



# SUSQUEHANNA RIVER BASIN COMMISSION

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## APPROVAL OF COVERAGE UNDER GENERAL PERMIT GP-04 INTO-BASIN DIVERSION OF WATER

### General Permit Approval of Coverage No. GP-04-xxxxxxxx

Pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 806.17(c)(4) and in consultation with technical staff, the Executive Director of the Susquehanna River Basin Commission (Commission) hereby issues approval of coverage under General Permit GP-04 Into Basin Diversion of Water (General Permit).

The project sponsor is approved according to the table below in accordance with the limitations and monitoring requirements and other conditions set forth herein.

Project Information	
<b>Project Sponsor:</b>	
<b>Facility:</b>	
<b>Approval Type:</b>	GP-04
<b>Authorized Water Use Purpose:</b>	
<b>Municipality:</b>	
<b>County:</b>	
<b>State:</b>	

Source Information	
<b>Approved Source:</b>	
<b>Basin:</b>	
<b>Watershed Boundary Dataset (WBD):</b>	
<b>Withdrawal Location (degrees):</b>	Lat: 00.000000 N Long: 00.000000 W
<b>Source Impairment:</b>	

Diversion Information, Quantities, and Limitations	
<b>Peak Day/30-Day Average Quantity (mgd):</b>	
<b>Receiving Stream Name and Classification:</b>	
<b>Discharge Location (degrees):</b>	Lat: 00.000000 N Long: 00.000000 W
mgd – million gallons per day	

The approval granted by coverage under the General Permit is subject to the following conditions, in addition to those in the General Permit:

1. The project sponsor shall comply with the terms and conditions of the General Permit for the into-basin diversion of water.

2. If a conflict exists between the requirements in the Notice of Intent (NOI) or its supporting documents and the terms and conditions of the General Permit, the terms and conditions of the General Permit shall prevail.

3. The project sponsor's failure to comply with the terms or conditions of the General Permit or operation that is determined to be inconsistent with the NOI is grounds for the Commission to take enforcement action pursuant to 18 C.F.R. Part 808, and/or to revoke coverage under this General Permit, pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 806.17.

4. The project sponsor is required to monitor and report diversions of water. The project sponsor shall keep daily records of the diversions of water and shall report the data to the Commission quarterly, and as otherwise required, in the form and manner as prescribed by Commission staff. Quarterly monitoring reports shall be submitted online and are due within thirty (30) days after the close of the preceding quarter. Any alternative measuring, monitoring, or accounting procedure requested by the project sponsor shall be submitted for review and approval by Commission staff in accordance with 18 C.F.R. § 806.30. Modifications shall not be made until the project sponsor receives written approval of the amended plan. All data collected and submitted as required under this approval shall be maintained by the project sponsor for the duration of the approval and all subsequent renewals.

5. The project sponsor is required to adhere to the metering and monitoring procedures reviewed and approved by Commission staff. For all new projects, the project sponsor shall notify the Commission, in writing, and submit photographs of the meter when it has been installed, provide the serial number of the meter, and certify the accuracy of the measuring device to within five (5) percent of actual flow. Into-basin diversions shall not commence until Commission staff has approved the implementation of the approved metering plan and notified the project sponsor of such approval. Any alternative measuring, monitoring, or accounting procedure shall be submitted for review and approval by Commission staff. Modifications shall not be made until the project sponsor receives written approval from the Commission, pursuant to 18 C.F.R. § 806.30.

6. The project sponsor shall submit copies of any renewals or modifications to the related discharge permit issued by the appropriate agency of the member jurisdiction, in the form and manner as prescribed by Commission staff. Renewed or modified member agency permits shall be submitted online.

7. General Permit General Condition (r) requires that the project sponsor adhere to an invasive species management plan approved by Commission staff.

8. General Permit Special Condition (s) requires that all water diverted into the Susquehanna River Basin under this General Permit for use in unconventional natural gas development projects or hydrostatic testing shall be stored in tanks or lined impoundments, and used downhole only for hydrocarbon development or hydrostatic testing. Water used for hydrostatic testing shall not be discharged and must either be returned to storage, used for downhole uses, or treated at a permitted water disposal or recycling facility. The water shall not be utilized for any purposes incidental to these uses.

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9. This project is approved for inclusion in the Commission's Comprehensive Plan for the Water Resources of the Susquehanna River Basin.

10. The project sponsor may submit a Notice of Termination if coverage under the General Permit is no longer needed.

This Approval for Coverage under GP-04 is issued by the Executive Director pursuant to the authority set forth in 18 C.F.R. § 806.17(c)(4).

**APPROVAL OF COVERAGE TO DIVERT WATER UNDER THIS GENERAL PERMIT IS AUTHORIZED. WHEN THE GENERAL PERMIT IS RENEWED, REISSUED, OR MODIFIED, THE FACILITY OR ACTIVITY COVERED BY THE APPROVAL FOR COVERAGE MUST COMPLY WITH THE FINAL RENEWED, REISSUED, OR MODIFIED GENERAL PERMIT.**

This Approval for Coverage under GP-04 is issued by:

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

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Andrew D. Dehoff, Executive Director