

Town of Smithsburg, Maryland



Maryland Department of the Environment

National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System

Municipal Small Separate Storm Sewer Systems

MS4 General Permit

Notice of Intent

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Maryland Department of the Environment (MDE)

National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Small Municipal Separate Storm Sewer Systems (MS4) General Permit

This Notice of Intent (NOI) is intended for municipalities applying for coverage under the General Discharge Permit (No. 13-IM-5500) for Small MS4s. Submitting this application constitutes notice that the entity below agrees to comply with all terms and conditions of the general permit. The information required in this NOI must be submitted to:

Maryland Department of the Environment, Water and Science Administration
Sediment, Stormwater, and Dam Safety Program
1800 Washington Boulevard, Baltimore, MD 21230-1708
Phone: 410-537-3543 FAX: 410-537-3553
Web Site: www.mde.maryland.gov

Contact Information

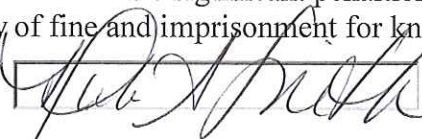
Permittee Name:	Town of Smithsburg
Responsible Personnel:	Debra A. Smith
Mailing Address:	21 W. Water Street P.O. Box 237 Smithsburg, MD 21783
Phone Number(s):	301-824-7234
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Additional Contact(s):	Mike D. Hicks
Mailing Address:	223 N. Prospect St. Suite 304 Hagerstown, MD 21740
Phone Number(s):	301-797-9160
Email address:	mike@ecolandsolutions.com

Signature of Responsible Personnel

I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations.

Debra A. Smith

Printed Name



Signature

October 9, 2018

Date

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Due Date: Oct. 31, 2018

Date of Submission:

Permittee Information

Renewal Permittee: ☒

New Permittee: ☐

Check if sharing responsibilities with another entity: ☒ Yes ☐ No

Required Information

1. A brief description of jurisdiction for which coverage is being sought:

The Town of Smithsburg is located within Washington County, Maryland approximately 7 miles east of the County seat of Hagerstown. With regards to hydrology, the Town of Smithsburg is located within the Antietam Creek Watershed. This watershed covers 181 square miles in Maryland and 103 square miles in Pennsylvania. Antietam Creek is a tributary of the Potomac River, which drains into the Chesapeake Bay. The natural features within and around Smithsburg can be seen on the Smithsburg Sensitive Areas Map. Geographically, Smithsburg is situated in an area of hills and valleys to the west of South Mountain in the Catoctin Mountain Range. Little Antietam Creek borders the Town to the north, while Beaver Creek and its tributaries border the southern and eastern parts of Town.

2. The approximate size of jurisdiction (sq miles):

3000+/-

3. Population:

4. Provide a list of properties owned or operated by the permittee covered under the Maryland General Permit for Stormwater Discharges Associated with Industrial Activity or an individual industrial water discharge permit:

At this time the Town of Smithsburg does not have a General Permit or Industrial Activity. The need for a permit will be evaluated and obtained as necessary.

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- 5. Describe any programs that the applicant will share responsibilities for compliance with another entity. Describe the role of all parties and include a copy of a memorandum of agreement when applicable:**

Washington County will:

Administer and enforce the provisions of the County SWM & Erosion Control Ordinance

- Stormwater Management Plan Review
- Stormwater Management Bonding
- Stormwater Management Inspection & Maintenance Agreements and Easements
- Stormwater Management Construction Inspections
- Stormwater Management Triennial Inspections

