

Poquessing Creek Watershed *ACT 167* *STORM WATER MANAGEMENT PLAN*

*Watershed Plan Advisory Committee
(WPAC) Meeting No. 1*

February 5, 2010



AGENDA

Watershed Plan Advisory Committee (WPAC) Meeting No. 1.

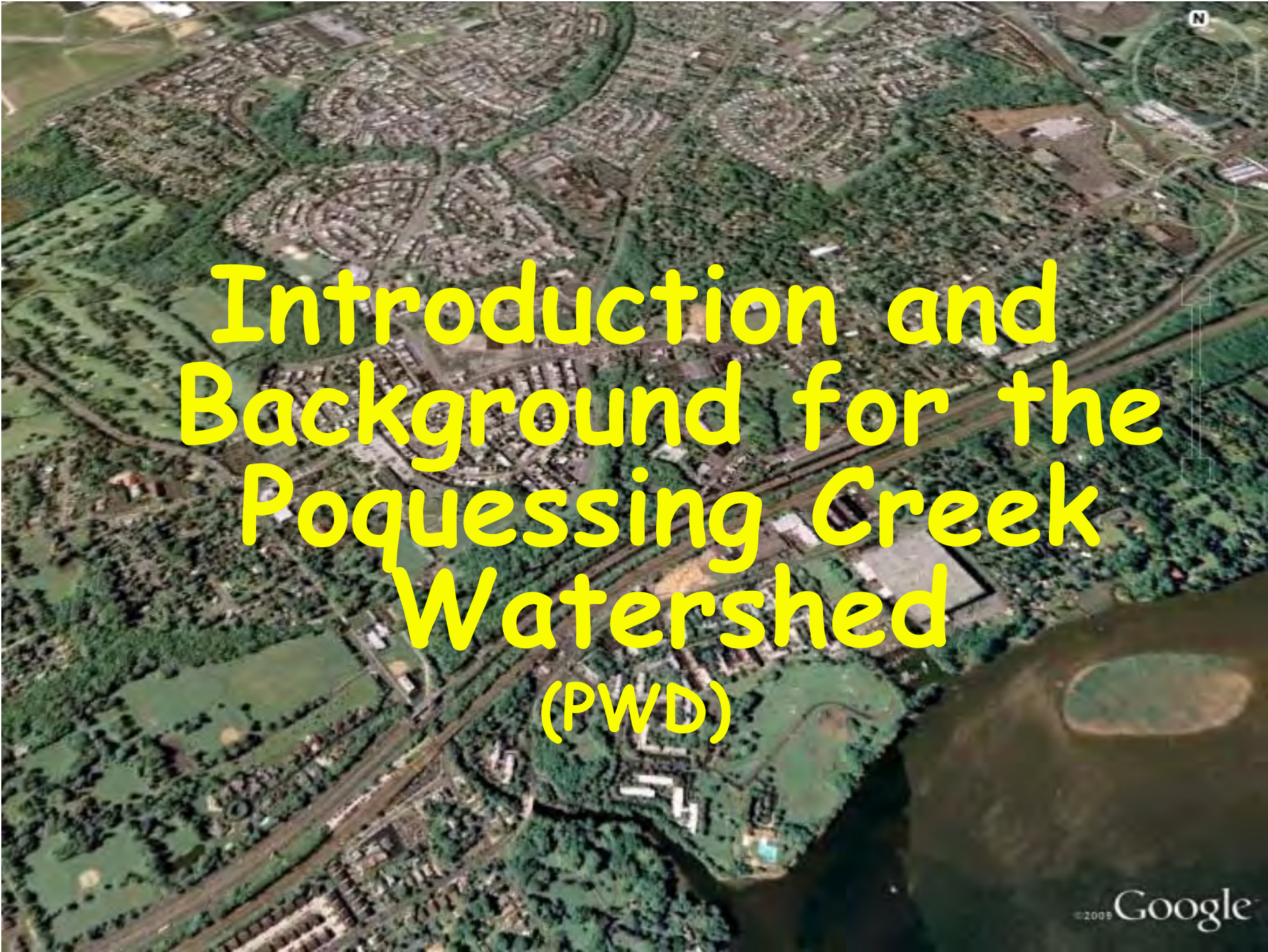
February 5, 2010
10:00 A.M.

Glen Foerd Mansion,
Philadelphia, PA

- ♣ Attendee Introductions
(Joanne Dahme, PWD)
- ♣ Introduction and Background for the
Poquessing Creek Watershed
(Marc Cammarata, PWD)
- ♣ Partnership Updates
(Paul Racette, PEC)
- ♣ Act 167 Overview
(Jennifer Kehler, DEP)
- ♣ Poquessing Creek Act 167 Scope of
Work
(Paul DeBarry, NTM Engineering)
- ♣ Municipal Participation—Data Collection
Forms
(Paul DeBarry, NTM Engineering)
- ♣ Coordination with the Pennpack Act
167 Plan
(Jeff Featherstone)
- ♣ Schedule, timeline



Welcome & Introductions

An aerial satellite photograph of a suburban residential area. The image shows a dense grid of houses and streets, interspersed with green trees and lawns. A winding creek flows through the center of the area, and a large pond is visible in the lower right corner. The text "Introduction and Background for the Poquessing Creek Watershed (PWD)" is overlaid in large, bold, yellow letters. A small "N" icon is in the top right corner, and the "©2005 Google" logo is in the bottom right corner.

Introduction and Background for the Poquessing Creek Watershed (PWD)

Related Documents/ Studies:

- Poquessing Creek Watershed Rivers Conservation Plan (RCP)



Poquessing Watershed River

Conservation Plan Goals:

- 1.) Establish Comprehensive Watershed-Based Planning & Protective Regulations
- 2.) Improve Stream Habitat, Protect Aquatic Resources and Restore Aquatic Communities
- 3.) Improve In-Stream Flow Conditions
- 4.) Improve and Protect Water Quality of Ground and Surface Waters and Reduce Pollutant Loads
- 5.) Improve and Protect Stream Corridors
- 6.) Address Flooding

Poquessing Watershed River

Conservation Plan Goals:

- 7.) Enhance and Improve Recreational Opportunities
- 8.) Improve Stewardship, Communication and Coordination Among WS Stakeholders
- 9.) Protect Significant Natural Features
- 10.) Protect Significant Historic & Cultural Features
- 11.) Initiate Sustainable Development on a Watershed Level
- 12.) Initiate Capital Improvements for Watershed Protection

Related Documents / Studies:

- Southeast Regional Wetland Inventory and Water Quality Improvement Initiative Poquessing Creek Watershed



Southeast Regional Wetland Inventory and Water Quality Improvement Initiative - Poquessing Creek Watershed Bucks, Philadelphia, and Montgomery Counties, Pennsylvania - PWD & EPA

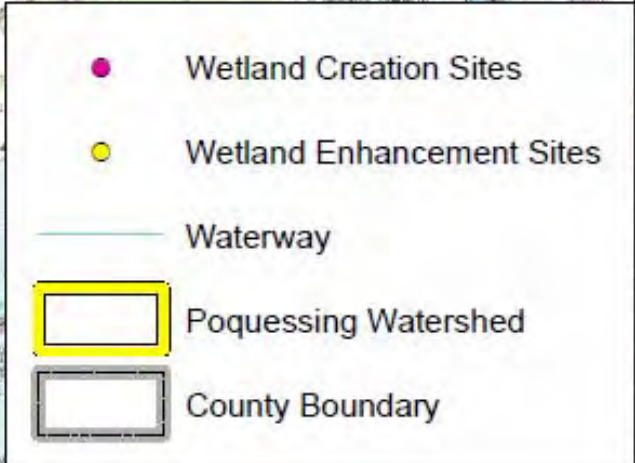
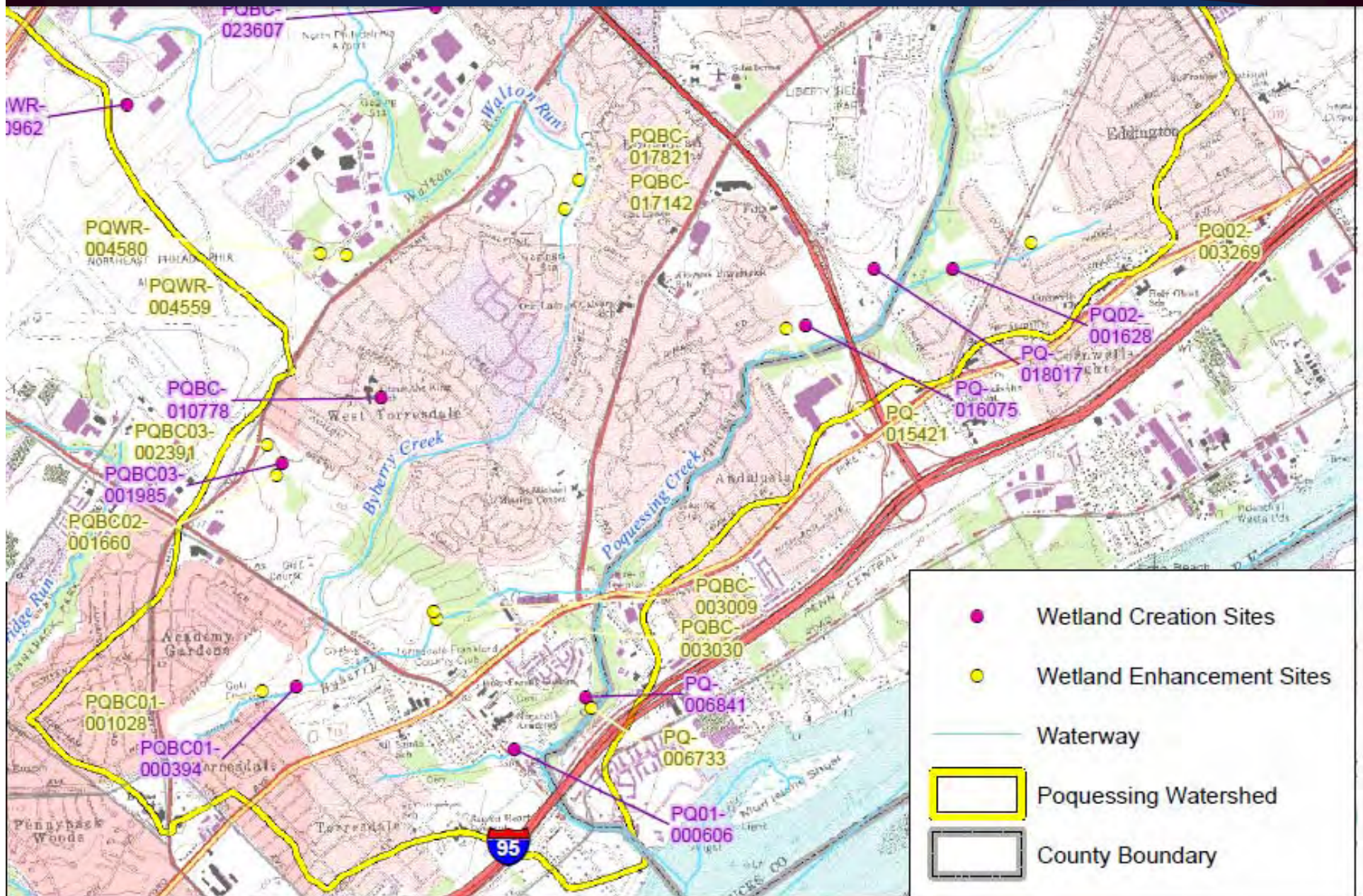
RECOMMENDATIONS FOR POTENTIAL WETLAND ENHANCEMENT AND CREATION AREAS

- A. Potential Creation Areas: In-City Locations
- B. Potential Creation Areas: Out-Of-City Locations

WETLAND RESOURCES

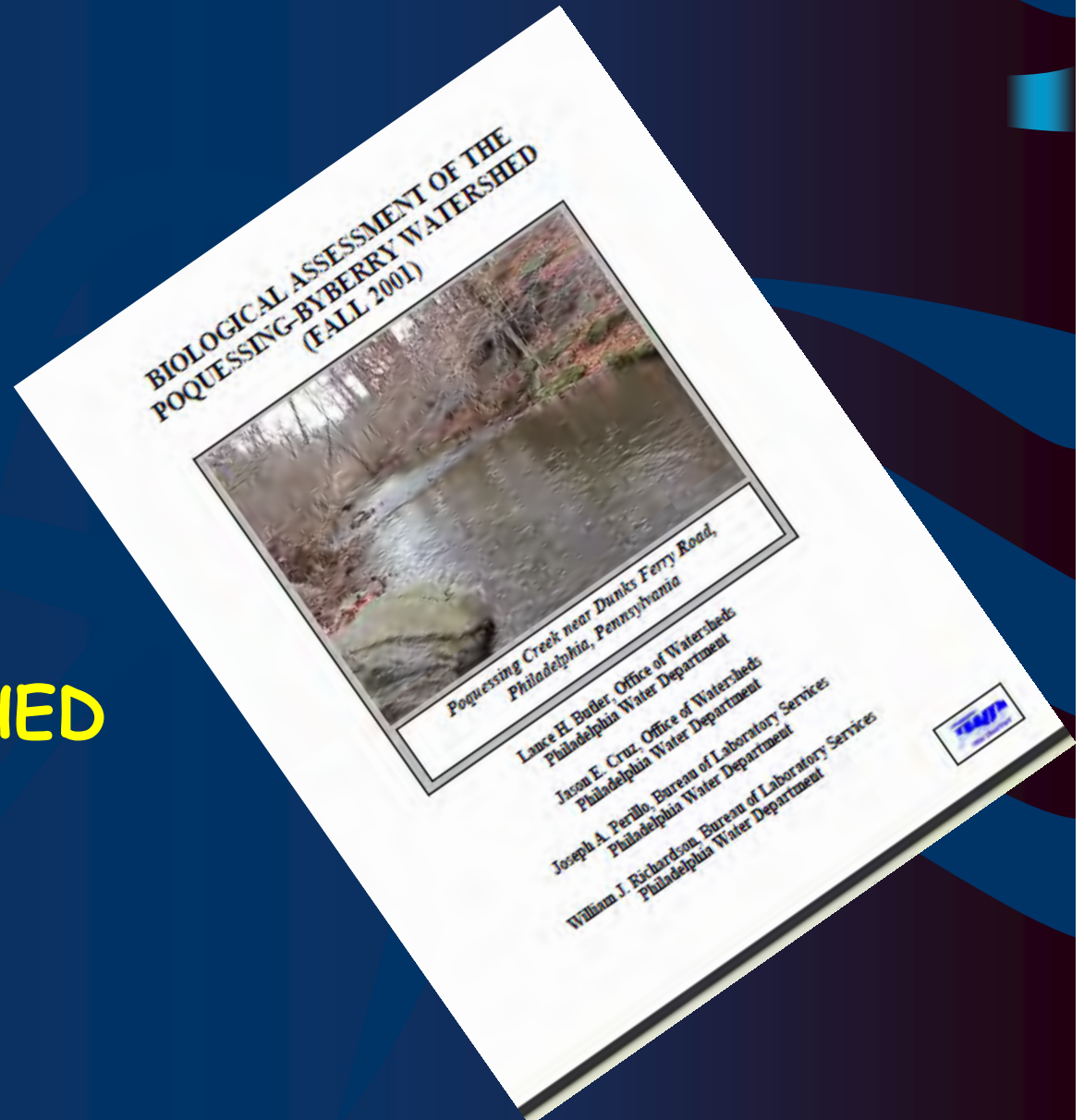
- A. In-City Existing Wetlands
- B. Out-Of-City Existing Wetlands

