



Application Type
Facility Type
Major / Minor

Renewal
Storm Water
Minor

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

Application No. **PA0276138**
APS ID **1135205**
Authorization ID **1523287**

Applicant and Facility Information

Applicant Name	Kays Bluestone Saw Shop	Facility Name	Kays Bluestone Saw Shop
Applicant Address	109 Kays Lane New Milford, PA 18834	Facility Address	109 Kays Lane New Milford, PA 18834
Applicant Contact	Jeremy Kays	Facility Contact	Jeremy Kays
Applicant Phone	(570) 267-7771	Facility Phone	(570) 267-7771
Client ID	344508	Site ID	831048
SIC Code	3281	Municipality	New Milford Township
SIC Description	Manufacturing - Cut Stone and Stone Products	County	Susquehanna
Date Application Received	<u>April 9, 2025</u>	EPA Waived?	Yes
Date Application Accepted	<u>May 27, 2025</u>	If No, Reason	
Purpose of Application	Renewal of NPDES stormwater permit		

Summary of Review

The applicant is requesting a renewal NPDES permit to discharge industrial stormwater associated with industrial activity to Salt Lick Creek and an Unnamed Tributary to Salt Lick Creek, both of which are a HQ-CWF, MF (High Quality-Cold Water Fishes, Migratory Fishes) designated receiving stream in state water plan basin 4-E (Great Bend Susquehanna River). As per the Department's current existing use list, the receiving stream does not have an existing use classification that is more protective than its designated use.

The renewal application was due on November 30, 2023 and, this application was not received in timely manner. Permittee was not granted an administrative extension to send a late application.

The facility is categorized by SIC code 3281 (Manufacturing – Cut Stone and Stone Products) and falls under Appendix N semiannual monitoring requirements of the new PAG-03 General Permit. New appendix N of PAG03 general permit includes Total Phosphorus, Total Nitrogen, Total Suspended Solids (TSS), pH, Total Aluminum and Total Iron. Benchmarks exist for TSS and pH.

Benchmark values are not effluent limitations, and exceedances do not constitute permit violations. However, if the permittee's sampling demonstrates exceedances of benchmark values for two or more consecutive monitoring periods, the permittee shall take action in accordance with Part C. III. F. of the permit.

A routine inspection (RTPT) was performed by the department staff on July 19, 2023 and no violations were reported.

Permittee is reminded that Implementation of a PPC plan and completion of an annual inspection/compliance evaluation are required under this permit.

WMS query by client report returned no violations for this client.

Approve	Deny	Signatures	Date
X		Hakim Yesli (signed) Hakim Yesli / Environmental Engineering Specialist	January 8, 2026
X		 Edward Dudick, P.E. / Environmental Engineer Manager	January 12, 2026

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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.

