

Application Type Renewal  
Facility Type Stormwater  
Major / Minor Minor

**NPDES PERMIT FACT SHEET  
INDIVIDUAL INDUSTRIAL WASTE (IW)  
AND IW STORMWATER**

Application No. PA0275867  
APS ID 891652  
Authorization ID 1332185

**Applicant and Facility Information**

Applicant Name	<u>Advanced Disposal Services Hinkle Transfer Station, LLC</u>	Facility Name	<u>Hinkle Transfer Station</u>
Applicant Address	<u>1725 Brookside Road</u>	Facility Address	<u>1725 Brookside Road</u>
	<u>Macungie, PA 18062-8842</u>		<u>Macungie, PA 18062-8842</u>
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Client ID	<u>37023</u>	Site ID	<u>238098</u>
SIC Code	<u>4953</u>	Municipality	<u>Lower Macungie Township</u>
SIC Description	<u>Trans. &amp; Utilities - Refuse Systems</u>	County	<u>Lehigh</u>
Date Application Received	<u>October 29, 2020</u>	EPA Waived?	<u>Yes</u>
Date Application Accepted	<u>November 6, 2020</u>	If No, Reason	<u>-</u>
Purpose of Application	<u>Renewal of NPDES permit for discharge of industrial stormwater.</u>		

**Summary of Review**

The applicant is requesting a renewal of their NPDES permit to discharge stormwater associated with industrial activity to Little Lehigh Creek, a HQ-CWF, MF (High Quality-Cold Water Fishes, Migratory Fishes) designated receiving stream in state water plan basin 2-C (Lower Lehigh River). As per the Department's current existing use list, the receiving stream segment does not have an existing use classification that is more protective than its designated use.

The facility is categorized by SIC code 4953 (Transportation & Utilities – Refuse Systems) and falls under Appendices A and C monitoring requirements of the PAG-03 General Permit. Semi-annual monitoring and reporting for pH, Chemical Oxygen Demand (COD), Total Suspended Solids (TSS), Ammonia-Nitrogen, Total Arsenic, Total Cadmium, Total Cyanide, Total Iron, Total Lead, Total Mercury, Total Selenium, and Total Silver are required under this permit.

Benchmark values exist for TSS and COD. A benchmark value is the concentration of a pollutant in stormwater discharges that serves as a threshold for the determination of whether existing site BMPs are effective in controlling stormwater pollution. The benchmark values can be found in Part C. V. F. of the permit. A corrective action plan must be submitted to DEP if the discharge concentration for the parameters exceed the benchmark values for two or more consecutive monitoring periods.

The permit application states that stormwater outfalls and BMPs are inspected as part of the monthly facility inspection.

PPC Plan implementation and completion of an annual inspection and compliance evaluation are required under the permit.

A Water Management System Inspection query indicated on May 21, 2019 a Compliance Evaluation was performed.

The previously issued permit expired on April 30, 2021. The renewal application was received on October 29, 2020.

There are currently no open violations for this client that warrant withholding issuance of the permit.

Approve	Deny	Signatures	Date
X		/s/ Allison Seyfried / Environmental Engineering Specialist	October 7, 2021
X		/s/ Amy M. Bellanca, P.E. / Environmental Engineer Manager	10-12-21

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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.

