

When is an E&S or PCSM Plan and/or NPDES Permit Required Under Chapter 102?

Disturbed Area	E&S Plan Required?	E&S Plan Approval Required by YCCD?	NPDES Permit Required?	PCSM Plan Required?	PCSM Plan Approval Required?
0-5,000 sq. ft.	No , unless in a High Quality or Exceptional Value watershed (or) required by DEP Chapter 105 permit conditions	No , unless required by municipality (or) upon receipt of a complaint (or) required by DEP Chapter 105 permit conditions	No , unless part of a larger common plan of development that disturbs 0.991 acres or more	No , but may be a municipal requirement	No , but may be a municipal requirement
5,000 sq. ft to 0.99 acres	Yes	No , unless required by municipality (or) upon receipt of a complaint (or) required by DEP Chapter 105 permit conditions (or) part of a larger common plan of development that disturbs 0.991 acres or more	No , unless part of a larger common plan of development that disturbs 0.991 acres or more	No , but may be a municipal requirement	No , but may be a municipal requirement
0.991 acres or more	Yes	Yes , unless agricultural plowing and tilling, animal heavy use areas, timber harvesting, or road maintenance activities and required by municipality (or) upon receipt of a complaint (or) required by DEP Chapter 105 permit conditions	Yes , unless agricultural plowing and tilling, animal heavy use areas, timber harvesting, or road maintenance activities	Yes , unless agricultural plowing and tilling, animal heavy use areas, timber harvesting, road maintenance, or stream/floodplain restoration activities covered under Section 404 Federal Clean Water Act	Yes , for individual NPDES permits No , for general NPDES permit unless required by MS-4 municipality

DEP – PA Department of Environmental Protections
MS-4 – Municipal Separate Stormwater System
PCSM – Post-Construction Stormwater Management

E&S – Erosion and Sediment Control
NPDES – National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Permit for Stormwater Discharges from Construction Activities
YCCD – York County Conservation District