STORMWATER OUTFALL ASSESSMENT



Related Documents / Studies:

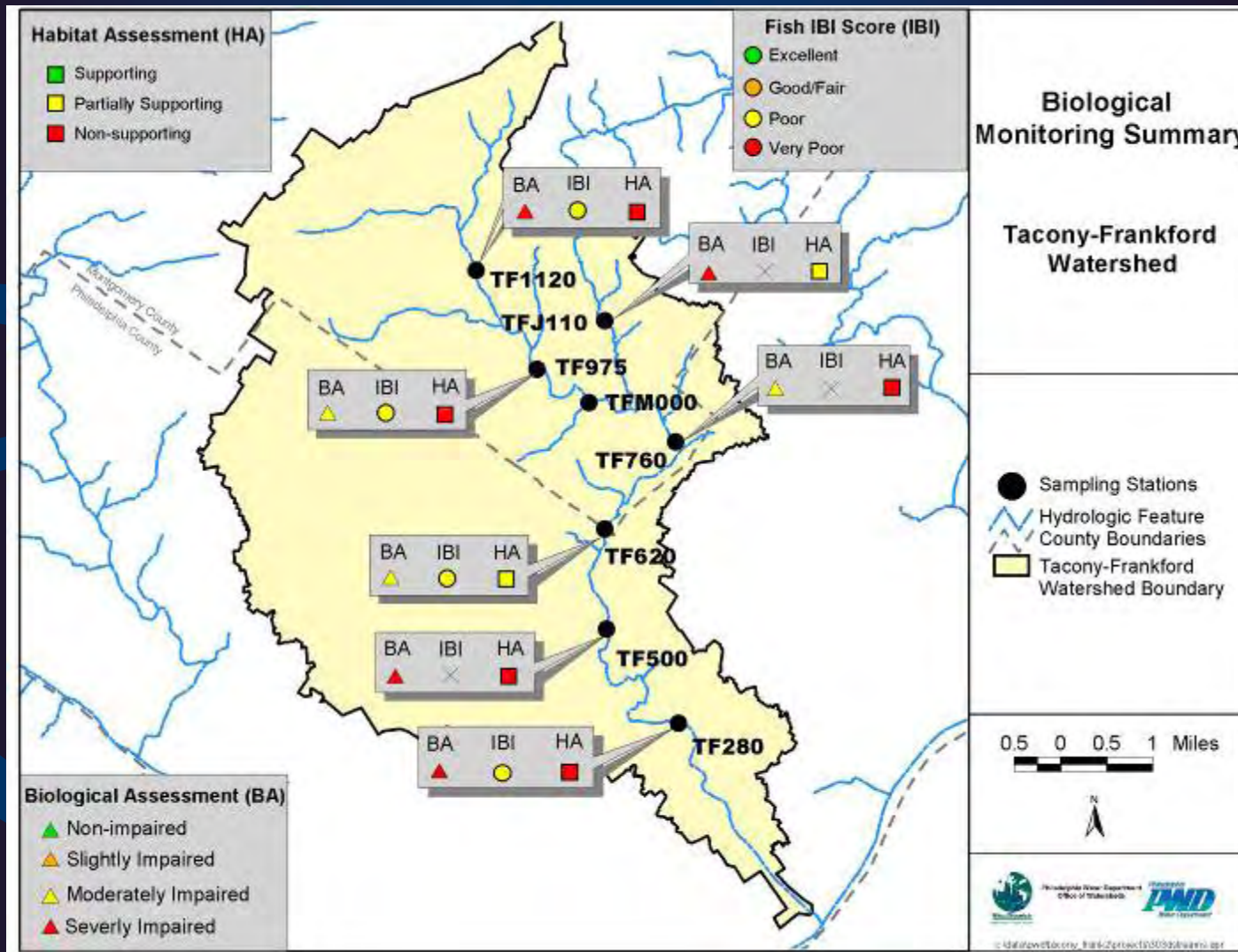
- **BIOLOGICAL ASSESSMENT OF THE POQUESSING-BYBERRY WATERSHED (FALL 2001)**



Biological and Habitat Related Problems

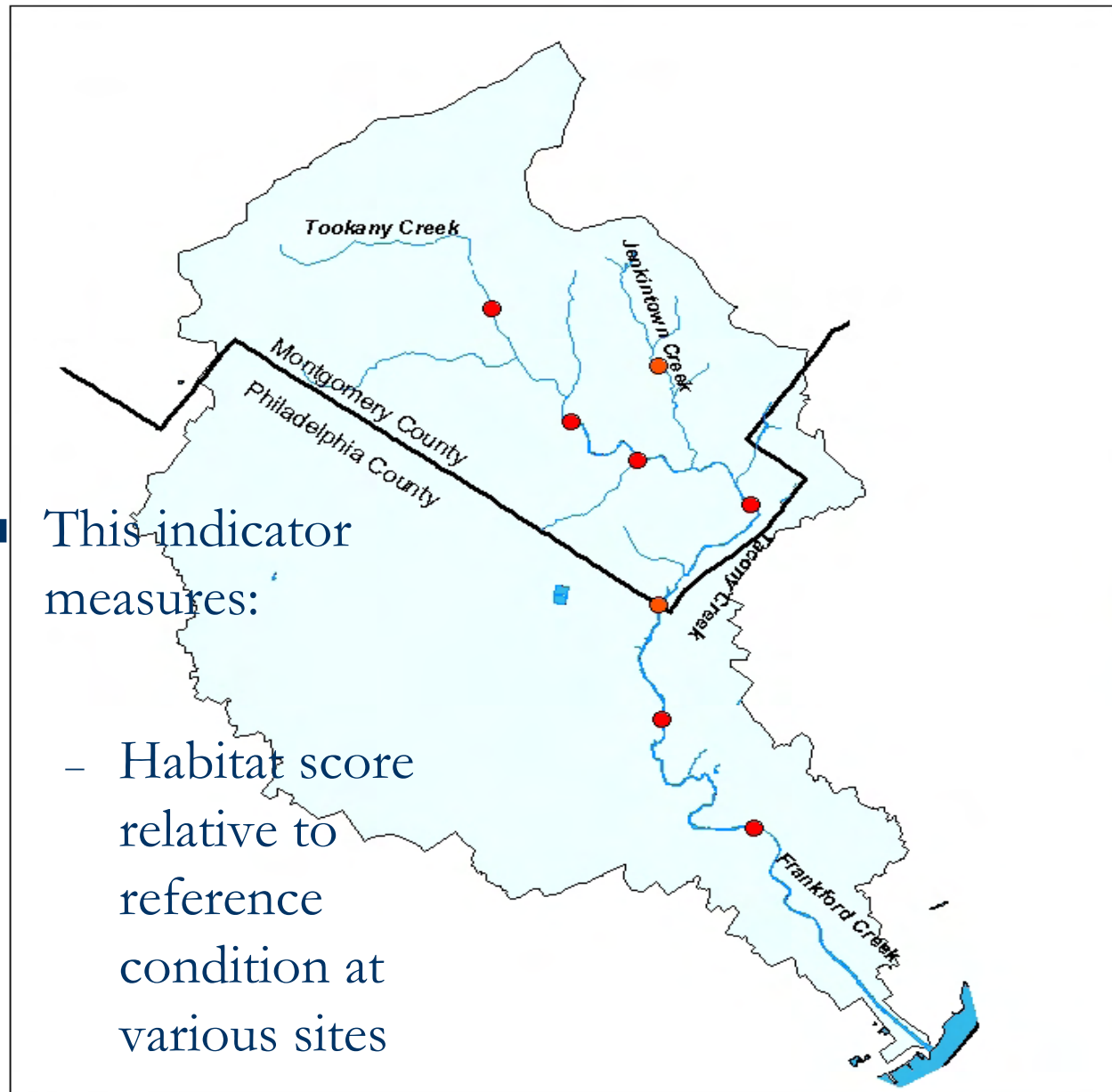
- Fish, Biological, and Habitat indices developed to assess conditions.
- In most cases, habitats were “non-supporting”
- Fish index was “poor”
- Biological conditions were moderately to severely impaired

Stream Ecology (Benthic, Fish, and Habitat)



Indicator 3: Stream Channels and Aquatic Habitat

- This indicator measures:
 - Habitat score relative to reference condition at various sites



Tacony-Frankford Watershed

Habitat Assessment Sites



0 0.375 0.75 1.5 2.25 Miles

Legend

- County Boundary
- Stream / Creek
- River/Lake/Pond
- Tacony/Frankford Study Area

Habitat Suitability

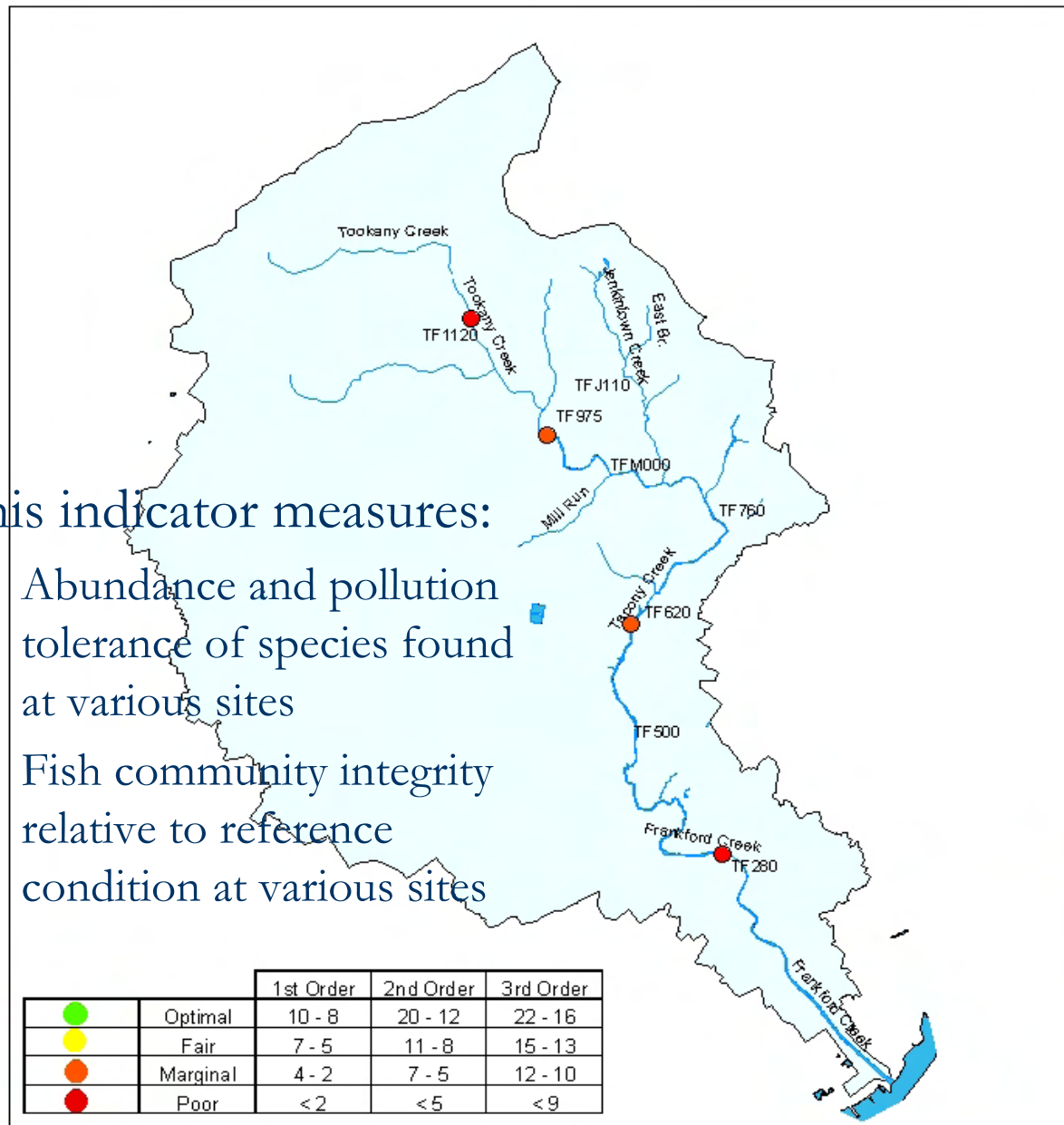
- <60% Non-Supporting
- 61 - 73% Partially Supporting
- 74 - 89% Supporting
- >90% Comparable to Reference



Indicator 5: Fish

- This indicator measures:
 - Abundance and pollution tolerance of species found at various sites
 - Fish community integrity relative to reference condition at various sites

