ss/>.

Stream Flow

There are no nearby stream gages with low flow data that have extensive or recent periods of record. Since USGS PA StreamStats estimated the drainage area that is below the minimum value allowed by USGS's regression equations, the USGS StreamStats on Sideling Hill Creek in the Fulton County will be used to calculate the Q₇₋₁₀ at the point of discharge using a low flow yield method. The Q₇₋₁₀ here is 2.54 cfs and the drainage area is 86.5 mi.² which results in a Q₇₋₁₀ low flow yield of 0.029 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):

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Low Flow Yield} &= 2.54 \text{ cfs}/86.5 \text{ mi.}^2 = 0.029 \text{ cfs/mi.}^2 \\ \text{Q}_{7-10} &= 0.07 \text{ mi.}^2 \times 0.029 \text{ cfs/mi.}^2 = 0.002 \text{ cfs} \\ \text{Q}_{30-10} &= 1.36 \times 0.002 \text{ cfs} = 0.0027 \text{ cfs} \\ \text{Q}_{1-10} &= 0.64 \times 0.002 \text{ cfs} = 0.0013 \text{ cfs} \end{aligned}$$

Unnamed Tributary to Lamberson Branch of Woodbridge Creek to Aughwick Creek

25 Pa Code § 93.9n classifies Unnamed Tributary to Lamberson Branch of Woodbridge Creek to Aughwick Creek as High Quality-Cold Water Fishes (HQ-CWF) surface water. Based on the 2018 Integrated Report, assessment unit ID 20516, is not impaired. A TMDL currently does not exist for this stream segment, therefore, no TMDL has been taken into consideration during this review.

Water Supply

The nearest downstream public water supply intake is an experimental system for Mifflintown Borough Municipal Authority on the Juniata River in Mifflin Borough, approximately 88 miles downstream of this discharge. Considering distance and dilution, the discharge is not expected to impact the water supply.

| Treatment Facility Summary | | | | |
|--|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Treatment Facility Name: Hustontown STP | | | | |
| WQM Permit No. | | Issuance Date | | |
| 2906401 | | 10/5/2006 | | |
| Waste Type | Degree of Treatment | Process Type | Disinfection | Avg Annual Flow (MGD) |
| Sewage | Secondary With Ammonia And Phosphorus | Sequencing Batch Reactor | Chlorine With Dechlorination | 0.028 |
| Hydraulic Capacity (MGD) | Organic Capacity (lbs/day) | Load Status | Biosolids Treatment | Biosolids Use/Disposal |
| 0.028 | 83.6 | Not Overloaded | Aerobic Digestion | Land Application |

Changes Since Last Permit Issuance: none

The treatment plant consists of influent wet well, 2 SBR tanks, a chlorine contact tank, a de-chlorination (1 aerobic digester), a post aeration, a sludge digester, 6 sludge holding tanks, and outfall.

Sodium Hypochlorite is used for disinfection. Soda Ash is used for pH adjustment. Del Pac 2020 is used for Total Phosphorus removal.

| Compliance History | |
|--------------------------------|---|
| Summary of DMRs: | The DMRs reported from January 1, 2019 to December 31, 2019 is summarized in the Table below (Pages # 4 & 5). |
| Summary of Inspections: | <p>2/4/2020: Mr. Clark, DEP WQS, conducted follow up inspection. The recommendations were to have copies of all sludge disposal record for last 5 years available at treatment plant, and update monthly log sheets. All treatment units were in service, effluent was clear with pin floc., and field tests results were within permit limits. The sample on 2/4/2020 test results indicated within permit limits.</p> <p>1/7/2020: Mr. Clark, DEP WQS, conducted compliance evaluation inspection. The recommendations were such as keep copy of sludge disposal records on-site, replace D.O. meter probe cap and calibrate meter, use military time or AM/PM when recording daily test grab and test time, and obtain # 7 buffer solution. All treatment units were in service, effluent was clear, and field tests results were within permit limits. There were no violations noted during inspection.</p> <p>12/19/2019: Mr. Buss, DEP Compliance Specialist, conducted eDMR Chesapeake Bay Annual Report inspection. There was a recommendation such as on the Chesapeake Bay Supplemental Report, use the "Q" Columns to indicate that lab results were greater than or less than laboratory detection limits by using the symbols ">" or "<", the Department requests that you begin using DEP developed spreadsheets for monthly DMR supplemental reports. There were violations noted during inspection such as the Cap load for total Nitrogen was exceeded by 67 lbs.</p> <p>9/11/2019: Mr. Clark, DEP WQS, conducted follow up inspection. The effluent was clear, and field test results were within permit limits. There were violations noted during inspection such as field test results for Total Residual Chlorine (TRC) was over the permit limit.</p> |
| Other Comments: | There were open violations associated with the permittee or the facility, until February 24, 2020. |

