



Application Type Renewal  
Wastewater Type Sewage  
Facility Type SRSTP

**NPDES PERMIT FACT SHEET  
INDIVIDUAL SFTF/SRSTP**

Application No. **PA0287849**  
APS ID **1132863**  
Authorization ID **1519185**

**Applicant, Facility and Project Information**

Applicant Name	<b>Thomas Rabbitt</b>	Facility Name	<b>Thomas Rabbitt SRSTP</b>
Applicant Address	299 Rabbitt Road	Facility Address	299 Rabbitt Road
	Chicora, PA 16025		Chicora, PA 16025
Applicant Contact	Thomas Rabbitt	Facility Contact	
Applicant Phone	(724) 355-7320	Facility Phone	
Client ID	353210	Site ID	838052
SIC Code	8800	Municipality	Donegal Township
SIC Description	Private Households	County	Butler
Date Application Received	March 10, 2025	WQM Required	Previously issued - 1019407
Date Application Accepted		WQM App. No.	
Project Description	Renewal of a Single Resident Sewage Treatment Plant (SRSTP)		

**Summary of Review**

The permittee is applying for reissuance of Individual Permit No. PA0287849 that would expire on March 31, 2025. The existing discharge serves a single home and discharges into Buffalo Creek (HQ-CWF).

The existing facility consists of (WQM Permit No. 1019407): A Premier Tech EC7-600-P-P/G Pack Coco Filter Unit consisting of a septic tank, coco filter, and an Ultraviolet (UV) disinfection unit.

Act 14 notifications were submitted and received.

Yearly AMRs have been submitted and reviewed. The TSS and BOD5 concentrations exceed the permit limits and should be reevaluated during the next permit cycle.

There are no open violations in WMS for the subject Client ID (353210) as of March 19, 2025.

**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		Carlee Wilson Carlee Wilson / Environmental Engineering Trainee	March 19, 2025
X		Adam Olesnanik Adam Olesnanik, P.E. / Environmental Engineer Manager	April 14, 2025

Discharge and Stream Data – 2 - Receiving Waters and PWS

Discharge, Receiving Waters and Water Supply Information			
Outfall No.	001	Design Flow (MGD)	.0005
Latitude	40° 54' 15.51"	Longitude	-79° 43' 14.83"
Quad Name	-	Quad Code	-
Wastewater Description:	Sewage Effluent		
Receiving Waters	Buffalo Creek (HQ-CWF)	Stream Code	42557
NHD Com ID	123971024	RMI	0.4500
Drainage Area	14.1	Yield (cfs/mi <sup>2</sup> )	-
Q <sub>7-10</sub> Flow (cfs)	0.225	Q <sub>7-10</sub> Basis	USGS- StreamStats
Elevation (ft)	-	Slope (ft/ft)	-
Watershed No.	18-F	Chapter 93 Class.	HQ-CWF
Existing Use	-	Existing Use Qualifier	-
Exceptions to Use	-	Exceptions to Criteria	-
Assessment Status	Impaired		
Cause(s) of Impairment	NUTRIENTS, NUTRIENTS, SILTATION		
Source(s) of Impairment	MUNICIPAL POINT SOURCE DISCHARGES, URBAN RUNOFF/STORM SEWERS, URBAN RUNOFF/STORM SEWERS		
TMDL Status	-	Name	-
Background/Ambient Data		Data Source	
pH (SU)	-	-	
Temperature (°F)	-	-	
Hardness (mg/L)	-	-	
Other:	-	-	
Nearest Downstream Public Water Supply Intake		-	
PWS Waters	-	Flow at Intake (cfs)	-
PWS RMI	-	Distance from Outfall (mi)	-

Changes Since Last Permit Issuance: N/A

Other Comments:

This SRSTP was designed where applicable in accordance with the SFTF Manual, but it does not qualify for the PAG-04 General due to the High Quality (HQ) stream designation and the use of a Premier Tech EC7-600-P-P/G Pack Coco Filter Unit.