		1st Order	2nd Order	3rd Order
●	Optimal	10 - 8	20 - 12	22 - 16
●	Fair	7 - 5	11 - 8	15 - 13
●	Marginal	4 - 2	7 - 5	12 - 10
●	Poor	<2	<5	<9



Tacony-Frankford Watershed

Fish Assessment Sites



0 0.35 0.7 1.4 2.1 Miles

Legend

- Stream / Creek
- River/Lake/Pond
- Tacony/Frankford Study Area



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Office of Watersheds

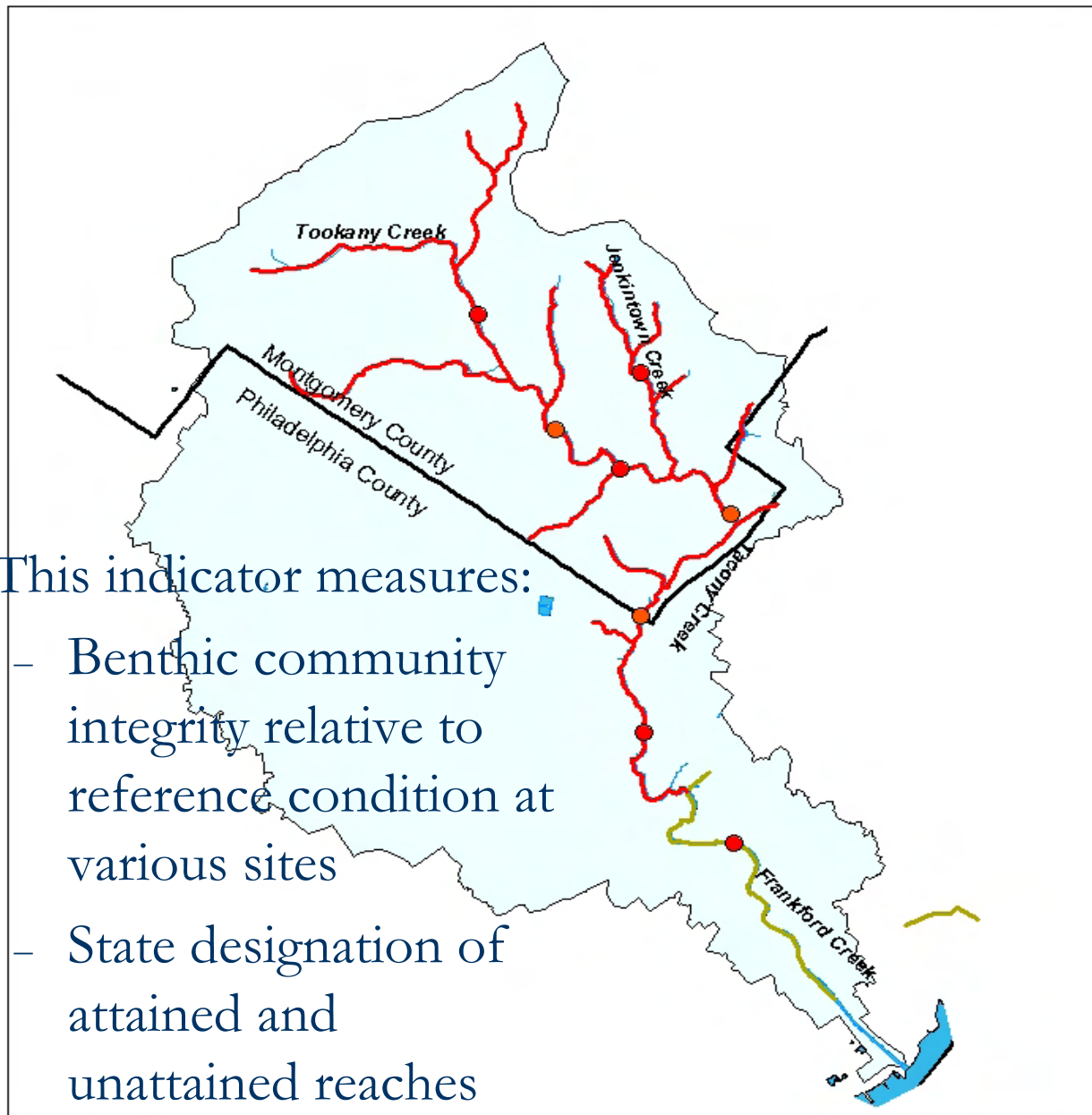


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Indicator 6: Benthos

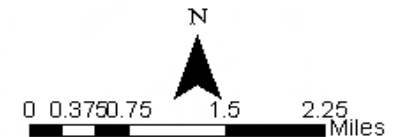
This indicator measures:

- Benthic community integrity relative to reference condition at various sites
- State designation of attained and unattained reaches



Tacony-Frankford Watershed

Benthic Assessment Sites and Stream Impairment



Legend

Benthic Impairment

- <17% Severely Impaired
- 18 - 50% Moderately Impaired
- 51 - 80% Slightly Impaired
- >80% Not Impaired

- County Boundary
- Stream / Creek
- River/Lake/Pond
- Tacony/Frankford Study Area

303D List Attainment

- Not Attained
- Unassessed



Causes of Biological and Habitat Impairment

- Typical of urban watersheds
- Extreme hydrologic response to dry and wet weather (high storm flows, low base flows)
- Erosion and sedimentation associated with altered flow patterns
- Loss of instream habitat (riffle, pool)
- Construction in riparian corridor
- Temperature pollution
- Toxic pollution

Biological and Habitat Impairment: Potential Solutions

- Improve DO through control of nutrients and physical impediments (e.g., outfall scour pools, dams, etc.)
- Targeted habitat restoration for stream channel, bank, and riparian areas
- Creation of refuges for fish during high flows through restoration
- Improved stormwater management to reduce erosive velocities
- Increased stream shading



Partnership Updates (Paul Racette, PEC)

PARTICIPATING ORGANIZATIONS

PA Dept. of Environmental Protection

County of Philadelphia, PWD

Bucks & Montgomery Counties Planning
Departments


Bucks and Montgomery Counties Conservation
Districts

Watershed Municipalities

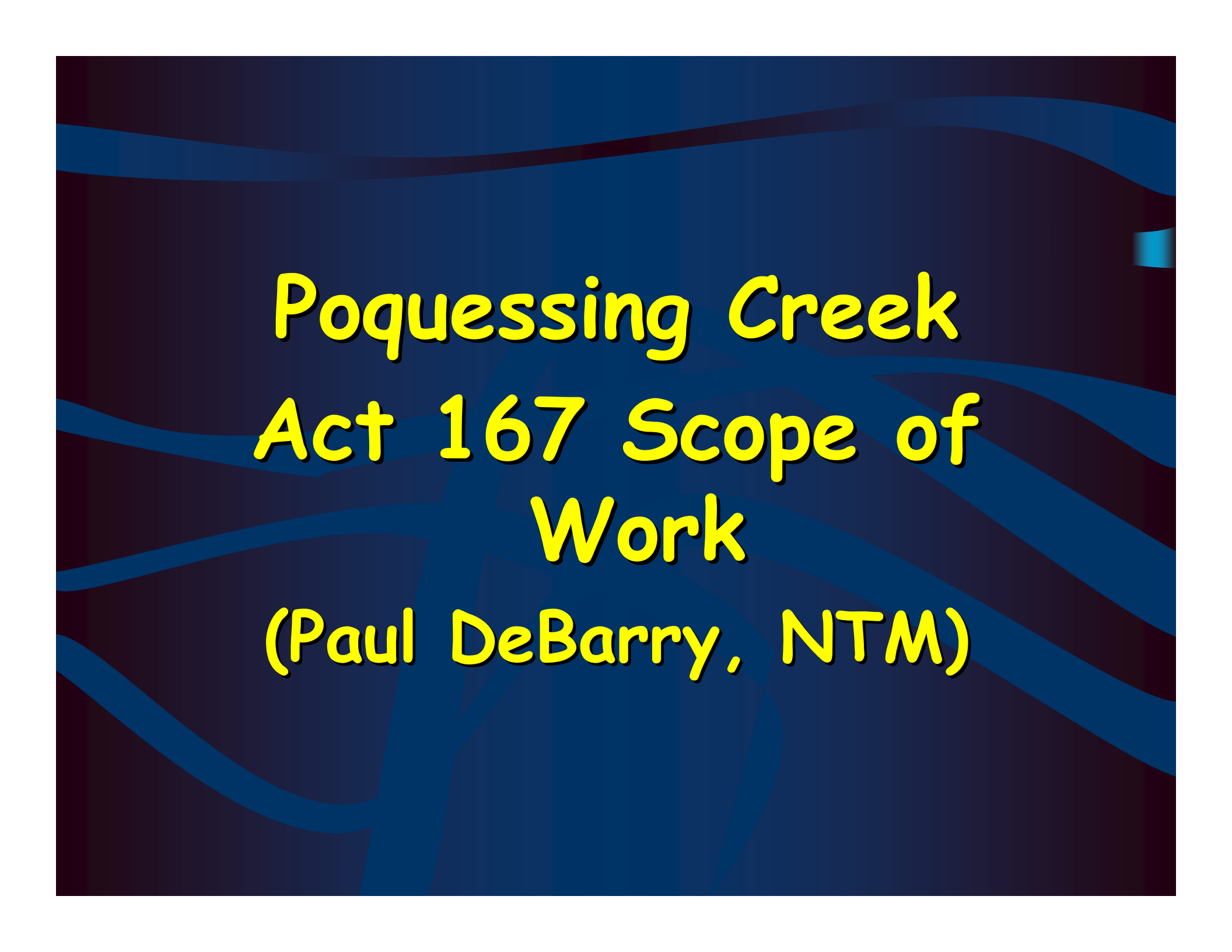
Watershed Organizations

NRCS, PennDOT, PA Fish & Boat Com., etc.

NTM Engineering, PEC, Jeff Featherstone



ACT 167
Overview
(Jennifer Kehler, DEP)



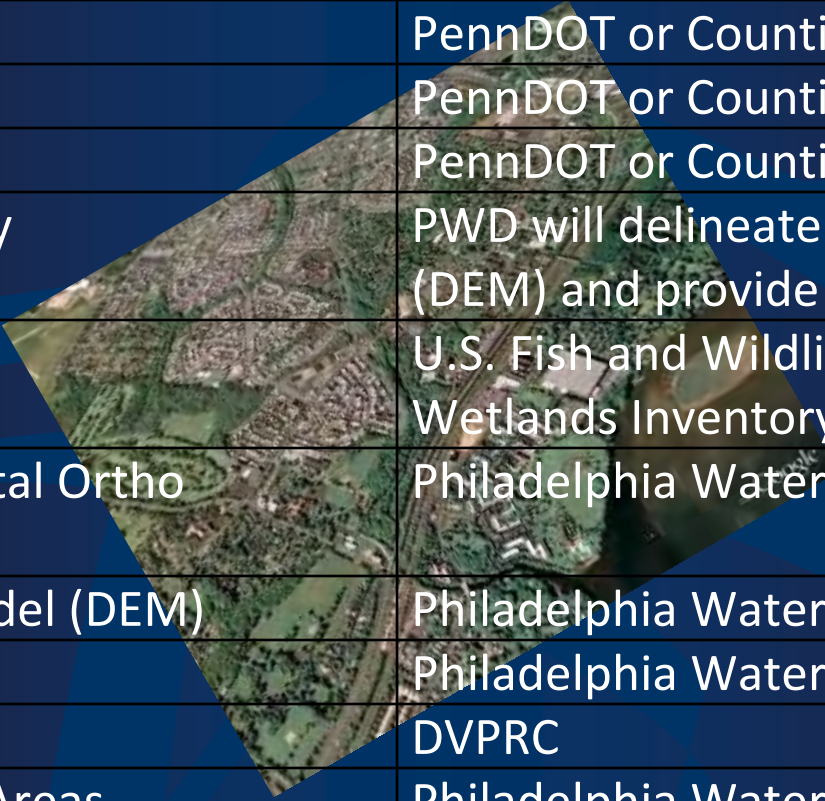
**Poquessing Creek
Act 167 Scope of
Work
(Paul DeBarry, NTM)**

