

Application Type

New

Facility Type

MS4

Permit Type

Individual

Application No.

**PAI133529**

APS ID

**952375**

Authorization ID

**1202015**

## NPDES PERMIT FACT SHEET MS4s

### Applicant and Facility Information

Applicant Name	<b>Guilford Township Franklin County</b>	Facility Name	<b>Guilford Township</b>
Applicant Address	115 Spring Valley Road	Facility Address	115 Spring Valley Road
	Chambersburg, PA 17202		Chambersburg, PA 17202
Applicant Contact	Don Clapper	Facility Contact	Don Clapper
Applicant Phone	(717) 264-6626	Facility Phone	(717) 264-6626
Client ID	27732	Site ID	548996
SIC Code	9199	Municipality	Guilford Township
SIC Description	Public Admin. - Genral Government, Nec	County	Franklin
Date Application Received	September 19, 2017		
Date Application Accepted	November 7, 2017		
Purpose of Application	Application for an individual MS4 NPDES permit for discharge of stormwater.		

### Internal Review and Recommendations

Per 40 CFR § 122.33, and PA Title 25 § 92a.3, Guilford Township (the applicant) is required to seek coverage under a NPDES permit issued by the state of Pennsylvania. Due to Special Protection waters, the applicant has submitted a new application for coverage under an individual permit. Per PA Title 25 § 92a.54, the applicant is eligible for permit coverage.

The applicant discharges to the following waters:

Unnamed Tributaries to Conococheague Creek (WWF, CWF, TSF, MF), Falling Spring Branch (HQ-CWF, MF), and Unnamed Tributary to Falling Spring Branch (TSF, MF).

According to the MS4 Requirements Table, the applicant is subject to the following IP appendix requirements:

Appendix D for the Chesapeake Bay impairment

Appendix E for the UNT to Conococheague Creek impairment

To comply with Appendices D and E, the applicant has submitted a combined Chesapeake Bay and Local Impairment Pollutant Reduction Plan (PRP).

There are no unresolved violations associated with the applicant that should affect issuance of coverage.

It is recommended that individual permit coverage is granted in accordance with 40 CFR §123.35.

Approve	Deny	Signatures	Date
X		Jacob S. Rakowsky Jacob S Rakowsky, E.I.T. / Project Manager	5/1/2025
X		Scott M. Arwood Scott M. Arwood, P.E. / Environmental Engineer Manager	5/1/2025

### Internal Review and Recommendations

DEP has reviewed the revised PRP received on 4/16/2025 via PUP 310631. DEP offers the following comments and recommendations based on the review, which will be evaluated by DEP during the permit term:

1. It was noted in the PRP Review Comment Response Letter that the Township does not have as-built plans for existing BMPs used to reduce the baseline load, and therefore does not have installation dates for those BMPs. Please continue to make efforts to obtain this information.
2. It was noted in the PRP that proposed retrofit final BMP types will be chosen following detailed engineering investigations. When the final BMP types are chosen, please make note of the final BMP types in Annual Reports and revise the PRP and calculations, if necessary.
3. Please ensure that any proposed BMPs located outside of the PRP planning area conform to the requirements discussed in DEP's MS4 FAQ, FAQ #69.

### 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.