

Application Type New  
Facility Type Stormwater  
Major / Minor Minor

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

Application No. PA0276316  
APS ID 1010982  
Authorization ID 1304911

**Applicant and Facility Information**

Applicant Name	<u>JFR Salvage, LLC</u>	Facility Name	<u>JFR Salvage, LLC – East Stroudsburg Facility</u>
Applicant Address	<u>6500 Sullivan Trail</u> <u>Wind Gap, PA 18091</u>	Facility Address	<u>1318 Crowe Road</u> <u>East Stroudsburg, PA 18301</u>
Applicant Contact	<u>Joseph F. Raimo, President</u>	Facility Contact	<u>Joseph F. Raimo, President</u>
Applicant Phone	<u>(610) 863-6071</u>	Facility Phone	<u>(484) 553-7008</u>
Client ID	<u>355087</u>	Site ID	<u>841540</u>
SIC Code	<u>5093</u>	Municipality	<u>Stroud Township</u>
SIC Description	<u>Wholesale Trade - Scrap and Waste Materials</u>	County	<u>Monroe</u>
Date Application Received	<u>February 3, 2020</u>	EPA Waived?	<u>Yes</u>
Date Application Accepted	<u>February 26, 2020</u>	If No, Reason	<u>-</u>
Purpose of Application	<u>New NPDES permit to discharge industrial stormwater.</u>		

**Summary of Review**

The applicant is requesting a new NPDES permit to discharge stormwater associated with industrial activity to Brodhead Creek, a HQ-CWF, MF (High Quality-Cold Water Fishes, Migratory Fishes) designated receiving stream in state water plan basin 1-E (Brodhead Creek). 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. Please note that Brodhead Creek does have an existing use classification from S.R. 2022 (approximately RMI 6.6) to mouth.

Worldwide Asset Sales & Surplus (Worldwide) leases two parcels to JFR Salvage, LLC (JFR). The facility is a scrap processing and recycling center. The scrap metal is brought into the facility, weighed at the scale, segregated by type, and then transported offsite to an approved facility.

The site began operating between 2014 and 2016. An Anti-Degradation module and PPC Plan was submitted with the application. The following items were noted in their PPC plan as needing to be addressed to fully implement the plan: provide spill containment pallets for drum storage, provide secondary containment for the off-road diesel tank, provide secondary containment for the waste oil tote, provide additional spill kits, design and construct structural best management practice(s) for runoff. The PPC Plan is dated January 2020. These items may have been addressed by the time this draft permit is issued. Non-discharge alternatives are economically infeasible.

The majority of the site stormwater discharges to a ditch along the southern corner of the property (Outfall 001) and then into a road ditch along Crowe Road, which ultimately discharges into Brodhead Creek.

The facility is categorized by SIC code 5093 (Wholesale Trade – Scrap and Waste Materials) and falls under Appendix P monitoring requirements of the PAG-03 General Permit.

Approve	Deny	Signatures	Date
X		/s/ Allison Seyfried / Environmental Engineering Specialist	February 28, 2020
X		/s/ Amy M. Bellanca, P.E. / Environmental Engineer Manager	February 28, 2020

### Summary of Review

Appendix P of the latest PAG-03 General Permit includes benchmark values for Total Suspended Solids (TSS), Oil & Grease, and Chemical Oxygen Demand (COD). All industries classified under Appendix P should be within the following values: 100 mg/L for TSS, 30 mg/L for Oil & Grease, and 120 mg/L for COD. These values are included as IMAX limitations and should be sampled semi-annually. Semi-annual monitoring and reporting of pH are also required under this permit.

Stroud Township provided a comment letter dated January 16, 2020 in response to the General Information Form (GIF) and Act 14 Notification Letter dated January 8, 2020. Stroud Township provided five comments. The first three comments were addressed in an updated GIF provided by the applicant with a revised Act 14 Notification Letter dated January 21, 2020.

The fourth comment states, "Conditional Use approval for the Recycling Processing Center Use was granted by the Township in 2012. A Zoning Permit was also issued for the use in 2012, however there are subsequent zoning violations at the property for which a Notice of Violation was issued by the Township that are still unresolved." The Department acknowledges this comment.

The final comment requested that Stroud Township had the opportunity to review the permit application once it was submitted to the Department. The request was forwarded to Records Management Staff on February 13, 2020. An appointment to review this application can be scheduled by calling the File Review Coordinator at 570-826-5472.

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

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

#### 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.

