

## IMPORTANT CHANGES TO THE CHAPTER 102 REGULATION

### AS OF NOVEMBER 19, 2010

1. All projects disturbing one acre and greater of earth will require NPDES permit coverage.
2. Licensed professional oversight of critical stages of PCSM installations is required for final certification. Record Drawings with a final certification statement from a licensed professional, which reads as follows:

*"I (name) do hereby certify pursuant to the penalties of 18 Pa.C.S.A. § 4904 to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, that the accompanying record drawings accurately reflect the as-built conditions, are true and correct, and are in conformance with Chapter 102 of the rules and regulations of the Department of Environmental Protection and that the project site was constructed in accordance with the approved PCSM Plan, all approved plan changes and accepted construction practices."*

3. Fee changes

General Permit administrative filing fee:	\$500.00
Individual Permit administrative filing fee:	\$1500.00

In addition, there is a new fee for the PA DEP. That fee, as stated in the regulation, is \$100.00 for each disturbed acre. A check for that fee must be presented upon application for permit coverage and be made payable to the **PA DEP**. The District does not receive any portion of that fee. We are required to send the entire fee to the PA DEP.

The following link will take you to the new regulation. We encourage you to take the time to familiarize yourself with the new regulation.

[http://www.pabulletin.com/secure/data/vol40/40-34/40\\_34\\_p3.pdf](http://www.pabulletin.com/secure/data/vol40/40-34/40_34_p3.pdf)