

Application Type Renewal  
Facility Type Stormwater  
Major / Minor Minor

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

Application No. PAS222202  
APS ID 578562  
Authorization ID 1338583

**Applicant and Facility Information**

Applicant Name	<u>Bestway Of Pennsylvania, Inc.</u>	Facility Name	<u>Bestway Lumber Treatment Center</u>
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Client ID	<u>136531</u>	Site ID	<u>525240</u>
SIC Code	<u>2491</u>	Municipality	<u>Barrett Township</u>
SIC Description	<u>Manufacturing - Wood Preserving</u>	County	<u>Monroe</u>
Date Application Received	<u>January 8, 2021</u>	EPA Waived?	<u>Yes</u>
Date Application Accepted	<u>January 19, 2021</u>	If No, Reason	<u>-</u>
Purpose of Application	<u>Renewal of NPDES permit for discharge of industrial stormwater.</u>		

**Summary of Review**

The applicant is requesting a renewal of their NPDES permit to discharge stormwater associated with industrial activity to Cranberry 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.

The Bestway Lumber Treatment Center (Bestway) is a wholesale lumber treatment and distribution facility that uses water-based preservatives to produce treated lumber. The facility utilizes copper-based wood treatment chemicals, mold inhibitor, dye tracers, and other chemicals. Oil and petroleum-based products such as automotive fluids, lubricants, gear/hydraulic oils, and diesel fuels are also stored on site for vehicle repair and site fueling.

The application reports three stormwater outfalls (Outfall 001, 002, and 003). Outfall 001 receives stormwater runoff from the active lumber storage yard, a parking area, and the production facility and discharges to catch basin one. Outfall 002 receives stormwater runoff from the southern lumber yard (seasonally used) and a parking area. It discharges to catch basin two. Outfall 003 is located between the northern and southern lumber yards. It was proposed to receive runoff from an expanded lumber yard, which has yet to be constructed, and to discharge to a third catch basin, but the catch basin was also never constructed. Outfall 003 has never had a discharge.

The facility is categorized by SIC code 2491 (Manufacturing – Wood Preserving) and falls under Appendix D monitoring requirements of the PAG-03 General Permit. All industries classified under Appendix D should be within 100 mg/L for Total Suspended Solids (TSS) and 120 mg/L for Chemical Oxygen Demand (COD). These values are included as IMAX limitations and should be sampled semi-annually. Semi-annual monitoring and reporting for Pentachlorophenol, Total Arsenic, Total Chromium, Total Copper, and Oil & Grease are also required under this permit.

Approve	Deny	Signatures	Date
X		/s/ Allison Seyfried / Environmental Engineering Specialist	July 28, 2021
X		/s/ Amy M. Bellanca, P.E. / Environmental Engineer Manager	7-29-21

**Summary of Review**

The previous permit only required sampling of all the parameters listed above at Outfall 001. However, since Outfall 002 receives runoff from a lumber storage yard too, sampling for the above parameters will also be required. Monitoring and reporting for TSS, pH, and Oil & Grease will remain for Outfall 003 in case the area is developed during this permit cycle or if a discharge happens to occur.

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

The previously issued permit expired on June 30, 2021. The renewal application was received on January 8, 2021. The application was missing sample results for BOD5 and Total Nitrogen for both Outfall 001 and 002. An addendum was included with the application that explained that issues were encountered with the analytical laboratory and the collected samples were not analyzed for BOD5 and Total Nitrogen. Sample results for the missing parameters were sent to the Department via email on July 22, 2021. The permittee also stated that the sample results were provided with the most recent eDMR filing.

A Water Management System Inspection query indicated on April 13, 2020 a Compliance Evaluation was performed.

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.