Task 1 - Data collection and analysis

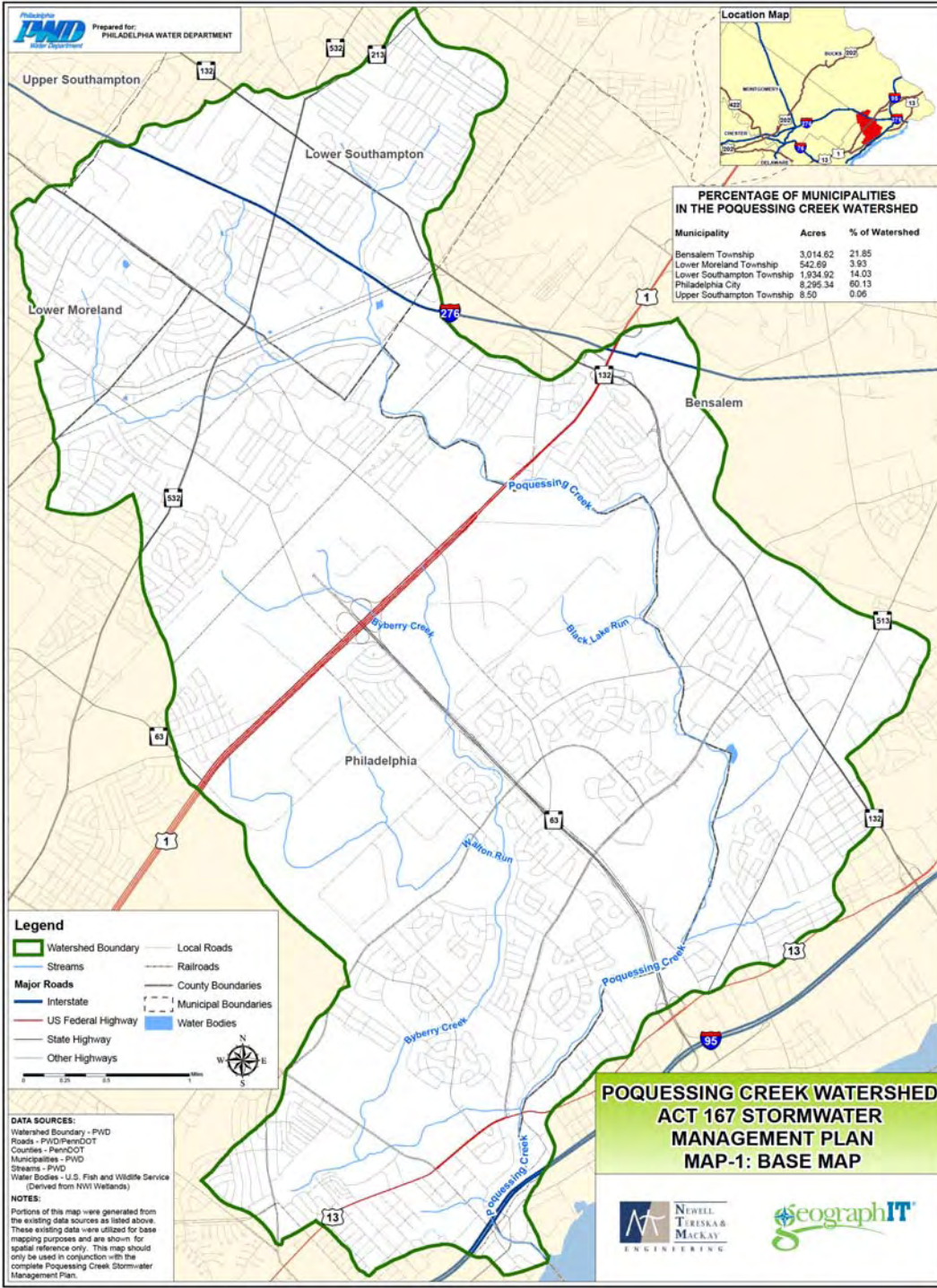
- Past reports / studies
- Detention basins,
- Municipal data collection,
- Obstructions

The image shows a data collection form titled "FORM A - STORM WATER PROBLEM AREAS SHEET". The form is divided into several sections. The top section is for "WATERSHED" information, including Name, Municipality, and County. Below this is a section for "FORM COMPLETED BY" with fields for Name, Telephone, and Date. The main body of the form is a grid for recording "Types of Storm Water Problems". The rows include Flooding, Accelerated Erosion, Landslide, Sedimentation, Groundwater, Water Pollution, and Other (Explain). The columns are labeled with "A-" and "A". At the bottom, there is a section for "Cause(s)" and "Storm Water" with a "Cause Line No. (On Back)" field. The form also includes instructions: "Before Filing Out Form, See Instructions On Back" and "For County Use:".

Task 2 - GIS Mapping



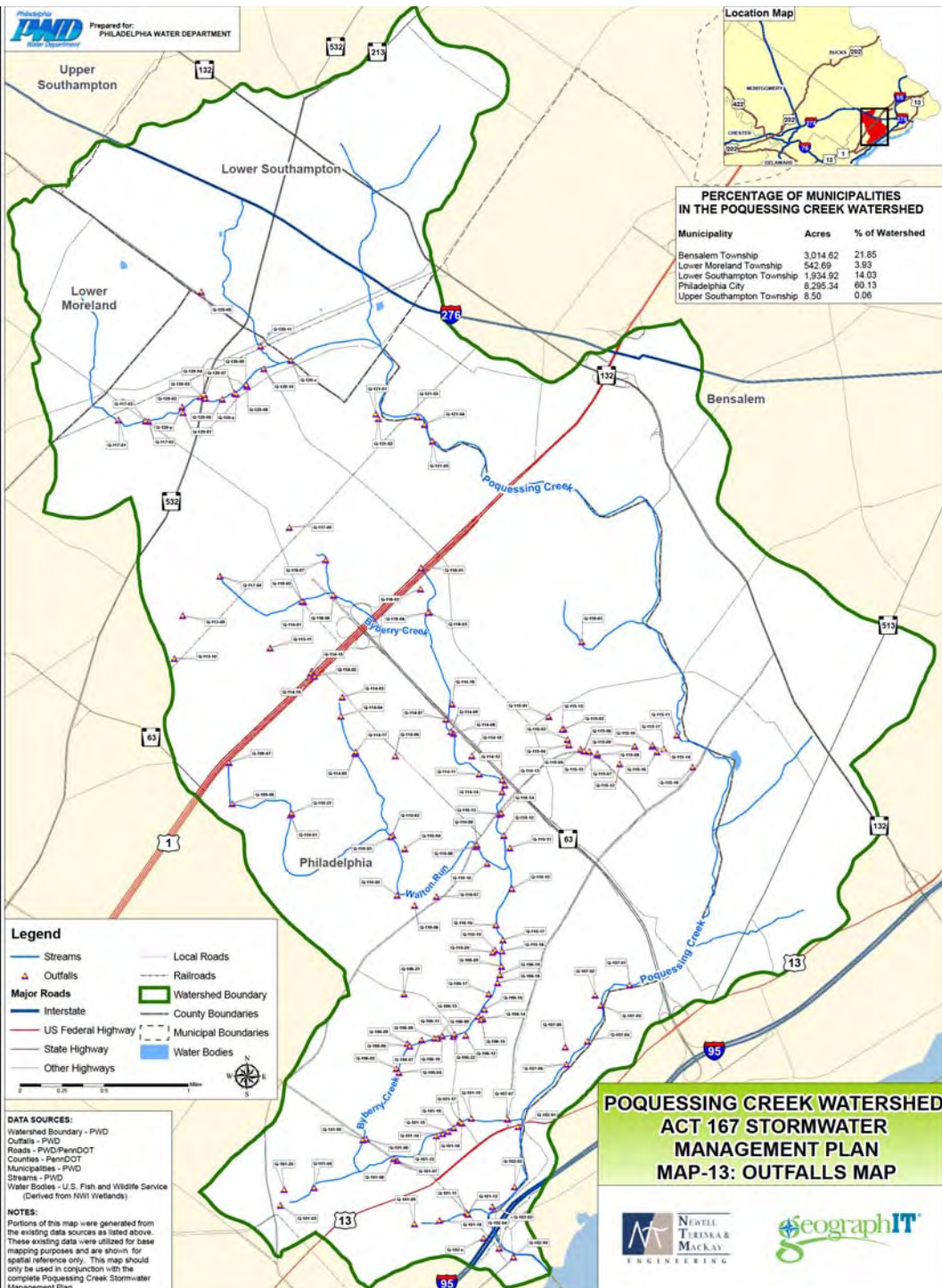
GIS Data	Likely Source
County and municipal boundaries	PennDOT or Counties
Road centerlines	PennDOT or Counties
Streams	PennDOT or Counties
Water bodies	PennDOT or Counties
Watershed boundary	PWD will delineate the watershed from (DEM) and provide it to NTM.
Wetlands	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service National Wetlands Inventory (NWI)
High Resolution Digital Ortho Photographs	Philadelphia Water Dept. or DVPRC
Digital Elevation Model (DEM)	Philadelphia Water Dept.
Existing Land Use	Philadelphia Water Dept.
Future Land Use	DVPRC
Impervious Surface Areas	Philadelphia Water Dept.
Hydrologic Soil Groups	Philadelphia Water Dept.
Geology	Philadelphia Water Dept.
Obstructions	Philadelphia Water Dept.
Floodplains (FEMA Q3)	PASDA





**PERCENTAGE OF MUNICIPALITIES
 IN THE POQUESSING CREEK WATERSHED**

Municipality	Acres	% of Watershed
Bensalem Township	3,014.62	21.85
Lower Moreland Township	542.69	3.93
Lower Southampton Township	1,934.92	14.03
Philadelphia City	8,295.34	60.13
Upper Southampton Township	8.50	0.06



Legend

- Streams
- Outfalls
- Major Roads
 - Interstate
 - US Federal Highway
 - State Highway
 - Other Highways
- Local Roads
- Railroads
- Watershed Boundary
- County Boundaries
- Municipal Boundaries
- Water Bodies

DATA SOURCES:
 Watershed Boundary - PWD
 Outfalls - PWD
 Roads - PWD/PennDOT
 Counties - PennDOT
 Municipalities - PWD
 Streams - PWD
 Water Bodies - U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
 (Derived from NWI Wetlands)

NOTES:
 Portions of this map were generated from the existing data sources as listed above. These existing data were utilized for base mapping purposes and are shown for spatial reference only. This map should only be used in conjunction with the complete Poquessing Creek Stormwater Management Plan.

**POQUESSING CREEK WATERSHED
 ACT 167 STORMWATER
 MANAGEMENT PLAN
 MAP-13: OUTFALLS MAP**



Task 3 - Technical Analysis, Standards and Criteria

- Modeling for standards development
- Land development impacts on runoff quantity, velocity, and quality
- Identify existing and proposed stormwater improvements
- Prepare a 10-year schedule and method for financing the development, construction, and operation of potential new or retrofitted stormwater facilities
- Develop criteria and standards from the modeling efforts for the control of storm runoff from new development

Task 4 - Report

- Draft report including model SW ordinance
- Municipal review of draft report and ordinance
- Final report including model SW ordinance

Task 5 - PAC Meetings



Summary of Phase II Tasks

- Determining specific areas/problems to evaluate
- Develop Plan of action, prioritization and costs for implementation
- Develop standards and criteria for new development
- Develop Model Stormwater Management Ordinance

Primary WPAC Members:

Bucks County

Bensalem Township

Lower Southampton Township

Upper Southampton Township

Montgomery County:

Lower Moreland Township

Philadelphia County

City of Philadelphia

Watershed / Citizen groups

Conservation Districts

Others









**Additional Member
Suggestions ???**

Municipal Participation

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Data Collection Forms

(Paul DeBarry, NTM)

<u>Form</u>	<u>Symbol</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Types of Examples</u>	<u>Sources of Information</u>
A		Stormwater Problem Areas	Flooding, Drainage, Erosion/Sedimentation	Existing studies or reports, Township Documentation, Personal memory, Township engineer
B		Obstructions	Bridges, Culverts, Fill, Structures	Owner or structure, township files, subdivision applications, roadmaster, township engineer
C		Existing Flood Control Projects	Channel excavation, rip-rap, floodwalls, etc.	Township records, township engineer, owner of facility
D		Proposed Flood Control Projects	Channel excavation, rip-rap, floodwalls, etc.	Township records, township engineer, owner of facility
E		Existing Stormwater Control Facilities	Detention basins, recharge basins, roof-top storage	Subdivision files, township engineer, owner of facility
F		Proposed Stormwater Control Facilities	Detention basins, recharge basins, roof-top storage	Subdivision files, township engineer, owner of facility
G		Existing Stormwater Collection Systems	Storm sewers, man-made channels, diversions	Existing plans, township engineer, owner of system
H		Proposed Stormwater Collection System	Storm sewers, man-made channels,	Existing plans, township engineer, owner of

Problems in the Watershed



- Floodplain encroachment
- Undersized storm drains
- Undersized stream channels
- Erosion/Sedimentation
- Water Quality/Pollution
- Existing Ordinances
- Others ?????



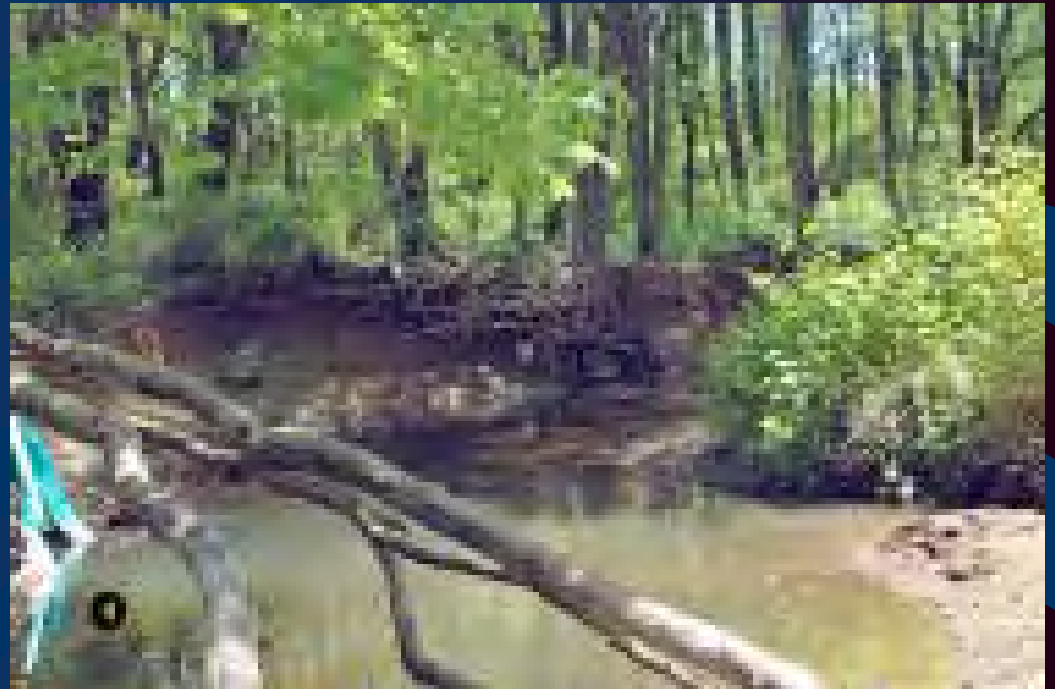
Flooding



Undersized or Blocked Storm Drains




Obstructions



Erosion / Sedimentation Problem Area



Water Quality Problem Area



Problem Area Survey

INSTRUCTIONS

Begin with A.1 as the first map number to identify the first' storm water problem area. Illustrate the defined problem on the watershed map provided, and identify it with its map number.

For each storm water problem area within your municipality, enter the map identification number at the head of the column. Describe the problem by placing a check (4) in the appropriate blocks of the column under this map identification number.