Compliance History

DMR Data for Outfall 001 (from January 1, 2019 to December 31, 2019)

| Parameter | DEC-19 | NOV-19 | OCT-19 | SEP-19 | AUG-19 | JUL-19 | JUN-19 | MAY-19 | APR-19 | MAR-19 | FEB-19 | JAN-19 |
|--|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Flow (MGD) Average Mon | 0.013819 | 0.013114 | 0.011018 | 0.010263 | 0.010799 | 0.012380 | 0.013950 | | | | | |
| Flow (MGD) Daily Maxim | 0.022405 | 0.025117 | 0.017397 | 0.016452 | 0.018600 | 0.017855 | 0.023238 | | | | | |
| pH (S.U.) Minimum | 6.5 | 6.3 | 6.5 | 6.3 | 6.2 | 6.0 | 6.4 | | | | | |
| pH (S.U.) Maximum | 8.0 | 7.8 | 7.6 | 7.3 | 7.4 | 7.0 | 7.1 | | | | | |
| DO (mg/L) Minimum | 7.1 | 6.4 | 5.8 | 5.4 | 6.8 | 6.2 | 7.4 | | | | | |
| TRC (mg/L) Average Mon | 0.01 | 0.005 | 0.008 | 0.007 | 0.01 | 0.003 | 0.006 | | | | | |
| TRC (mg/L) IMAX | 0.03 | 0.02 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.05 | 0.03 | 0.04 | | | | | |
| CBOD5 (lbs/day) Average Monthly | 0.24 | 0.25 | 0.20 | 0.17 | 0.20 | 0.26 | 0.53 | | | | | |
| CBOD5 (lbs/day) Weekly Average | 0.27 | 0.26 | 0.22 | 0.18 | 0.26 | 0.31 | 0.81 | | | | | |
| CBOD5 (mg/L) Average Monthly | 2.0 | 2.2 | 2.0 | 2.5 | 2.6 | 2.6 | 4.1 | | | | | |
| CBOD5 (mg/L) Weekly Average | 2.0 | 2.4 | 2.0 | 2.6 | 3.3 | 3.1 | 6.2 | | | | | |
| BOD5 (lbs/day) Raw Sewage Influent Average Monthly | 27.5 | 26.8 | 32.7 | 8.6 | 34.5 | 8.3 | 27.7 | | | | | |
| BOD5 (lbs/day) Raw Sewage Influent Daily Maximum | 33.2 | 28.8 | 50.7 | 13.2 | 48.1 | 8.3 | 32.9 | | | | | |
| BOD5 (mg/L) Raw Sewage Influent Average Monthly | 261 | 254 | 323 | 131 | 240 | 80.3 | 218 | | | | | |
| TSS (lbs/day) Average Monthly | 0.50 | 0.39 | 0.31 | 0.26 | 0.44 | 0.70 | 0.83 | | | | | |
| TSS (lbs/day) Raw Sewage Influent Average Monthly | 27.1 | 41.6 | 69 | 8.9 | 17.6 | 21.4 | 19.8 | | | | | |
| TSS (lbs/day) Raw Sewage Influent Daily Maximum | 30.8 | 49.1 | 127 | 12.3 | 20.8 | 38.3 | 28.2 | | | | | |
| TSS (lbs/day) Weekly Average | 0.54 | 0.65 | 0.33 | 0.32 | 0.56 | 1.09 | 1.03 | | | | | |
| TSS (mg/L) Average Monthly | 4.3 | 4.0 | 3.3 | 3.8 | 5.8 | 7.0 | 6.5 | | | | | |
| TSS (mg/L) Raw Sewage Influent Average Monthly | 260 | 398 | 666 | 137 | 124 | 202 | 156 | | | | | |

**NPDES Permit Fact Sheet
Hustontown STP**

NPDES Permit No. PA0248029

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|---|-------|-------|-------|------|-------|-------|-------|--|--|--|--|--|
| TSS (mg/L) Weekly Average | 5.0 | 7.0 | 3.5 | 4.5 | 7.0 | 11 | 8.0 | | | | | |
| Fecal Coliform (CFU/100 ml) Geometric Mean | 1 | 1 | 2.0 | 2 | 1 | 109 | 6 | | | | | |
| Fecal Coliform (CFU/100 ml) IMAX | 1 | 1 | 2.0 | 2 | 2 | 209 | 8 | | | | | |
| Nitrate-Nitrite (mg/L) Average Monthly | 8.27 | 2.50 | 1.57 | 2.56 | 4.03 | 2.42 | 1.79 | | | | | |
| Nitrate-Nitrite (lbs) Total Monthly | 27.15 | 74.97 | 4.69 | 4.91 | 15.77 | 0.25 | 6.80 | | | | | |
| Total Nitrogen (mg/L) Average Monthly | 10.87 | 26.83 | 4.44 | 4.53 | 5.72 | 4.45 | 4.43 | | | | | |
| Total Nitrogen (lbs) Effluent Net Total Monthly | 35.60 | 83.85 | 13.42 | 8.67 | 25.46 | 13.74 | 16.92 | | | | | |
| Total Nitrogen (lbs) Total Monthly | 35.60 | 83.85 | 13.42 | 8.67 | 25.46 | 13.74 | 16.92 | | | | | |
| Total Nitrogen (lbs) Effluent Net Total Annual | | | | 727 | | | | | | | | |
| Total Nitrogen (lbs) Total Annual | | | | 727 | | | | | | | | |
| Ammonia (lbs/day) Average Monthly | | | 0.05 | 0.03 | 0.09 | 0.05 | 0.06 | | | | | |
| Ammonia (mg/L) Average Monthly | | | 0.50 | 0.50 | 0.66 | 0.50 | 0.50 | | | | | |
| Ammonia (lbs) Total Monthly | 1.62 | 1.57 | 1.52 | 0.95 | 2.91 | 1.54 | 1.91 | | | | | |
| Ammonia (lbs) Total Annual | | | | 533 | | | | | | | | |
| TKN (mg/L) Average Monthly | 2.13 | 2.33 | 2.38 | 1.47 | 1.54 | 1.53 | 2.15 | | | | | |
| TKN (lbs) Total Monthly | 6.89 | 7.31 | 7.21 | 2.81 | 6.79 | 4.67 | 8.21 | | | | | |
| Total Phosphorus (lbs) Effluent Net Total Monthly | 5.67 | 3.72 | 6.25 | 5.76 | 7.09 | 2.90 | 0.79 | | | | | |
| Total Phosphorus (lbs) Total Monthly | 5.67 | 3.72 | 6.25 | 5.76 | 7.09 | 2.90 | 0.79 | | | | | |
| Total Phosphorus (lbs) Effluent Net Total Annual | | | | 69 | | | | | | | | |
| Total Phosphorus (lbs) Total Annual | | | | 69 | | | | | | | | |

Development of Effluent Limitations

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| Outfall No. <u>001</u> | Design Flow (MGD) <u>0.028</u> |
| Latitude <u>40° 2' 56.00"</u> | Longitude <u>-78° 1' 55.00"</u> |
| Wastewater Description: <u>Sewage Effluent</u> | |

Technology-Based Limitations

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

| Pollutant | Limit (mg/l) | SBC | Federal Regulation | State Regulation |
|------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------------|------------------|
| CBOD 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) |

Water Quality-Based Limitations

The ACT 537 amendment approved the discharge location and determined that the Social or Economic Justification (SEJ) limits would apply for this discharge. Therefore, the effluent limits are the more restrictive of Antidegradation Best Available Combination of Technologies (ABACT) or Water Quality-Based Effluent Limits (WQBEL) for each parameter of concern. The parameters of concern for discharge and a comparison of ABACT vs WQBELs are outlined in the following Table:

| | CBOD ₅ | TSS | NH ₃ -N | Phosphorus | TRC | Fecal Coliform |
|--------------|-------------------|---------|--------------------|------------|----------|----------------|
| ABACT | 10 mg/L | 10 mg/L | 1.5 mg/L | 1.0 mg/L | 0.0 mg/L | 200/100 ml |
| WQBEL | 25 mg/L | 30 mg/L | 1.44 mg/L | | | |

Carbonaceous Biochemical Oxygen Demand (CBOD₅):

The model was utilized for this permit application. The attached computer printout of the WQM 7.0 stream model indicates that a monthly average limit of 25 mg/L, or secondary treatment, is adequate to protect the water quality of the stream. However, as per the previous protection report, the existing limits of 10 mg/L monthly average (AML), 15 mg/L weekly average (AWL), and 20 mg/L instantaneous maximum (IMAX) will remain in the permit as per guidance document 391-2000-014. Mass limits are calculated as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Mass based AML (lb/day)} &= 10 \text{ (mg/L)} \times 0.028 \text{ (MG/day)} \times 8.34 \text{ (lb/MG)(L/mg)} = 2.34 \text{ lb/day} \\ \text{Mass based AWL (lb/day)} &= 15 \text{ (mg/L)} \times 0.028 \text{ (MG/day)} \times 8.34 \text{ (lb/MG)(L/mg)} = 3.50 \text{ lb/day} \end{aligned}$$

Total Suspended Solids (TSS):

The existing limits of 10 mg/L monthly average (AML), 15 mg/L average weekly (AWL), and 20 mg/L IMAX will remain in the permit as per guidance document 391-2000-014. Past DMRs and inspection reports show that the facility has been consistently achieving this limit. Mass limits are calculated as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Mass based AML (lb/day)} &= 10 \text{ (mg/L)} \times 0.028 \text{ (MG/day)} \times 8.34 \text{ (lb/MG)(L/mg)} = 2.34 \text{ lb/day} \\ \text{Mass based AWL (lb/day)} &= 15 \text{ (mg/L)} \times 0.028 \text{ (MG/day)} \times 8.34 \text{ (lb/MG)(L/mg)} = 3.50 \text{ lb/day} \end{aligned}$$

Dissolved Oxygen (D.O.):

A minimum D.O. of 5.0 mg/L is required per 25 Pa. Code § 93.7. This is consistent with the previous permit and current Department criteria.

Hustontown STP**Ammonia (NH₃-N):**

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 | = | 25°C | (Default) |
| • Background NH ₃ -N | = | 0 | (Default) |

NH₃-N calculations are based on the Department's Implementation Guidance of Section 93.7 Ammonia Criteria, dated 11/4/97 (ID No. 391-2000-013).

The attached printout of the WQM 7.0 data indicates that at a discharge of 0.028 MGD, limits of 1.46 mg/L NH₃-N as a monthly average and 2.92 mg/L NH₃-N IMAX are necessary to protect the aquatic life from toxicity effects. The slightly more stringent in previous permit of 1.4 mg/L monthly average and 2.8 mg/L IMAX will remain in the proposed permit.

Also, the NH₃-N winter effluent limit will be 4.2 mg/L for average monthly and 8.4 mg/L for IMAX based on a typical multiplier of 3.0 used by DEP to calculate. Past DMR data showed that the discharge consistently contains NH₃-N levels less than 0.1 mg/L. Therefore, the facility has consistently been achieving concentrations well below these limits.

pH:

The effluent discharge pH should remain above 6 and below 9 standard units according to 25 Pa Code § 95.2(2).

Fecal Coliforms:

Because the stream is classified as High Quality a year-round fecal coliform limit of 200/100ml will remain in the proposed permit.

Total Residual Chlorine:

The attached computer printout (Attachment C) utilizes the equations and calculations as presented in the Department's 2003 Implementation Guidance for Residual Chlorine (TRC) (ID # 391-2000-015) for developing chlorine limitations. The attached printout indicates that an average monthly water quality limit of 0.015 mg/L and 0.051 mg/L IMAX would be needed to prevent toxicity concerns. The existing permit limit of less than 0.02 mg/L AML and less than 0.06 mg/L IMAX will remain in the proposed permit. The treatment facility is meeting this limit.

Total Nitrogen (TN) & Total Phosphorous (TP):

This discharge is in the Chesapeake Bay Watershed. This facility is considered a Phase 5 non-significant discharger with a design flow less than 0.2 MGD but greater than 0.002 MGD. According to DEP's latest-revised Phase 2 Supplement, issuance of permits with monitoring and reporting for TN and TP is recommended for any Phase 5 non-significant sewage facilities (i.e., facilities with average annual design flows on August 29, 2005 less than 0.2 MGD but greater than 0.002 MGD). Furthermore, DEP's SOP No. BPNPSM-PMT-033 states that in general, at a minimum, monitoring for TN and TP should be included in new and reissued permits for sewage discharges with design flows > 2,000 gpd.

TN 682 lbs/year and TP 85 lbs/year monitoring is already included in the existing permit and will remain in the proposed permit.

Toxics:

There are no toxic parameters of concern associated with this discharge.

Class A Wild Trout Fisheries

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

303d Listed Streams

The discharge from this facility is not to a 303d listed stream segment.

Antidegradation

The effluent limits for this discharge have been developed to ensure that the existing instream water uses and the level of water quality necessary to protect the existing uses are maintained and protected. The basin is classified as a HQ-CWF. This discharge is approvable based on the Water Quality Antidegradation Implementation Guidance Manual as the best available alternative. No Exceptional Value Waters are impacted by this discharge.

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

WQM 7.0 MODEL INPUTS

Node 1: Point of First Use on Trib 13000 to Lamberson Branch

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|-------------------|---|
| Elevation: | 1075.27 ft (USGS National Map Viewer) |
| Drainage Area: | 0.07 mi. ² (USGS PA StreamStats) |
| River Mile Index: | 0.15 mile (PA DEP eMapPA) |
| Low Flow Yield: | 0.029 cfs/mi. ² |
| Discharge Flow: | 0.028 MGD (NPDES PA0248029 Application) |

Node 2: Just before confluence from Lamberson Branch

| | |
|-------------------|---|
| Elevation: | 1005.85 ft (USGS National Map Viewer) |
| Drainage Area: | 0.12 mi. ² (USGS PA StreamStats) |
| River Mile Index: | 0.01 mile (PA DEP eMapPA) |
| Low Flow Yield: | 0.029 cfs/mi. ² |
| Discharge Flow: | 0.00 MGD |

WQM 7.0 data is attached.



Hustontown WQM
7.0 data.pdf

TRC results:

| TRC EVALUATION | | | | |
|---|---|-------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------|
| Input appropriate values in A3:A9 and D3:D9 | | | | |
| 0.002 | = Q stream (cfs) | 0.5 | = CV Daily | |
| 0.028 | = 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 |
| TRC | 1.3.2.iii | WLA_afc = 0.034 | | 1.3.2.iii |
| PENTOXSD TRG | 5.1a | LTAMULT_afc = 0.373 | | 5.1c |
| PENTOXSD TRG | 5.1b | LTA_afc = 0.013 | | 5.1d |
| | | | | WLA_cfc = 0.025 |
| | | | | LTAMULT_cfc = 0.581 |
| | | | | LTA_cfc = 0.015 |
| Source | Effluent Limit Calculations | | | |
| PENTOXSD TRG | 5.1f | AML_MULT = 1.231 | | |
| PENTOXSD TRG | 5.1g | AVG MON LIMIT (mg/l) = 0.015 | | AFC |
| | | INST MAX LIMIT (mg/l) = 0.051 | | |
| WLA_afc | $(.019/e^{-k \cdot AFC_tc}) + [(AFC_Yc \cdot Qs \cdot .019 / Qd \cdot e^{-k \cdot AFC_tc}) \dots + Xd + (AFC_Yc \cdot Qs \cdot Xs / Qd)] \cdot (1 - FOS / 100)$ | | | |
| LTAMULT_afc | $EXP((0.5 \cdot LN(cvh^2 + 1)) - 2.326 \cdot LN(cvh^2 + 1)^{0.5})$ | | | |
| LTA_afc | wla_afc * LTAMULT_afc | | | |
| WLA_cfc | $(.011/e^{-k \cdot CFC_tc}) + [(CFC_Yc \cdot Qs \cdot .011 / Qd \cdot e^{-k \cdot CFC_tc}) \dots + Xd + (CFC_Yc \cdot Qs \cdot Xs / Qd)] \cdot (1 - FOS / 100)$ | | | |
| LTAMULT_cfc | $EXP((0.5 \cdot LN(cvd^2 / no_samples + 1)) - 2.326 \cdot LN(cvd^2 / no_samples + 1)^{0.5})$ | | | |
| LTA_cfc | wla_cfc * LTAMULT_cfc | | | |
| AML_MULT | $EXP(2.326 \cdot LN((cvd^2 / no_samples + 1)^{0.5}) - 0.5 \cdot LN(cvd^2 / no_samples + 1))$ | | | |
| AVG MON LIMIT | MIN(BAT_BPJ, MIN(LTA_afc, LTA_cfc) * AML_MULT) | | | |
| INST MAX LIMIT | 1.5 * ((av_mon_limit / AML_MULT) / LTAMULT_afc) | | | |

Existing Effluent Limitations and Monitoring Requirements

| Parameter | Effluent Limitations | | | | | | Monitoring Requirements | |
|---|-------------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|-------------------|---------------------|--|----------------------------|
| | Mass Units (lbs/day) ⁽¹⁾ | | Concentrations (mg/L) | | | | Minimum ⁽²⁾ Measurement Frequency | Required Sample Type |
| | Average Monthly | Daily Maximum | Minimum | Average Monthly | Weekly Average | Instant. Maximum | | |
| Flow (MGD) | Report | Report | XXX | XXX | XXX | XXX | Continuous | Measured |
| pH (S.U.) | XXX | XXX | 6.0 | XXX | XXX | 9.0 | 1/day | Grab |
| Dissolved Oxygen | XXX | XXX | 5.0 | XXX | XXX | XXX | 1/day | Grab |
| Total Residual Chlorine | XXX | XXX | XXX | <0.02 | XXX | <0.06 | 1/day | Grab |
| CBOD ₅ | 2.3 | 3.5 Wkly Avg | XXX | 10 | 15 | 20 | 2/month | 8-Hr Composite |
| BOD ₅ Raw Sewage Influent | Report | Report | XXX | Report | XXX | XXX | 2/month | 8-Hr Composite |
| Total Suspended Solids Raw Sewage Influent | Report | Report | XXX | Report | XXX | XXX | 2/month | 8-Hr Composite |
| Total Suspended Solids | 2.3 | 3.5 Wkly Avg | XXX | 10 | 15 | 20 | 2/month | 8-Hr Composite |
| Fecal Coliform (CFU/100 ml) | XXX | XXX | XXX | 200 Geo Mean | XXX | 1,000 | 2/month | Grab |
| Ammonia-Nitrogen May 1 - Oct 31 | 0.3 | XXX | XXX | 1.4 | XXX | 2.8 | 2/month | 8-Hr Composite |
| Ammonia-Nitrogen Nov 1 - April 30 | 0.9 | XXX | XXX | 4.2 | XXX | 8.4 | 2/month | 8-Hr Composite |

Existing Effluent Limitations and Monitoring Requirements

The limitations and monitoring requirements specified below are proposed for the draft permit, to comply with Pennsylvania's Chesapeake Bay Tributary Strategy.

