

*Pennridge Water Resources Plan
Status Report
Thursday, November 17, 2005*

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| Project Team: | > Coordination: | Bucks County Planning Commission |
| | > Lead Consultant: | Borton-Lawson Engineering, Paul DeBarry, P.E., Project Manager |
| | > Subconsultants: | Spotts, Stevens, McCoy Boucher & James |
| | | Hazlett-Kincaid John Wilmer, Esq. |

➤ **Grant Implementation Status**

- SOURCE WATER PROTECTION GRANT PROGRAM - Work is progressing along well. Water supplier and consultant meetings were held on last week. Bedminster, Dublin and Hilltown water suppliers did not attend the meeting. Others present were impressed with the work being done. Steering committee meeting to be scheduled for December.
- DCED LUPTAP GRANT - BCPC staff are done editing 2nd draft of the Model Water Resources Management Ordinance. It is being sent to John Wilmer for review.
- WREN GRANT - Still working on putting water resource curriculum together for the school district.
- STORMWATER FACILITY PROJECT (CZM-CNPP, GGG) - Data collection is done and prioritization list is in draft form. Progress report was sent out October 7th.
- NEW COASTAL NON-POINT POLLUTION PROGRAM GRANT APPLICATION - Sent out October 24th. Awards to be announced next summer.
- DELAWARE ESTUARY GRANT PROGRAM - application went out July 1st. Funding to be used for a water quality assessment, inventory and monitoring strategy, riparian buffer improvement strategy, and public education. Awards announced week after Thanksgiving.

➤ **Educational**

- PACC Website - E-mail Joe with any ideas on how to make it better. Please consider putting a link to the website on your web page if you haven't done so already.
- Riegelsville Borough SWPP steering committee - Dennis is attending meeting tonight.
- Water Resources Planning & Management in PA Conference - Cindy attended.
- Delaware Water Resources Regional Committee meeting - Cindy, Len Smith and Todd Kincaid spoke to the attendees about the PWRP and implementation projects.
- Sewage Facilities and Land Use Conference - Dennis and Dave Sebastian attended.
- BUCKS COUNTY HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN - overview of plan given by Joe.

➤ **Next Steps (December - January)**

- Continue Source Water Protection grant work.
- Review of Model Water Resources Management Ordinance by John Wilmer.
- Continue Stormwater Facility Inventory grant work.
- Looking into corporate foundations for stream gauge funding. Continue to send letters to Mont Co. businesses. We received a \$5,000 pledge from TEVA and \$100 from Landis.
- Work with schools on water resource curriculum ideas.

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| Next PACC Meetings: Thursday, January 26, 7:30pm Thursday, February 23, 7:30pm |
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