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## EROSION AND SEDIMENT POLLUTION CONTROL PROGRAM

### FEE SCHEDULE (February 1, 2018)

#### A. E&S Plan Review Fees:

- The following fees will be charged by the District for earth disturbance E&S plan reviews. Fees will be based on the amount of disturbed acres associated with the project. Applications will not be accepted for review without the appropriate fee.

#### FOR ALL PROJECTS (E&S Plans, NPDES, and ESCGP):

Erosion & Sediment Plan Review Fees		
Disturbed acreage*	Regular	Expedited
0.00 – 1.00 (Base Fee)	\$500	Double Regular Fee
1.00 or greater	\$500 (Base Fee) + \$150/acre	

\*Disturbed acres are defined as the area of the project in which the surface of the land is disturbed by excavations, grading, embankments, land development, residential lot construction, mineral excavation and moving, depositing or storing of rock, soil, or earth, or other earthmoving activity.

*Example 1:* A project disturbing 5.6 acres will pay the \$500 base fee plus \$150 for each additional disturbed acre over 1.0 acre (\$500 base fee + \$150 x 5 acres = \$1,250).

*Example 2:* A project disturbing 6.1 acres will pay the \$500 base fee plus \$150 for each additional disturbed acre over 1.0 acre (\$500 base fee + \$150 x 6 acres = \$1,400).

#### Expedited Review:

- Will place a submitted plan in queue for an employee to work overtime reviewing this plan.
- The fee for an Expedited Review is double the normal required fee.

#### Plan Submission:

- The applicant will submit a check or money order (cash not accepted) for all E&S reviews.
- The Beaver County Conservation District review application will be completed and submitted with the plan. Plans will not be reviewed unless all components are submitted. Incomplete plan packages may be returned, but the District reserves the right to retain the fee.

#### B. NPDES/ESCGP Permit Filing Fee:

- If the project requires an NPDES or ESCGP Permit, three separate checks must be written for the permit fee.

Filing Fee: General Individual ESCGP	\$500 \$1,500 \$500	Made Payable to: "B.C.C.D. Clean Water Fund"
E&S Review	See E&S Plan Review Fees	Made Payable to: "Beaver County Conservation District"
Disturbed Acre Fee	\$100/disturbed acre (round up)	Made Payable to: "Commonwealth of PA Clean Water Fund"

C. Timber Harvest E&S Plans:

- The following fees will be charged by the District for Timber Harvest E&S plan reviews. Fees will be based on the amount of disturbed acres associated with the project.

Total Disturbed Acres	Timber Harvest E&S Review Fee
0.00 - 1.00	\$300
1.00 or more acres	\$300 + \$50/disturbed acre

\*\* Over 25 acres disturbed requires an Erosion and Sediment Control Permit from the DEP with an additional fee of \$1500 + \$100 per acre disturbed payable to Commonwealth of PA Clean Water Fund.

Example 1: a project disturbing 1.7 acres will pay \$300 plus \$50 for each additional disturbed acre over 1.0 acre (\$300 + \$50 = \$350)

D. Agricultural, Single Family Residence, and Waste/Borrow E&S Plans:

- The following Fee will be charged by the District for the review of an Agricultural, Single Family Residence, and Waste/Borrow E&S plan that disturbs under 1 acre of earth.

Disturbed Acreage	E&S Review Fee
0.00 – 0.99	\$100
1.00 or more	Refer to Section A, "Erosion & Sediment Plan Review Fees" Table

E. Amendments:

Minor	\$100/amendment	Made Payable to: "Beaver County Conservation District"
Major	Requires a new permit submission and all fees applicable	

F. Additional Fees:

- One fee is intended to cover the entire review process except for the following:
  - If after the initial review process the plan is considered "not adequate" and revisions are needed:
    - The first revision is included in the initial fee.
    - The second revision must re-submit the plan with revisions and an additional fee of 50% of the original E&S fee.
    - If after the third review the plan is not adequate, revisions must be submitted with an additional 75% of the original fee.
    - If after the fourth review the plan is not adequate, revisions must be submitted with the full E&S review fee.
  - Where the applicant or his agent fails to directly address and attempt to resolve concerns expressed by the District after three reviews of the E&S plan, a complete resubmission of the original fees (with the exception of the NPDES filing fee) will be imposed for all subsequent E&S plan revisions.
  - If a plan is waiting for revisions for 6 months from the time of the District's last "not adequate" letter, the plan will be returned to the applicant and any resubmission will require a new fee.

G. The following types of activities are exempt from the NPDES permit requirement but may still require E&S plan approvals:

- Agricultural plowing and tilling
- Animal heavy use areas
- Timber harvest activities
- Road maintenance activities

## Chapter 105 Program General Permit Fee Schedule

- All Federal, State, and Municipal entities are exempt from Chapter 105 fees

### **General Permits**

General Permits (GPs)	Permit Description	Registration Fees
GP-1	Fish habitat enhancement structures	\$50
GP-2	Small docks and boat launching ramps	\$175
GP-3	Bank rehabilitation, bank protection and gravel bar removal	\$250
GP-4	Intake and outfall structures	\$200
GP-5	Utility line stream crossings	\$250
GP-6	Agricultural crossings and ramps	\$50
GP-7	Minor road crossings	\$350
GP-8	Temporary road crossings	\$175
GP-9	Agricultural activities	\$50
GP-10	Abandoned mine reclamation	\$500

### **General Permit Fees:**

CH 105 General Permit Registration Fee		Made Payable to: "B.C.C.D. 105 Clean Water Fund"
E&S Plan Review in association with a General Permit	\$150	Made Payable to: "Beaver County Conservation District"