

Stream Restoration Credit

A Credit is available for an approved, completed, and maintained stream restoration project. A maximum credit may be granted up to 35% for all IA that drains to the stream. The amount of credit will be dependent on site-specific conditions.

Note: Streambank restoration projects requiring other PA DEP permit obligations may have more stringent requirements than those is listed below.

Requirements:

- Credit Application and \$25 credit application fee
- $\hfill\square$ Signed Operation and Maintenance Agreement
- \Box Operation and Maintenance Plan
- □ Inspection Schedule and Reports
- □ Minimum 100 contiguous linear feet of stream
- □ Minimum 35 feet measured horizontally from the top of streambank.
- Licensed PA Engineer approved stream restoration project submitted to Township
- □ Existing stream channel
- □ Streambank erosion on an actively enlarging urban stream condition before to restoration (i.e., existing problem)

Annual Reporting Requirements

- Submission of all O&M activities and inspections completed over the course of the year.
- Due by June 1st each year for recording purposes.

This credit can be utilized by multiple properties through where the stream channel travels.

Does this project include multiple properties?

If yes, all adjoining properties must complete and fill out a stream restoration credit application to receive credit for the project.





Contact Information	
POC Name:	Phone:
Address of POC:	Email:
Engineer Information	
Engineering Firm:	Phone:
Address:	Email:

Confirmation of Credit Conditions and STA Access Rights

Property owners who fail to comply with annual reporting requirements will not be eligible to receive credits for the property in the subsequent year. If at any time a complaint is received regarding the facility and the Township conducts an inspection where their findings show the facility is not functioning as designed or required maintenance has not been completed, the Township shall revoke credits of the facility until corrective actions have been completed. The Township will then conduct a second inspection and restore the credit if the facility has been corrected and is functioning as designed. Inspections and O&M must be submitted with each quarter henceforth until a year of proper care of the facility has been completed.

A detailed inspection schedule and maintenance schedule shall be developed. The maintenance schedule should include a detailed step-by-step procedure on how the control system shall be maintained to work in perpetuity. Include contact information of the person responsible for the O&M. Inspection and maintenance logs shall be kept and submitted with an annual report to the Township June 1st of each year. All control systems shall be contained within a minimum 20-foot SWM Easement. Access to the SWM easement shall be provided from the nearest right-of-way.

I, (please print name) ________ the undersigned, hereby agree to all conditions of the applicable Credits as outlined in the *Susquehanna Township Authority Stormwater Management Program Credit Manual*. Additionally, I agree that Susquehanna Township Authority representatives may, at reasonable times, enter my property to inspect the property or condition or operation of BMPs. The undersigned hereby certifies that the owner of record authorizes the credit request or has been authorized by the owner to make this applicantion. The undersigned hereby agrees to meet the requirements to maintain the credit.

Signature:

