



**COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA  
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION  
BUREAU OF WATERSHED MANAGEMENT  
WATER OBSTRUCTION AND ENCROACHMENT**

**PROJECT SCREENING FORM**

The following questionnaire must be completed to determine eligibility for Federal authorization under the Pennsylvania State Programmatic General Permit 3 (PASPGP-3) process. The term "Project", for the purpose of this form, is defined as the total project proposed or accomplished by one owner/developer, partnership or association of owners/developers. All of the individual components of the project should be considered collectively as one project when completing this form. For linear projects, all impacts to waters and wetlands should be added together and collectively viewed as impacts associated with the "Project". The term "Subdivision", for the purpose of this form, is defined as the division or re-division of a lot, tract or parcel of land into two or more lots, tracts, parcels or other divisions of land including changes in existing lot lines.

Applicant/Project Name:

**YES**    **NO**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 1. Does this project involve the temporary and/or permanent discharge of dredged and/or fill material, or the excavation of greater than one acre of waters and/or wetlands? Included in this calculation are the areas directly and indirectly affected by the work, including the area of waters and/or wetlands filled, drained and/or flooded as a result of the project.  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 2. Does your project involve impacts to greater than 250 linear feet of stream channel? The linear footage of stream impact shall be measured along the centerline of the watercourse when both streambanks of the watercourse are involved or along a single streambank when one streambank is involved, or measured across the watercourse, from top of bank to top of bank, when the project extends transversely across the watercourse. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 3. If you are applying for a DEP General Permit, does your project, including the acreage of any previously authorized activities, involve the permanent loss of 0.25 acres or more of wetlands? (If not applying for a General Permit, check NO).   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 4. Has any work associated with your project been previously authorized by the United States Army Corps of Engineers (Corps) or DEP?   |

If you check YES, please check the appropriate box(es) and include the authorization or permit number(s) and the date of issuance(s) with your application/registration form(s).

- Corps Nationwide Permit \_\_\_\_\_
- Corps Individual Permit \_\_\_\_\_
- Corps Pennsylvania State Programmatic General Permit \_\_\_\_\_
- DEP General Permit \_\_\_\_\_
- DEP Small Projects Permit \_\_\_\_\_
- DEP Individual Permit \_\_\_\_\_
- DEP Dam Permit \_\_\_\_\_
- DEP Waiver of Permit Requirements \_\_\_\_\_

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5. Does your project involve the construction or expansion of a residential, commercial or institutional subdivision or development? If you check YES, answer question 6.   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 6. Does greater than 0.25 acres of wetlands, not including those being directly impacted as part of this application, exist within the property boundary? If you check YES, provide acreage (_____ acres of wetlands) and answer question 7.  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 7. Are you proposing to protect the wetland area(s) from secondary or indirect impacts, including but not limited to filling, draining, mowing, cutting or clearing through a deed restriction or conservation easement that follows the Model Conservation Instruments developed for the PASPGP-3. This model Conservation Instrument should be duly recorded and run in perpetuity with the land. If you check YES, attach a copy of the proposed deed restriction or conservation easement to this form and submit with your application/registration form. Model Deed Restriction and Conservation Easement templates are available at <a href="http://www.nab.usace.army.mil/Deed_Restriction/">www.nab.usace.army.mil/Deed_Restriction/</a> . |