When an additional explanation is required, write the line number(s) used in the column marked "Explanation Line No. (s)". Example 1, 2-3, etc.

If storm water problem occurred during and after Agnes, describe the frequency of the problem after Agnes.

Use the explanation lines to list the types of public property damages ,e.g.roadways, hospitals, etc.

Enter the line no. (s) used to list the map ID no. (s) for the proposed facilities.

Definitions

Storm Water Problem Area

An area that defines the farthest extent of a storm water problem, including any area that experiences property damage, inundation, accelerated erosion, surface water pollution, groundwater pollution, landslides, or any other problem as a result of storm water runoff.

Groundwater

Water in the ground below the water table.

Accelerated Erosion

The removal of the surface of the land through the combined action of man's activities and the natural processes at a rate greater than would occur because of the natural process alone.


Sedimentation

The process by which soil or other surface materials, transported by surface water, is deposited on stream bottoms.

Water Obstruction

Any dike, bridge, culvert, wall, wingwall, fill, pier, wharf, embankment, abutment, or other structure located in, along, across, or projecting into any watercourse, floodway, or body of water.

EXPLANATION LINES (continued)



**DETERMINE LOCAL VERSUS
REGIONAL PROBLEMS AND
PROPOSED SOLUTIONS**

TABLE 1: SUMMARY OF RESPONSE ITEMS FROM MUNICIPAL QUESTIONNAIRE

Municipality	Problems/ Concerns Identified (A)	Causes of Storm Water Problems (B)	Frequency of Occurrence Incurred (C)	Types of Damages
Bucks County				
Upper Southampton Township	1 & 4	1, 2, 3 & 4	4	Private Property
Lower Southampton Township	1	1 & 2	4	Private & Public Property
Bensalem Township	1, 2 & 5	1, 2, 3 & 4	1, 3 & 4	Private & Public Property
Montgomery Co.				
Lower Moreland Township		2, 3 & 4	4	Private & Public Property
City of Phila.	1, 2, 3, 4	1, 2, 3, 4, 5	2	Private & Public Property

(A) Problems/Concerns Identified

1. Stream flooding
2. Street flooding
3. Soil washoff
4. Stormwater pollution
5. Other

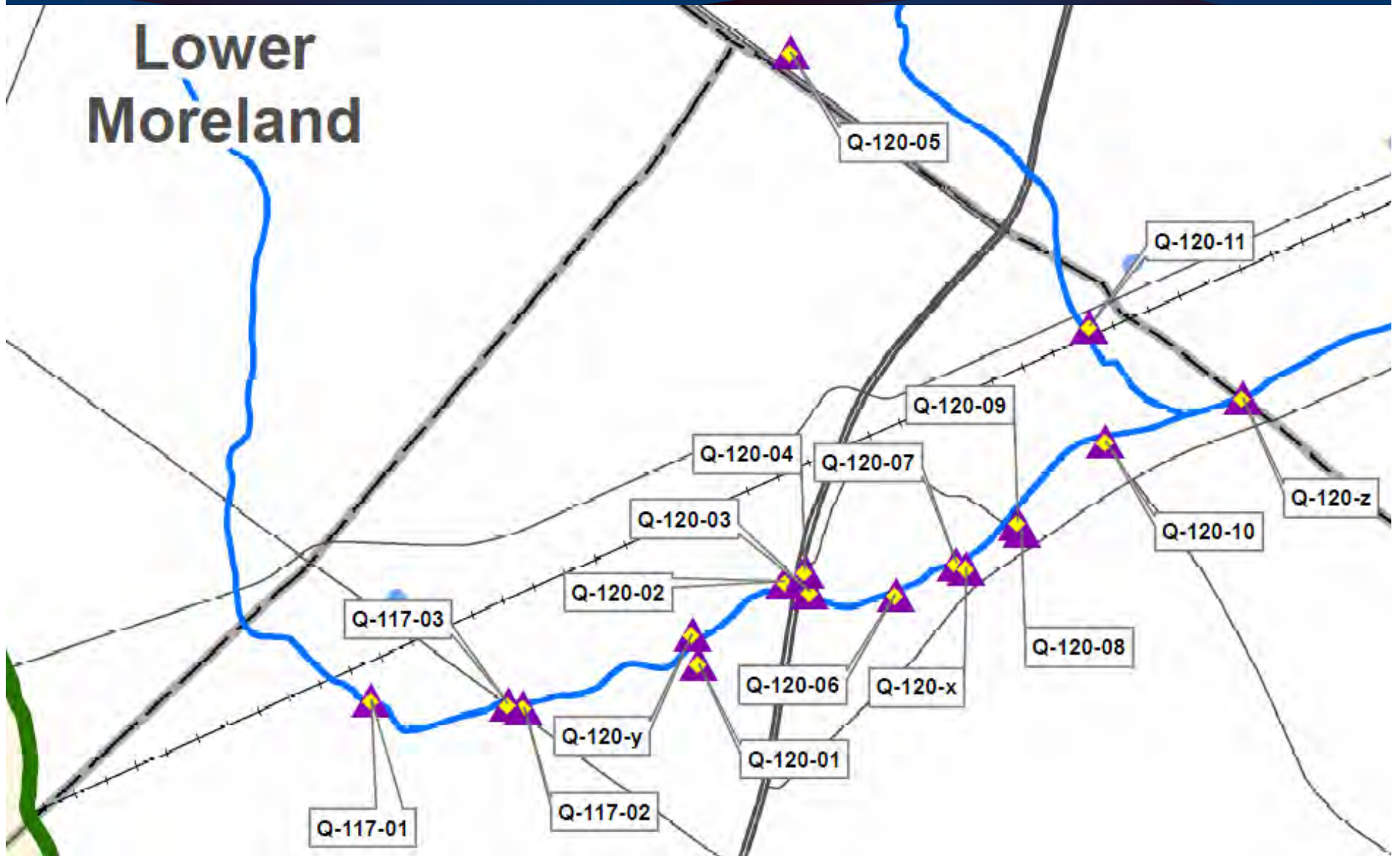
(B) Causes of Stormwater Problems

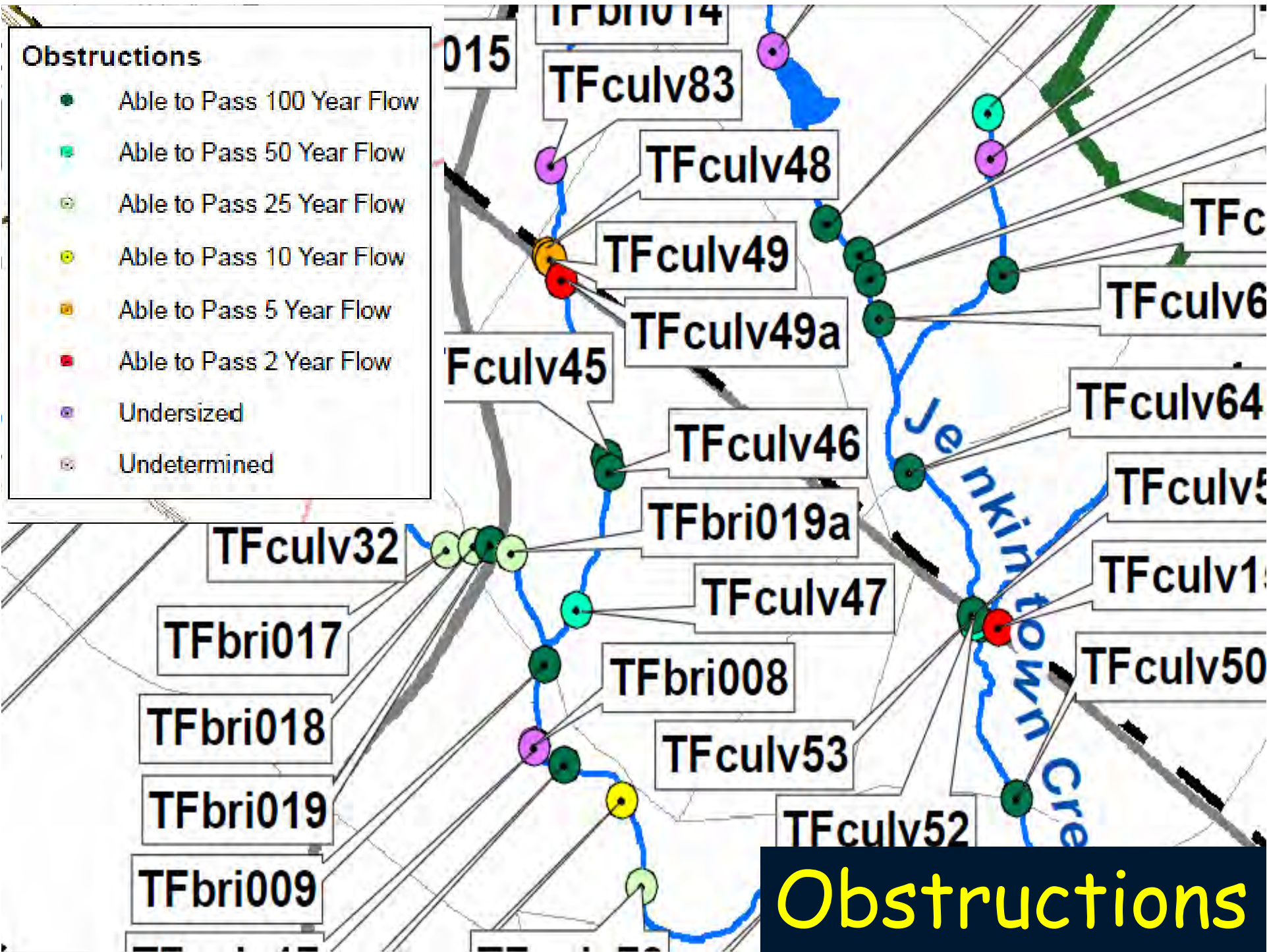
1. Too large an increase in uncontrolled runoff
2. Uncontrolled runoff from upstream municipalities
3. Inadequate drainage system

(C) Frequency of Occurrences

1. Every rain
2. More than 10 times per year
3. More than 1 time per

Lower Moreland





Obstructions

Dec-81		EXISTING FLOOD CONTROL PROJECT FORM C				SHEET _____ OF _____	
WATERSHED		FORM COMPLETED BY		TYPICAL TYPES OF FLOOD CONTROL PROJECTS			
Name: _____		Name: _____		Channel Excavation/Widening		Levee	Dams
Municipality: _____		Telephone: _____		Channel Realignment		Gabions	Floodwell
County: _____		Date: _____		Rock Riprap		Pipe Channel	Concrete Lining
For County Use:							
Map ID No.	Type of Flood Control Project	Year Constr Built	Expected Life Yrs.	Design Flood		Owner Name, Address, and Phone	
				Frequency Yrs.	Discharge C.F.S. (if known)		
G							
G 1	Levee	1986	100	100			

FORM C - EXISTING FLOOD CONTROL PROJECTS





*Baeder and Wanamaker Roads TTF Watershed Jenkintown, PA
Flood Control Project*

WATERSHED Name: _____ Municipality: _____ County: _____	FORM COMPLETED BY Name: _____ Telephone: _____ Date: _____	TYPICAL TYPES OF FLOOD CONTROL PROJECTS <table style="width:100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width:33%;">Channel Excavation / Widening</td> <td style="width:33%;">Levee</td> <td style="width:33%;">Dams</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Channel Realignment</td> <td>Gabions</td> <td>Floodwall</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Rock Riprap</td> <td>Pipe Channel</td> <td>Concrete Lining</td> </tr> </table>	Channel Excavation / Widening	Levee	Dams	Channel Realignment	Gabions	Floodwall	Rock Riprap	Pipe Channel	Concrete Lining
Channel Excavation / Widening	Levee	Dams									
Channel Realignment	Gabions	Floodwall									
Rock Riprap	Pipe Channel	Concrete Lining									

For County Use: _____

Map ID No.	Type of Flood Control Project	Study Phase Begun			Year Constr. Planned	Projected Compltn. Date	Expected Life Yrs.	Design Flood		Map ID No. Form A*	Owner Name, Address, and Phone
		YES		NO				Frequency Yrs.	Discharge C.F.S.		
		Prelim.	Final								
D- 1	Dam	X	X		1998	2000	100	100	400	1	
D- 2	Dam	X		X	2000	2002	100	100	250	2	
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* Enter the storm water problem area's Map ID No., if the proposed project will solve or reduce any / all of an identified drainage problem.

