

Application Type Renewal
Facility Type MS4
Permit Type Individual

NPDES PERMIT FACT SHEET
MS4s

Application No. PAI136105
APS ID 1102385
Authorization ID 1464511

Applicant and Facility Information

Applicant Name	<u>North Huntingdon Township</u>	Facility Name	<u>North Huntingdon Township MS4</u>
Applicant Address	<u>11279 Center Highway</u> <u>North Huntingdon, PA 15642-5312</u>	Facility Address	<u>11279 Center Highway</u> <u>North Huntingdon, PA 15642</u>
Applicant Contact	<u>Harry Faulk</u>	Facility Contact	<u>Harry Faulk</u>
Applicant Phone	<u>(724) 863-3806</u>	Facility Phone	<u>(724) 863-3806</u>
Client ID	<u>60251</u>	Site ID	<u>442854</u>
SIC Code	<u>9900</u>	Municipality	<u>North Huntingdon Township</u>
SIC Description	<u>Non-Classifiable Establishments</u>	County	<u>Westmoreland</u>
Date Application Received	<u>November 30, 2023</u>		
Date Application Accepted	<u></u>		
Purpose of Application	<u>Application for a renewal of an NPDES permit for discharge of stormwater</u>		



Internal Review and Recommendations

The Department received an Individual MS4 NPDES Permit renewal application from North Huntingdon Township for coverage of its MS4 on November 30, 2023.

The township is authorized to discharge from a regulated small MS4 to Youghiogheny River, Crawford Run, Tinkers Run, Coal Run, Brush Creek, Unnamed Tributary to Long Run and Long Run. These receiving streams are designated in the 25 PA Code Chapter 93 as Warm Water Fisheries (WWF), Trout Stocking Fisheries (TSF) and High-Quality Trout Stocking Fisheries (HQ-TSF). The township is subject to an individual MS4 permit because the MS4 discharges to high-quality streams.

During the last permit cycle North Huntingdon Township was subject to Appendices A and E of the MS4 permit due to discharges to impaired waters for abandoned mine drainage and sediment. Being subject to Appendix E required the municipality to submit a Pollution Reduction Plan (PRP) to address the impairments and reduce the municipality's contribution and load to the impaired streams within the Brush Creek, Sawmill Run-Turtle Creek and the Long Run, Pollack Run-Youghiogheny River HUC-12 Watersheds. The PRP was approved by the Department during the last permit cycle. There are no new requirements for permittees with previously approved PRPs. However, the MS4 will need to complete implementation of the approved PRPs and submit a final report during this permit term.

The Annual Report for the July 1, 2022 to June 30, 2023 period stated that the storm sewershed map(s) were completed September 28, 2021. The additional requirements of the Pollutant Control Measures (PCMs) of Appendix A have not yet been completed. The anticipated completion date is listed as April 1, 2024. The Annual Report also noted that during this reporting period, the township underwent a change of consultants for MS4 related materials and activities, and that

Approve	Deny	Signatures	Date
X		 Jamie Ley / Environmental Engineering Specialist	January 17, 2024
X		 Michael E. Fifth, P.E. / Environmental Engineer Manager	January 23, 2024

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information is being collected and developed in order to establish goals for the upcoming reporting period and to address any successes or failures in previous reporting periods.

The township has a Stormwater Management Ordinance adopted on November 18, 2020, consistent with the 2013 or 2022 DEP Model Ordinances and Westmoreland County's Act 167 Plan.

The MS4 was inspected one (1) time during the last permit cycle. A Compliance Evaluation occurred September 4, 2019 and noted no violations.

Draft permit issuance is recommended.

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.