**Proposed Effluent Limitations and Monitoring Requirements**

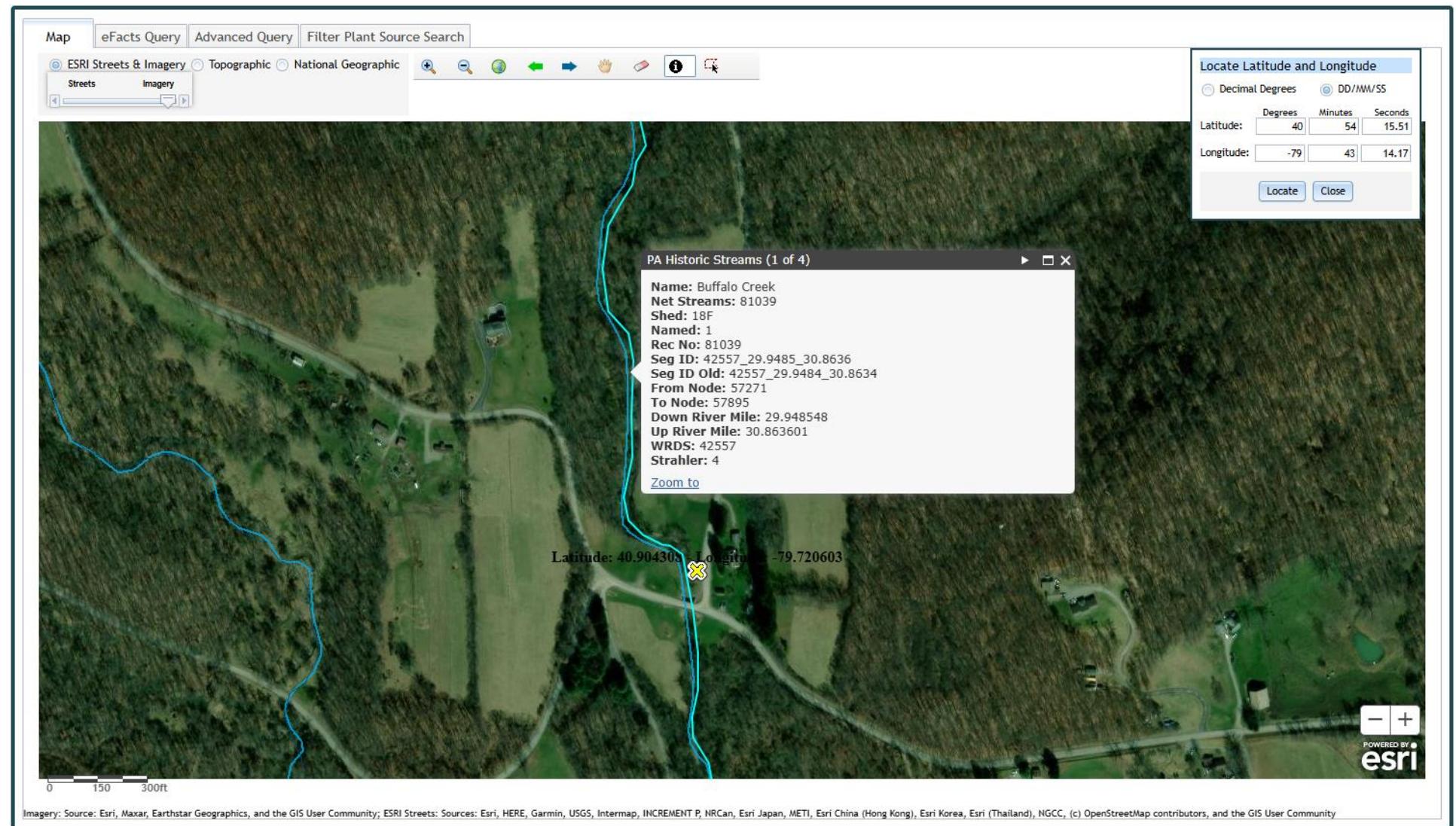
The limitations and monitoring requirements specified below are proposed for the draft permit, and reflect the most stringent limitations amongst technology, water quality and BPJ. Instantaneous Maximum (IMAX) limits are determined using multipliers of 2 (conventional pollutants) or 2.5 (toxic pollutants). 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) <sup>(1)</sup>		Concentrations (mg/L)				Minimum <sup>(2)</sup> Measurement Frequency	Required Sample Type
	Average Monthly	Average Weekly	Minimum	Annual Average	Maximum	Instant. Maximum		
Flow (GPD)	Report Annl Avg	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	1/year	Estimate
pH (S.U.)	XXX	XXX	6.0 Inst Min	XXX	XXX	9.0	1/month	Grab
BOD5	XXX	XXX	XXX	10.0	XXX	20.0	1/year	Grab
TSS	XXX	XXX	XXX	10.0	XXX	20.0	1/year	Grab
Fecal Coliform (No./100 ml)	XXX	XXX	XXX	200	XXX	XXX	1/year	Grab

Compliance Sampling Location: Outfall 001 – after disinfection

Attachment 1  
eMapPA- Receiving Stream Location and Data



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Attachment 2  
Google Earth – Aerial Site View

