

List of Acronyms - Organizations / Programs January 2013

102	Chapter 102 - Clean Stream Law (Erosion Control)
105	Chapter 105
ABACT	Anti Degradation Best Available Combination of Technologies
ACA	Animal Concentration Area
ACT 38	PA's Nutrient Management Act
AEU	Animal Equivalent Unit
AFO	Animal Feeding Operation
AG	Agriculture / Agricultural
AMA	Agricultural Management Assistance Program
AMD	Abandoned Mine Drainage
AMR	Abandoned Mine Reclamation
ASWP	Audubon Society of Western Pennsylvania
AU	Animal Unit
BAMR	Bureau of Abandoned Mine Reclamation
BMP	Best Management Practice
BSWC	Botanical Society of Westmoreland County
CAFO	Concentrated Animal Feeding Operation
CAO	Concentrated Animal Operation
CCD or CD	County Conservation District -- Conservation District
CDBG	Community Development Block Grant
CES	Cooperative Extension Service
CNMP	Comprehensive Nutrient Management Plan
CREP	Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program
CLS	Clean Streams Law
CSO	Combined Sewer Overflow
CWA	Clean Water Act (the Federal Water Pollution Control Act)
DCED	Department of Community & Economic Development
DCNR	Department of Conservation and Natural Resources
DEP	Department of Environmental Protection
E&S	Erosion and Sediment Control
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency
EQIP	Environmental Quality Incentives Program
EV	Exceptional Value (DEP Stream Classification)
FSA	Farm Service Agency
GG	Growing Greener
GP	General Permits
GIS	Geographical Information System
HEL	Highly Erodible Land
HQ	High Quality (DEP Stream Classification)
IP	Individual Permit (Application for Permit to Discharge Industrial Waste Water)
JCWA	Jacobs Creek Watershed Association
K	Potassium

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KWA	Kiskiminetas Watershed Association
L&I	Labor & Industry
LA	Load Allocations
LWA	Loyalhanna Watershed Association
LWVPA	League of Women Voters of Pennsylvania
MAA	Municipality Authorities Act
MAWC	Municipal Authority of Westmoreland County
MEP	Maximum Extent Practicable
MMM	PA's Manure Management Manual
MOU	Memorandum of Understanding
MPC	Pennsylvania Municipalities Planning Code
MS4	Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System
MWA	Mountain Watershed Association
N	Nitrogen
NACD	National Association of Conservation Districts
NMA	PA's Nutrient Management Act
NMEGP	Nutrient Management Education Grant Program
NMP	Nutrient Management Plan
NMPIGP	Nutrient Management Plan Implementation Grant Program
NOI	Notice of Intent
NOT	Notice of Termination
NPDES	National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System
NPS	Non-Point Source
NRCS	Natural Resources Conservation Service
P	Phosphorus
PACD	PA Association of Conservation Districts
PACWA	Pucketa Chartiers Creek Watershed Association
PAF&BC	PA Fish and Boat Commission
PAG	PA General Permit (NPDES)
PATG	Pennsylvania Technical Guide
PC	PA Cleanways
PC/RC&D	Penn's Corner/Resource Conservation and Development
PCSM	Post Construction Stormwater Management Plan
PDA	PA Department of Agriculture
PDG	Permit Decision Guarantee
PDIP	Plan Development Incentive Program
PEC	PA Environmental Council
PennDot	PA Department of Transportation
PGC	PA Game Commission
PI	Phosphorus Index
PNDI	PA Natural Diversity Inventory
PPC	Preparedness, Prevention and Contingency Plan
PSU	Penn State University
RCRA	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act

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RD	Rural Development
ROM	Responsibilities & Required Output Measures
RTC	Regional Trail Corporation
RUSLE	Revised Universal Soil Loss Equation
SCC	State Conservation Commission
SCS	Soil Conservation Service
SCWA	Sewickley Creek Watershed Association
SFI	Sustainable Forestry Initiative
SGPWC	Smart Growth Partnership of Westmoreland County
SMCRA	Surface Mining Control Reclamation Act
SOP	Standard Operating Procedure
SWM	Stormwater Management
TA	Technical Assistance
TCWA	Turtle Creek Watershed Association
TMDL	Total Maximum Daily Loads
TRM	Turf Reinforcement Mat
TSP	Technical Service Provider
USACE	United States Army Corps of Engineers
USDA ARS	United States Department of Agriculture Agricultural Research Service
USDA NRCS	United States Department of Agriculture Natural Resources Conservation
USDA	United States Department of Agriculture
USDE	United States Department of Energy
WC	Westmoreland Conservancy
WCALP	Westmoreland County Agricultural Land Preservation
WCBPR	Westmoreland County Bureau of Parks and Recreation
WCCE/PSCE	Westmoreland County Cooperative Extension - Penn State Cooperative Extension
WCD	Westmoreland Conservation District
WCDP	Westmoreland County Department of Planning
WCDPS	Westmoreland County Department of Public Safety
WCFB	Westmoreland County Farm Bureau
WCIDC	Westmoreland County Industrial Development Corporation
WCSL	Westmoreland County Sportmen's League
WCW	Westmoreland Cleanways
WHIP	Wildlife Habitat Incentives Program
WLA	Waste Load Allocations
WPC	Western PA Conservancy
WPCAMR	Western PA Coalition for Abandoned Mine Reclamation
WQBEL	Water Quality Based Effluent Limits
WREN	Water Resources Education Network
WS	Watersheds
WWIA	Westmoreland Woodlands Improvement Association