| Parameter | Effluent Limitations | | | | | | Monitoring Requirements | |
|----------------------|-------------------------------------|--------|-----------------------|--------------------|---------|---------------------|--|----------------------------|
| | Mass Units (lbs/day) ⁽¹⁾ | | Concentrations (mg/L) | | | | Minimum ⁽²⁾ Measurement Frequency | Required Sample Type |
| | Monthly | Annual | Minimum | Monthly Average | Maximum | Instant. Maximum | | |
| Ammonia--N | Report | Report | XXX | Report | XXX | XXX | 2/month | 8-Hr Composite |
| Kjeldahl--N | Report | XXX | XXX | Report | XXX | XXX | 2/month | 8-Hr Composite |
| Nitrate-Nitrite as N | Report | XXX | XXX | Report | XXX | XXX | 2/month | 8-Hr Composite |
| Total Nitrogen | Report | Report | XXX | Report | XXX | XXX | 2/month | Calculation |
| Total Phosphorus | Report | Report | XXX | Report | XXX | XXX | 2/month | 8-Hr Composite |
| Net Total Nitrogen | Report | 682 | XXX | XXX | XXX | XXX | 1/month | Calculation |
| Net Total Phosphorus | Report | 85 | XXX | XXX | XXX | XXX | 1/month | Calculation |

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| Proposed Effluent Limitations and Monitoring Requirements |
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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 | Daily Maximum | Minimum | Average Monthly | Weekly Average | Instant. Maximum | | |
| Flow (MGD) | Report | Report | XXX | XXX | XXX | XXX | Continuous | Measured |
| pH (S.U.) | XXX | XXX | 6.0 | XXX | XXX | 9.0 | 1/day | Grab |
| DO | XXX | XXX | 5.0 | XXX | XXX | XXX | 1/day | Grab |
| TRC | XXX | XXX | XXX | < 0.02 | XXX | < 0.06 | 1/day | Grab |
| CBOD ₅ | 2.3 | 3.5 Wkly Avg | XXX | 10 | 15 | 20 | 2/month | 8-Hr Composite |
| TSS | 2.3 | 3.5 Wkly Avg | XXX | 10 | 15 | 20 | 2/month | 8-Hr Composite |
| BOD ₅ Raw Sewage Influent | Report | Report | XXX | Report | XXX | XXX | 2/month | 8-Hr Composite |
| TSS Raw Sewage Influent | Report | Report | XXX | Report | XXX | XXX | 2/month | 8-Hr Composite |
| Fecal Coliform (No./100 ml) | XXX | XXX | XXX | 200 Geo Mean | XXX | 1,000 | 2/month | Grab |
| Ammonia May 1 - Oct 31 | 0.3 | XXX | XXX | 1.4 | XXX | 2.8 | 2/month | 8-Hr Composite |
| Ammonia Nov 1 - Apr 30 | 0.9 | XXX | XXX | 4.2 | XXX | 8.4 | 2/month | 8-Hr Composite |

Compliance Sampling Location:

Other Comments:

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| Proposed Effluent Limitations and Monitoring Requirements |
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The limitations and monitoring requirements specified below are proposed for the draft permit, to comply with Pennsylvania's Chesapeake Bay Tributary Strategy.

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 |
| | Monthly | Annual | Minimum | Monthly Average | Maximum | Instant. Maximum | | |
| Ammonia--N | Report | Report | XXX | Report | XXX | XXX | 2/month | 8-Hr Composite |
| Kjeldahl--N | Report | XXX | XXX | Report | XXX | XXX | 2/month | 8-Hr Composite |
| Nitrate-Nitrite as N | Report | XXX | XXX | Report | XXX | XXX | 2/month | 8-Hr Composite |
| Total Nitrogen | Report | Report | XXX | Report | XXX | XXX | 2/month | Calculation 8-Hr Composite |
| Total Phosphorus | Report | Report | XXX | Report | XXX | XXX | 2/month | 8-Hr Composite |
| Total Nitrogen (lbs) Effluent Net | XXX | 682 Total Annual | XXX | XXX | XXX | XXX | 1/year | Calculation |
| Total Phosphorus (lbs) Effluent Net | XXX | 85 Total Annual | XXX | XXX | XXX | XXX | 1/year | Calculation |

Compliance Sampling Location:

Other Comments:

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