Washington County Soil Conservation District will provide per the MOU

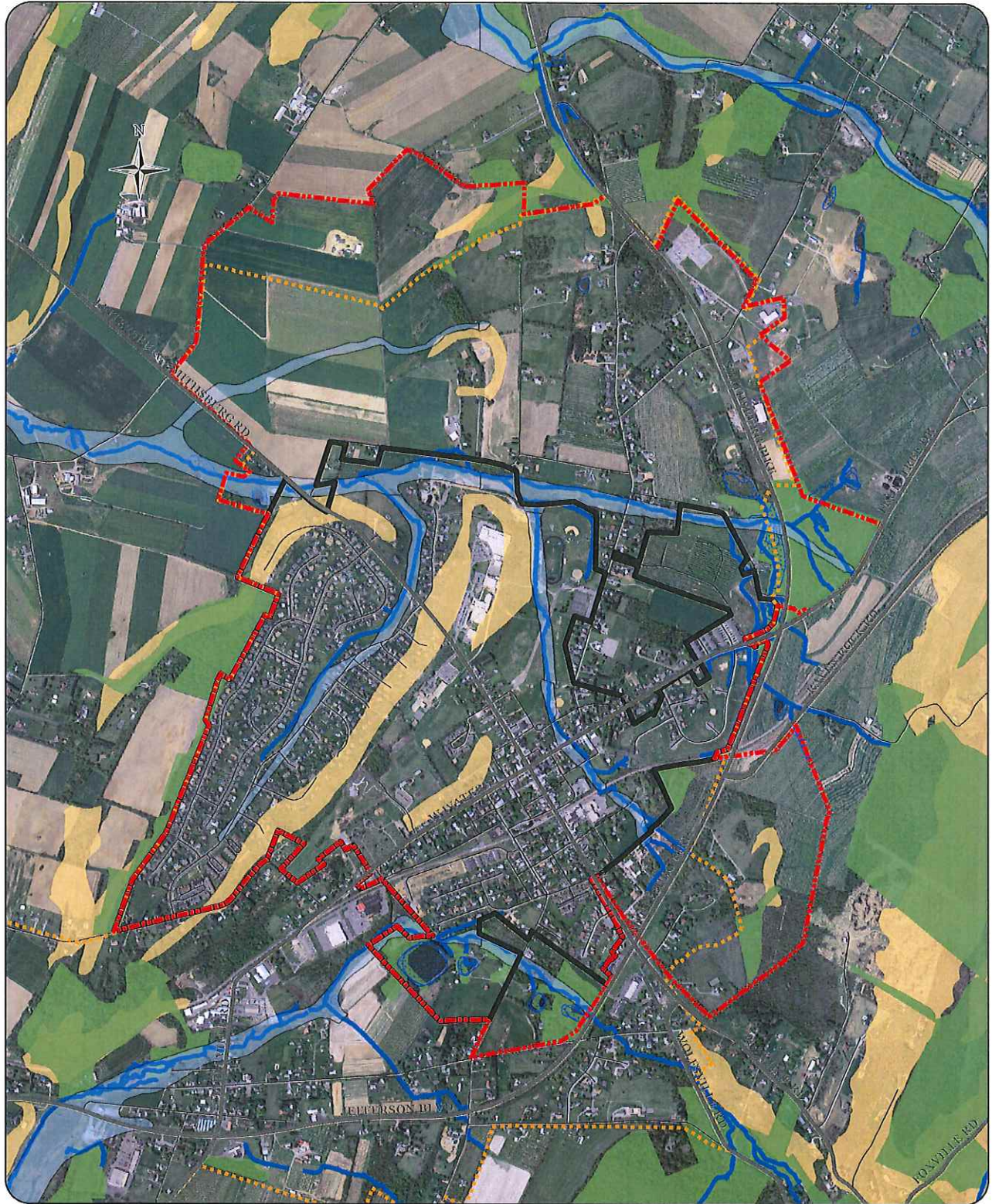
- Provide Erosion and sediment control review of development plans
- Site inspections as necessary

The MOU's are being developed by Washington County at this time and will be in place within the next six to eight months.

- 6. Anticipated expenditures to implement the terms and conditions of the permit:**

\$20,000.00

Sensitive Areas



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- Streams
- Smithsburg Town Growth Area
- County Growth Area
- Town Boundary
- Floodplain
- Wetlands
- Woodlands
- Steep Slopes

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