FORM D - PROPOSED FLOOD CONTROL PROJECTS



Jan-82	EXISTING STORM WATER CONTROL FACILITIES FORM E.				SHEET _____ OF _____
WATERSHED	FORM COMPLETED BY			DEFINITION	
Name:	Name:	Storm Water Control Facility			
Municipality:	Telephone:	A natural / man-made device or structure specifically designed and / or utilized to reduce the rate and / or volume of storm water runoff from a site or sites.			
County:	Date:				
For County Use:					
Map ID No.	Type of Storm Water Control Facility	Year Built	Contact Person Name, Address and Phone		Comments
E-					
E- 1	Detention Basin	1978			
E-					
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E-					
TYPICAL TYPES OF STORM WATER CONTROL FACILITIES					
Detention / Retention Basin				Roof-Top Storage	
Natural Pond or Wetland				Semi-Pervious Paving	
Parking Lot Pondling				Infiltration Device (Seepage / Recharge Basin or Underground Tank)	

FORM E - EXISTING STORM WATER CONTROL FACILITIES













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Montgomery







Jan-82	PROPOSED STORM WATER CONTROL FACILITIES FORM F.				SHEET _____ OF _____	
WATERSHED	FORM COMPLETED BY			DEFINITION		
Name:	Name:	Storm Water Control Facility				
Municipality:	Telephone:	A natural / man-made device or structure specifically designed and / or				
County:	Date:	utilized to reduce the rate and / or volume of storm water runoff				
		from a site or sites.				
For County Use:						
Map ID No.	Type of Storm Water Control Facility	Proposed Constr. Dates		Map No. Form A*	Contact Person Name, Address and Phone	Comments
		Start	End			
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TYPICAL TYPES OF STORM WATER CONTROL FACILITIES						
Detention / Retention Basin			Roof-Top Storage			
Natural Pond or Wetland			Semi-Perious Paving			
Parking Lot Pondling			Infiltration Device (Seepage / Recharge Basin or Underground Tank)			

FORM F - PROPOSED STORM WATER CONTROL FACILITIES



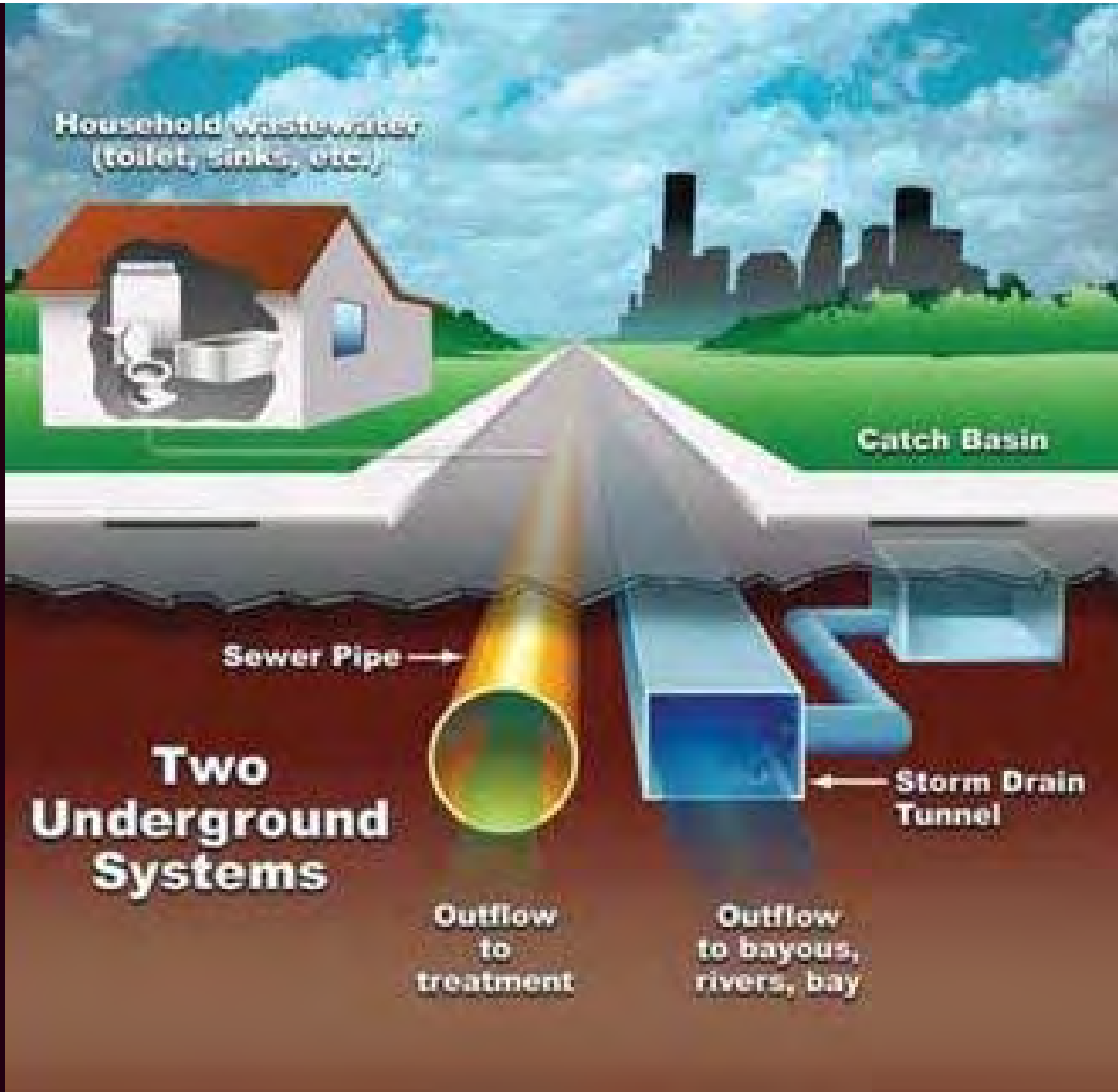
WATERSHED	FORM COMPLETED BY	INSTRUCTIONS
Name:	Name:	Diagram each system on the appropriate map. Establish map points to show changes in system elements, pipe size, or pipe direction. (If unknown, outline the system extent.) Complete this form only where specific information on construction is available. Use a separate form for each system. Identify the points within a system consecutively (ex. G-1,G-2,G-3). Start the first point in each additional system 20 numbers higher. For example, G-3 ends one system, so G-23 begins the next. See Sample Diagrams & Form on Reverse.
Municipality:	Telephone:	
County:	Date:	

Map I.D.		System's Elements (x)			Measurements *			Material	Year Constr.	Design Data Available	Contact Person Name and Phone	Name of Final Ownership and Maintenance Responsibility
No.		Pipe	Open Channel	Swale	Pipe D	Channel / Swale						
From	To				D	TW	B	Depth				
G-	G-											
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* See measurement key on reverse side.

FORM G - EXISTING STORM WATER COLLECTION FACILITIES





Dec-81	PROPOSED STORM WATER COLLECTION FACILITIES - FORM H.										SHEET _____ OF _____	
WATERSHED		FORM COMPLETED BY				INSTRUCTIONS						
Name:		Name:				On the map for proposed storm water collection systems, diagram each proposed system. Indicate a map point to show changes in system elements, pipe size, pipe direction and connections to existing systems. For proposed additions to existing systems, diagram only the additions and their connection point into the existing system. Complete a separate form for each proposed, new system and one for each existing system having one or more proposed additions. Identify the points within a system consecutively (ex. H-1, H-2, H-3). Start the first point in each additional system 20 numbers higher (if H-3 ends one system, begin the next with H-23). Be sure to show the point where proposed additions connect into existing systems, using the map point number from the existing system form and map. See Sample Diagrams and Form on Reverse.						
Municipality:		Telephone:										
County:		Date:										

Map I.D. No.		System's Elements (x)			Measurements *				Material	Map I.D. Nos. **	Proposed Const. Dates		Design Data Avail.	Contact Person Name and Phone	Name of Final Ownership and Maintenance Responsibility
From	To	Pipe	Open Channel	Swale	Pipe D	Open Channel / Swale TW	B	Depth		Form A	Start	End			
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* See measurement key on reverse side. ** Enter the storm water problem areas' Map I.D. Nos., if proposed project will solve or reduce any / all of the drainage problems.

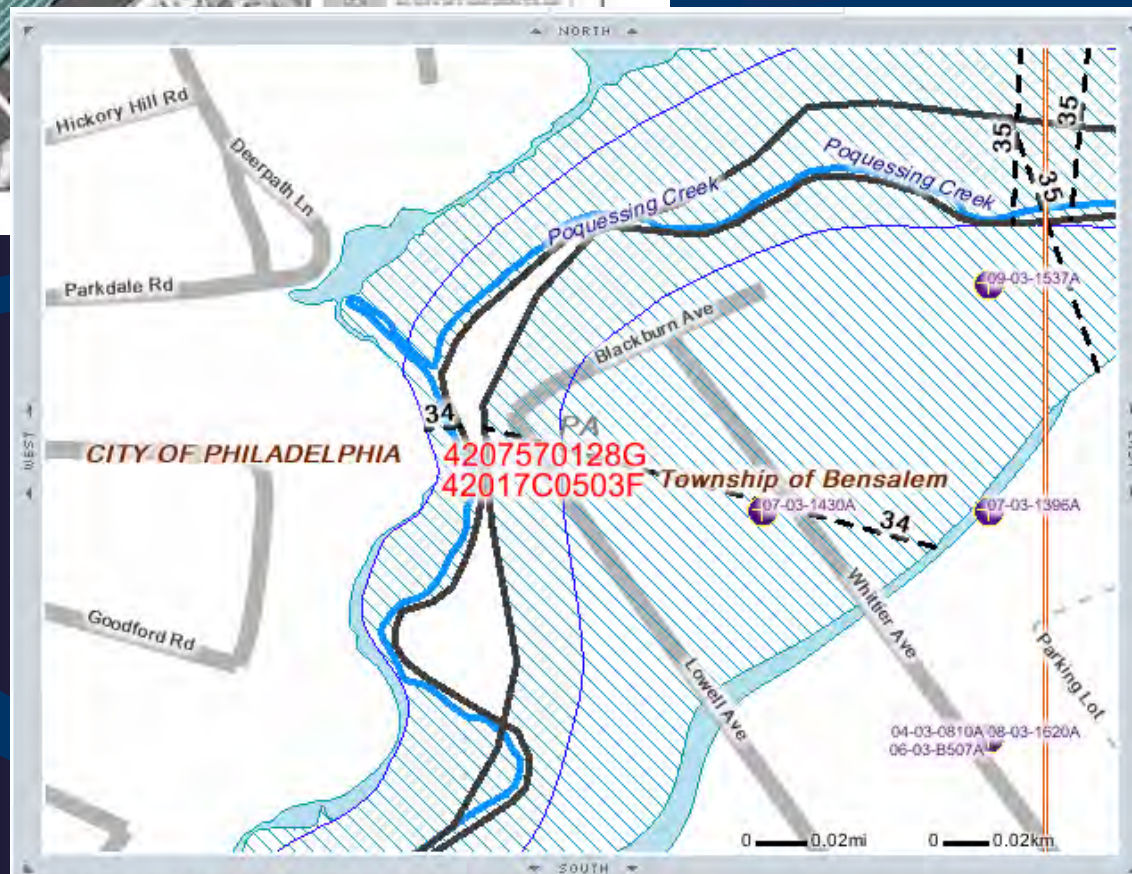
FORM H - PROPOSED STORM WATER COLLECTION FACILITIES



WATERSHED	FORM COMPLETED BY	DEFINITION
Name: _____	Name: _____	FLOOD HAZARD AREA: A NORMALLY DRY LAND AREA THAT HAS BEEN OR IS SUSCEPTABLE TO BEING INUNDATED BY THE 100-YEAR FLOOD.
Municipality: _____	Telephone: _____	
County: _____	Date: _____	
For County Use:		

Map ID No.	TYPE OF DEVELOPMENT	Year Built	Contact Person Name, Address and Phone	Comments
I -				
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Form I - Development in the flood hazard area.



Road data from 1984-2008 TeleAtlas, Rel. 05/2007

Refresh Map

Legend Identify

- Flood Data
 - FEMA Boundaries
 - National Flood Hazard Layer
 - Political Jurisdictions
 - Water Body
 - PLSS Sections
 - PLSS Township Range Lines
 - River Distance Markers
 - Streams
 - DFIRM Streets
 - PRIMARY ROAD
 - SECONDARY ROAD
 - UNDEFINED RAILROAD
 - UNDEFINED ROAD
 - Floodways
 - Flood Hazard Zone Boundari

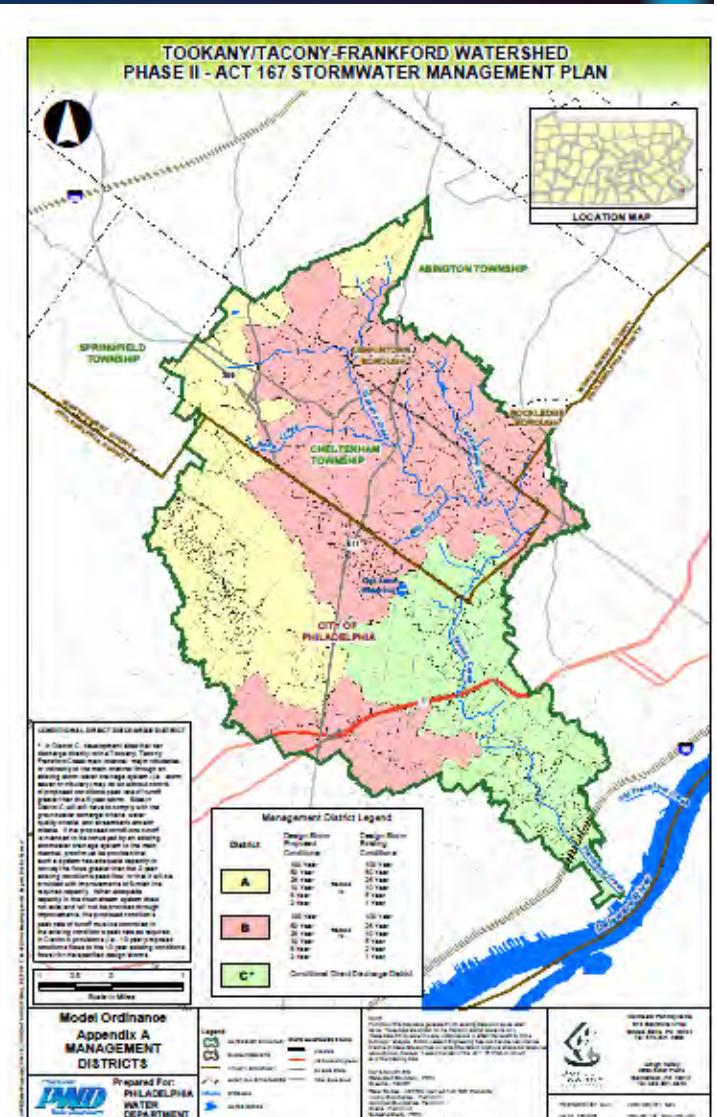
FORM J - WATER QUALITY PROBLEM AREAS

Dec-81	WATER QUALITY PROBLEM AREAS FORM J. SHEET _____ OF _____												
WATERSHED	FORM COMPLETED BY												
Name:				Name:									
Municipality:				Telephone:									
County:				Date:									
SITE	J-	J-	J-	J-	J-	J-	J-	J-	J-	J-	J-	J-	J-
<u>Types of Water Quality Problems</u>													
High Community Tolerance													
High Temperature													
High Turbidity													
Hydrocarbon Pollution													
Low Community Diversity													
Low Dissolved Oxygen													
Low pH													
Nutrient Enrichment													
Poor Habitat													
Other/Explanation Line No.													
<u>Potential Cause(s)</u>													
Agriculture													
Construction Site													
Erosion													
Lake Discharge													
STP Outfall													
Other/Explanation Line No.													
<u>Frequency</u>													
Year Most Recent Occurrence													
Year First Known Occurrence													
<u>Source of Information</u>													



