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State Water Plan Overview and Workplan

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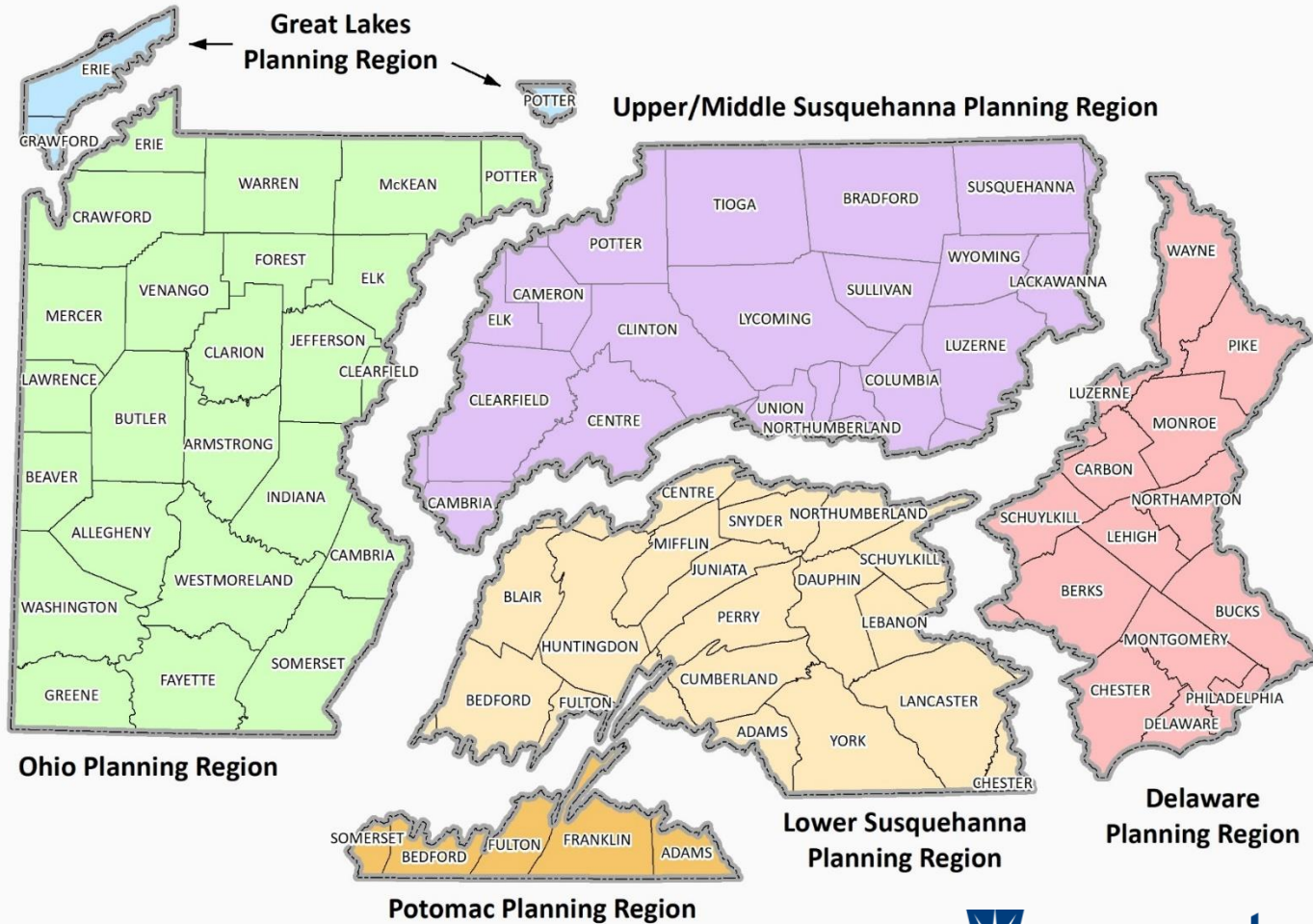
Act 220

Act 220 was passed as PA was exiting a drought in 2002.

Requires:

- Continual Updates
- Water Use Reporting
- Identify Critical Water Planning Areas (CWPAAs)
- Voluntary Water Conservation Programming

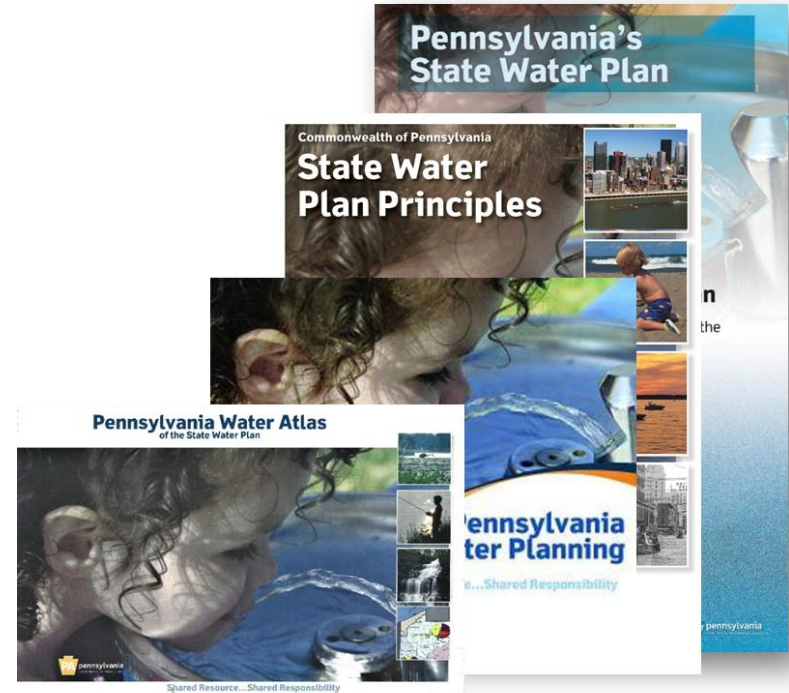
Water Resources Planning Regions



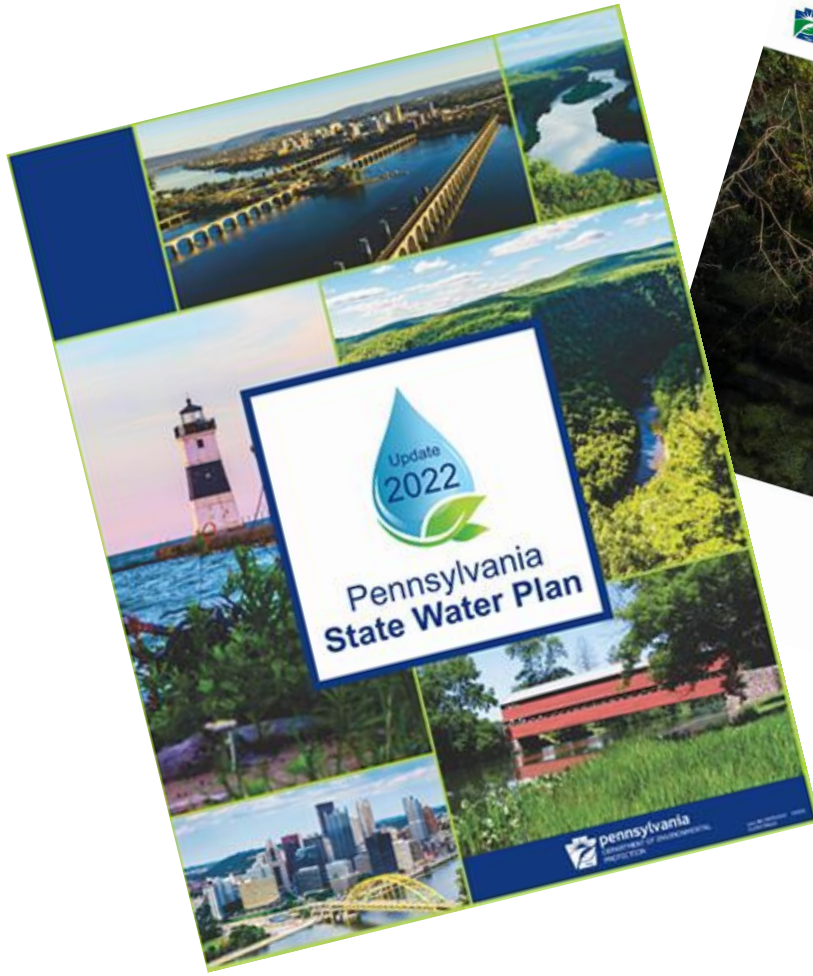
▶ 2003-2009 State Water Plan Update

Outputs:

- Principles Document
- Marketing “Touchstone Document”
- Water Atlas
- Web-based water use registration and reporting



2022 Update



The Digital Water Atlas

Five Year Plan

2023 – Outreach/Recruitment/Review

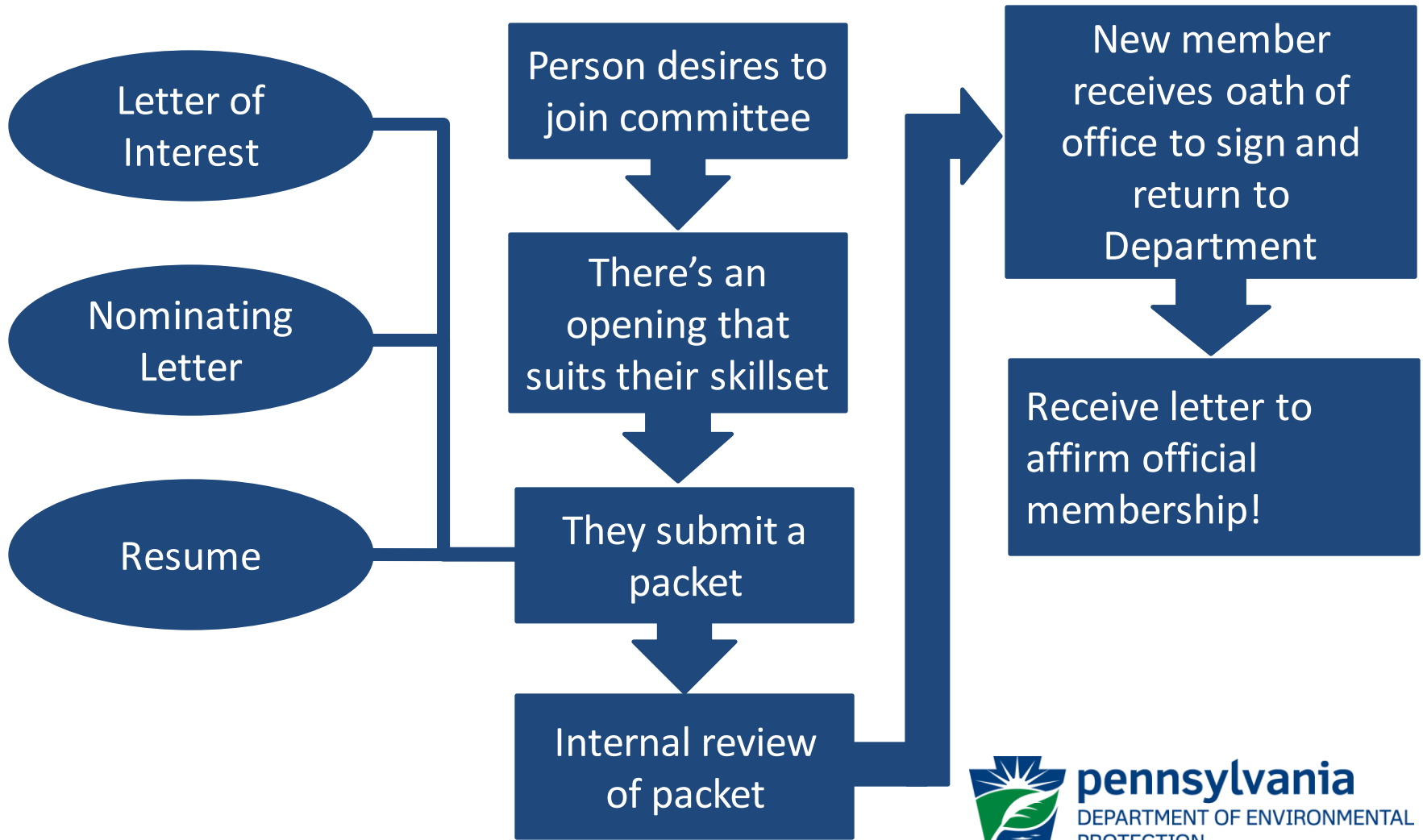
2024 – Implementation/Analysis

2025 – Workgroups/Drafting

2026 – Editing/Compiling/Public Review

2027 – Responding/Final Edits/Delivery

Recruiting New Members





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