Final Products:

- Inventory of detention basins with proposed retrofits
- Inventory of problem areas with proposed solutions
- Final report
- Model Stormwater Mgmt Ordinance



Coordination with the Pennypack Act 167 Plan

(Jeff Featherstone)

Timeline / Schedule

(Paul DeBarry, NTM)



Questions

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Timeline:

Phase II - Plan

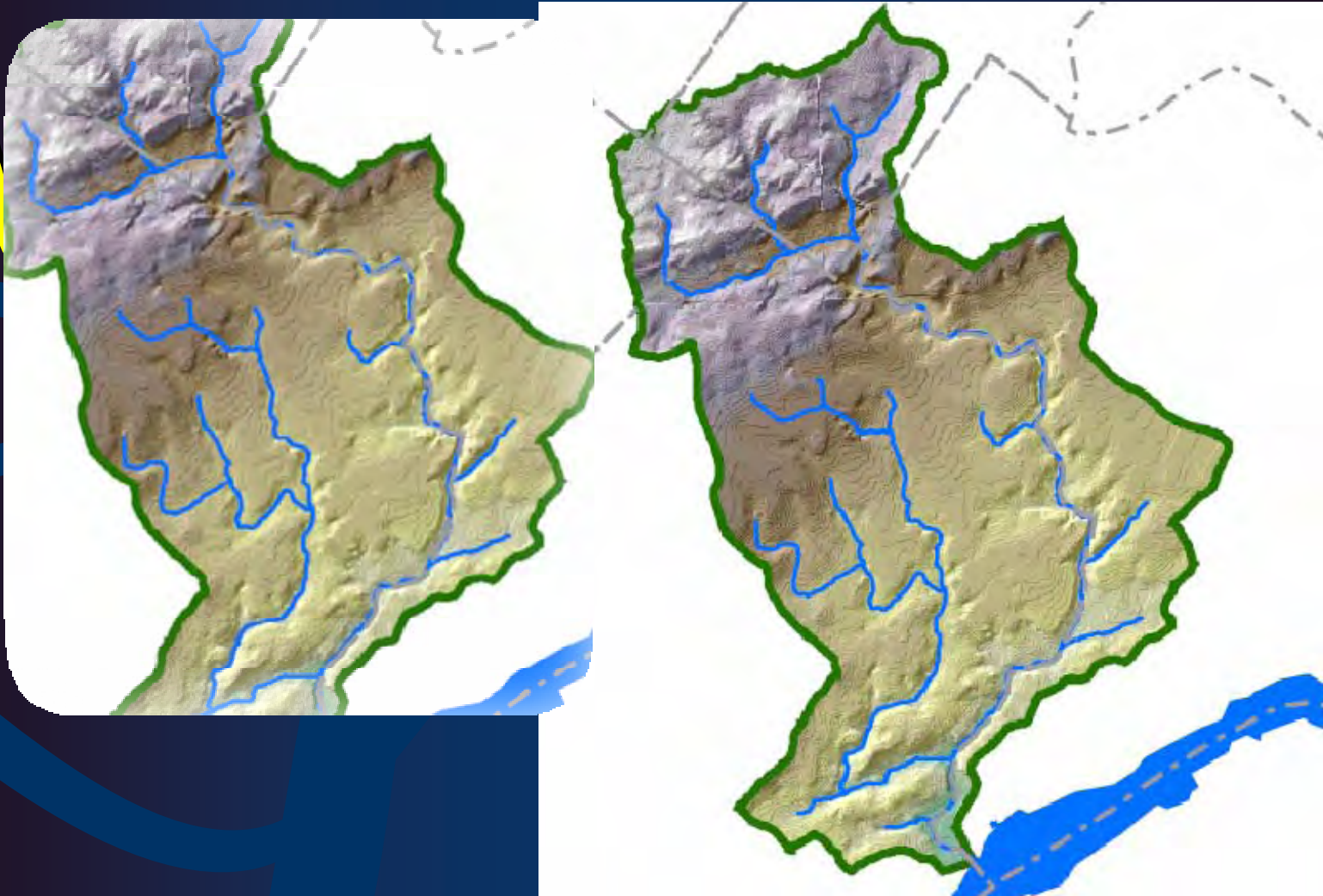
Begin - October, 2009

Sample NPDES Ord. Feb. 2010

Plan Complete June 30, 2011

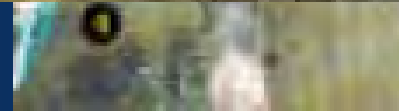
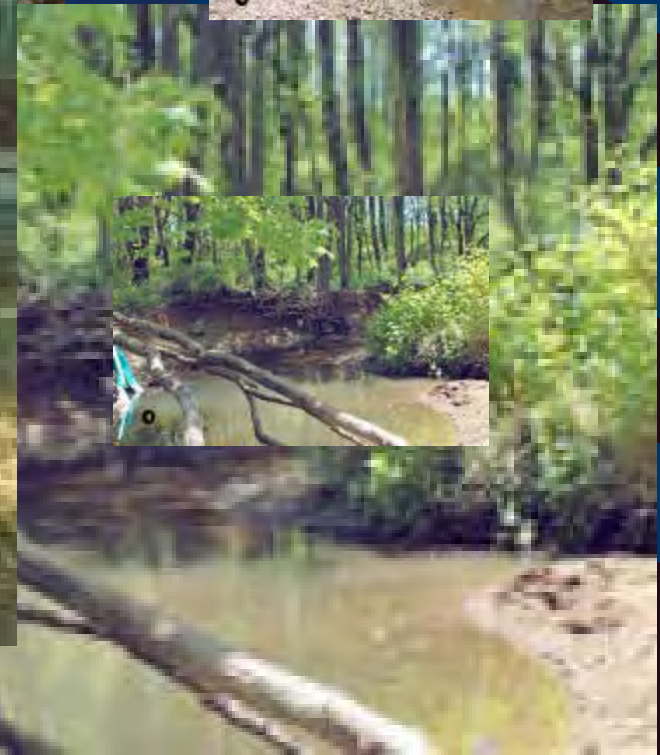
Implementation

Municipalities adopt ordinance
update w/in 6 months of Plan adoption



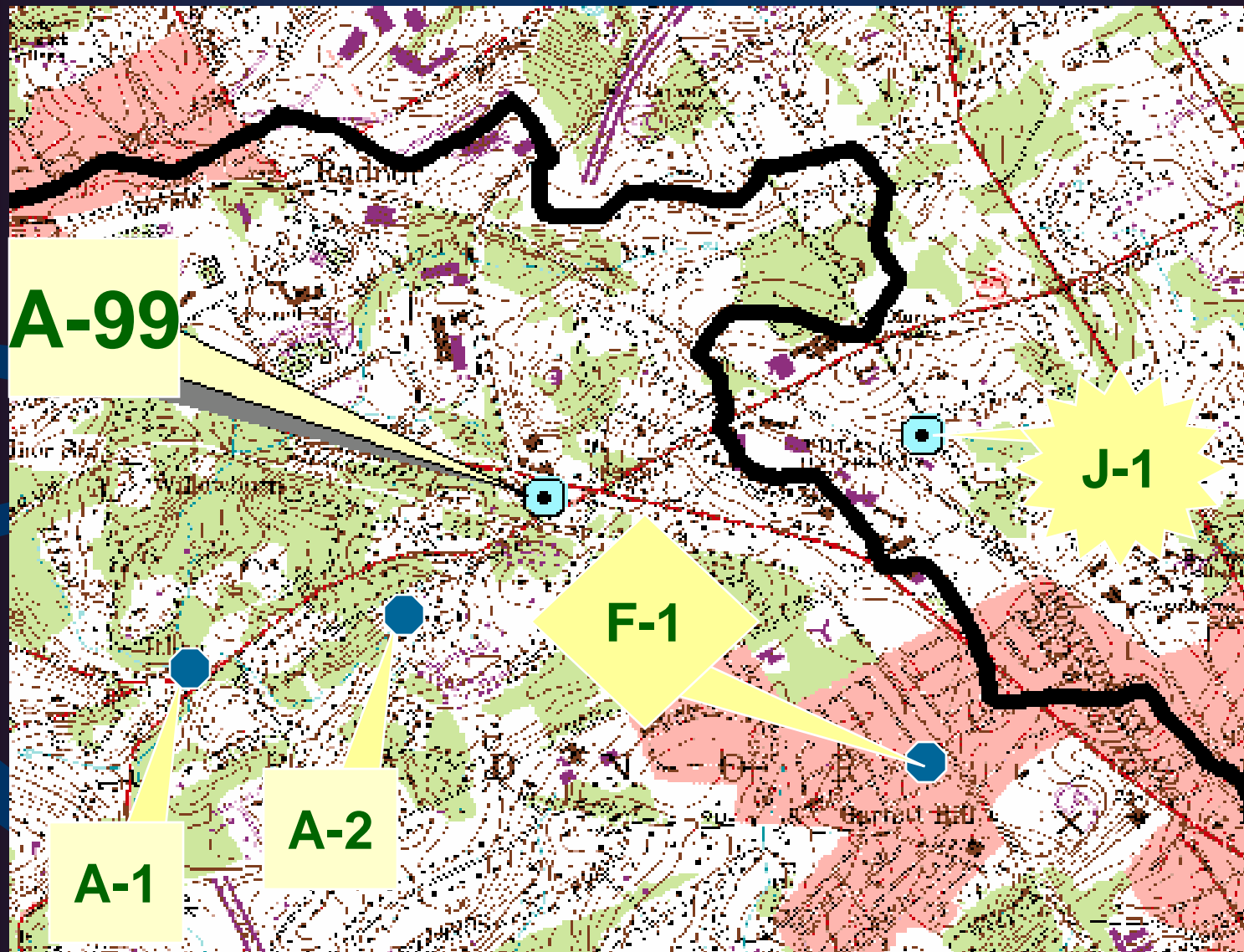
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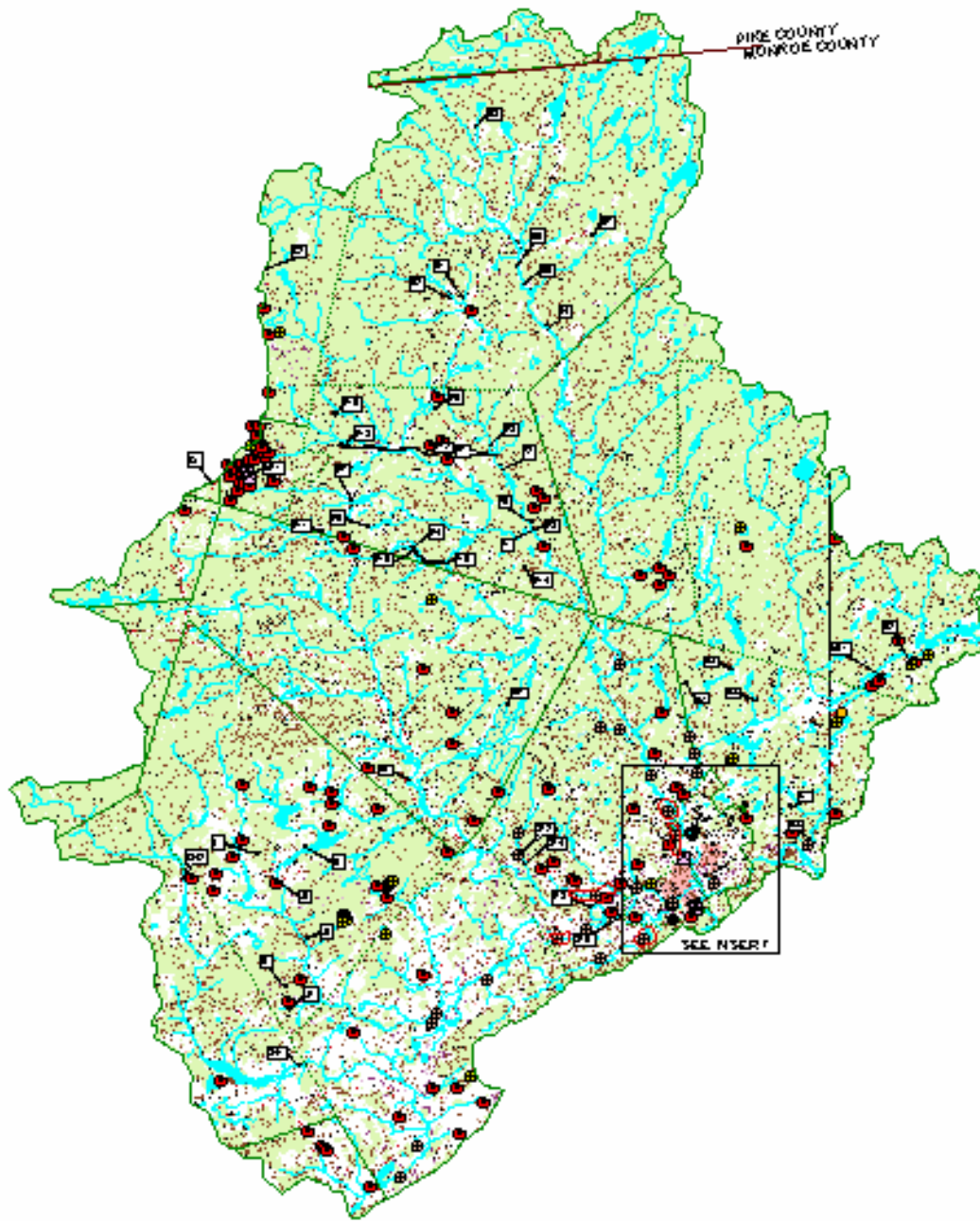















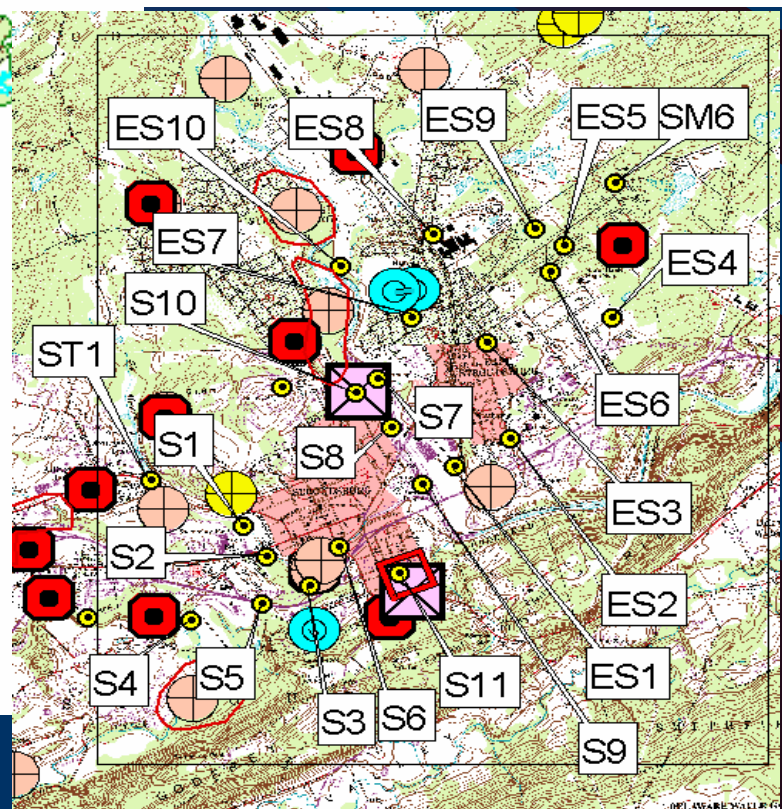
Sample Location of Information from Data Collection Forms on the Municipal Map





Legend

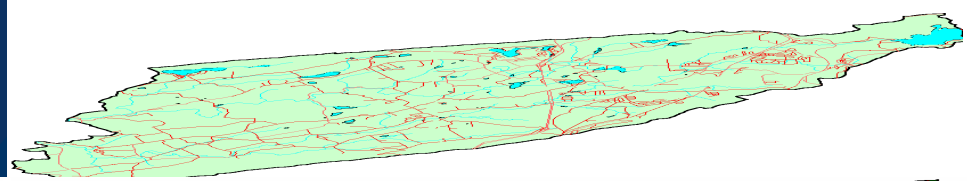
-  Problem Areas
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-  Water Quality Problem Areas
-  Proposed Stormwater Collection Systems



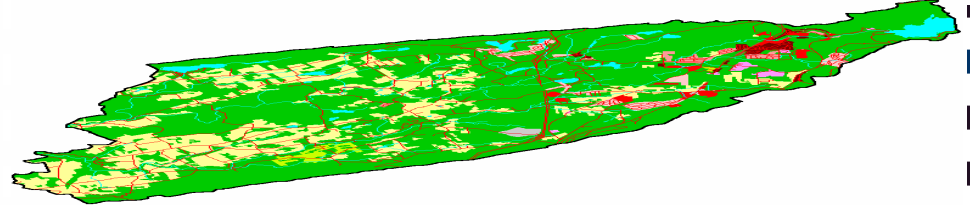
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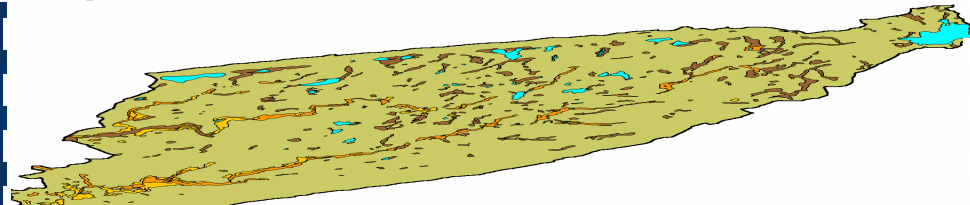
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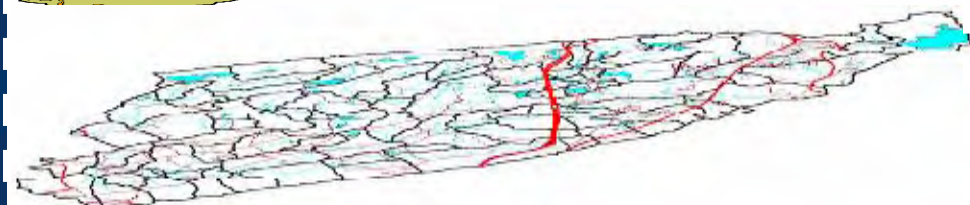
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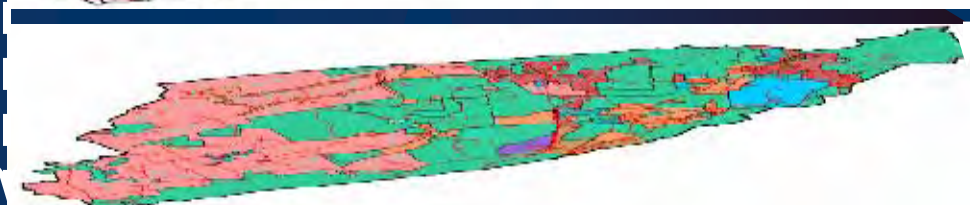
**HYDROLOGIC
SOIL GROUPS**



**SUBWATERSHED
BOUNDARIES**



**SCS CURVE
NUMBERS**



PHASE II - Plan Preparation

- GIS Database Compilation
 - Existing Land Use, Soils,
 - Future Land Use, Obstructions,
 - Problem Areas
- Water Quantity Modeling (Flooding)
- Coordinate with MS4 Requirements
- Develop Standards & Criteria
- Develop Model Ordinance
- WPAC Participation

Poquessing Creek Watershed Report
Section 5
June 25, 2007

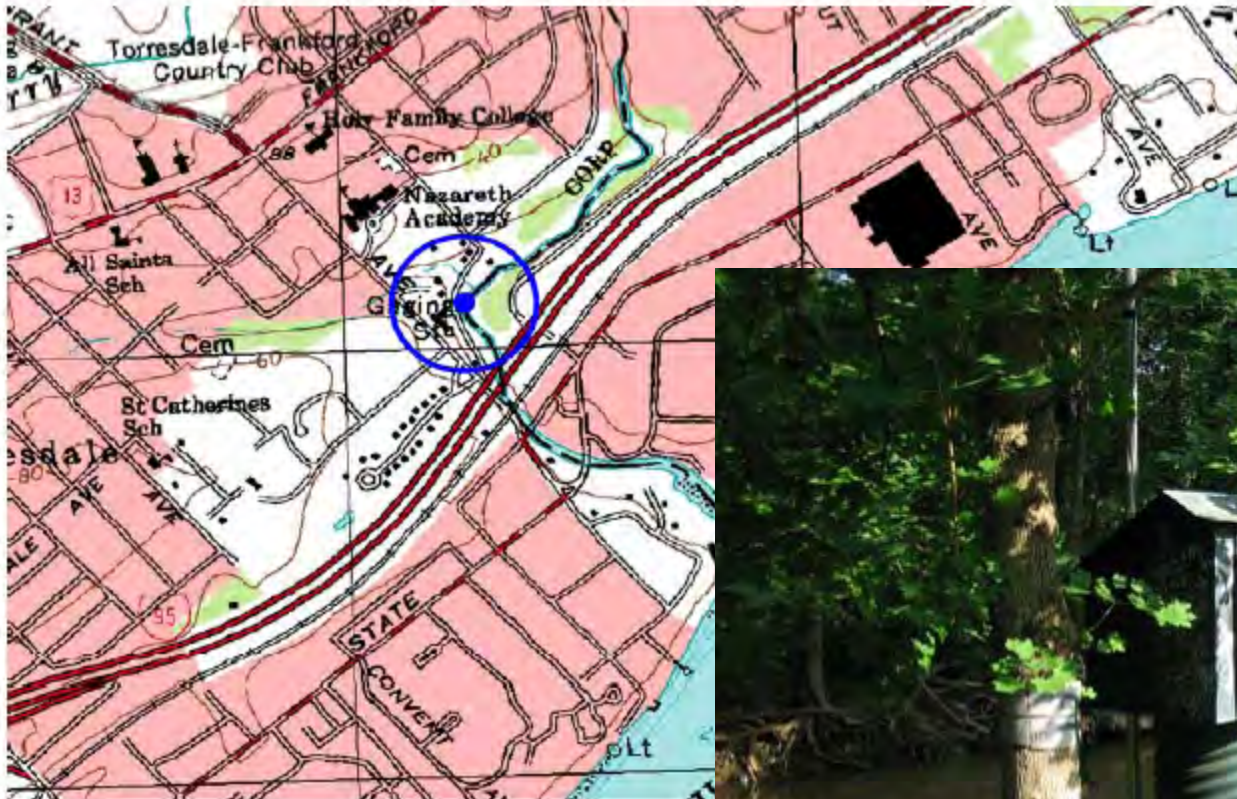











Figure 5-7. Stream Gauge

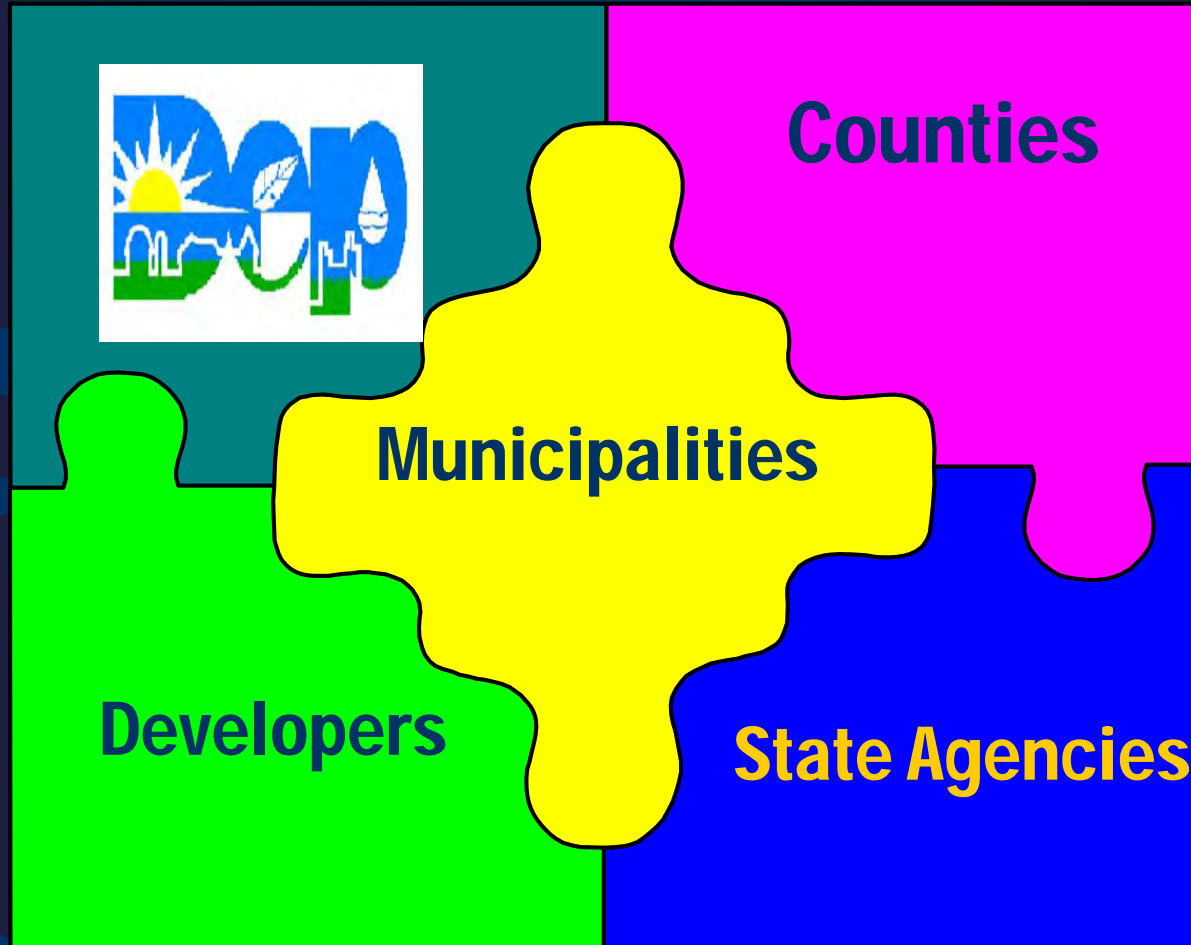


Figure 5-8. Stream Gauge Photo

Legend

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Responsibilities



DEP Responsibilities:

- Advises Throughout the Process
- Technical Input
- Approves Plan
- 75 % funding

Typical County Responsibilities

- Data Collection (flood insurance studies, ordinances, GIS, obstructions)
- Advise on Plan and review Ordinance
- WPAC meetings/minutes
- Administration

Typical Municipal Responsibilities

- Aid in data collection
- Have WPAC representative attend and participate in WPAC meetings
- Model ordinance review
- Adopt Stormwater Ordinance consistent with the Watershed Plan

Municipal Obligation Under Act 167 Program

- Act 167 stormwater plans which provide the post-construction stormwater control standards must be implemented by all municipalities in the watershed
- Municipalities MUST Enact, administer and enforce SW Regulations, within 6 months of DEP Approval of the SW Plans

ROLE OF THE PLAN ADVISORY COMMITTEE (PAC)

- Aid in Data Collection (flood insurance studies, ordinances, obstructions, problem areas)
- Advise County Throughout Planning Process
- Evaluate Policy and Project Alternatives
- Coordinate Watershed Plan with other Mun. Programs / Peers
- Review Watershed Plan Prior to Adoption and Provide Input