

Armstrong, Dustin

From: Armstrong, Dustin
Sent: Wednesday, October 8, 2008 2:32 PM
To: 'William Steele'
Subject: RE: Pump and Treat Discharge

Thanks for getting back to me.

-----Original Message-----

From: William Steele [mailto:wsteele@eastwhiteland.org]
Sent: Wednesday, October 08, 2008 2:17 PM
To: Armstrong, Dustin
Subject: RE: Pump and Treat Discharge

Mr. Armstrong,

We do not allow for any groundwater treatment to be discharged into our sewer system. We don't have the capacity available for this type of use. These treatments can be large quantities and/or long term discharges, so we have not allowed this practice anywhere in East Whiteland Township. If you have any technical questions, our Township Engineer is Surender Kohli at Kohli and Associates 610-644-5591.

Thanks,
Bill Steele

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From: Armstrong, Dustin [mailto:darmstrong@state.pa.us]
Sent: Tuesday, October 07, 2008 1:44 PM
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Subject: Pump and Treat Discharge

Mr. Steele,

The Hazardous Sites Cleanup Program is evaluating approaches for addressing groundwater contamination at the Bishop Tube site (S. Malin Rd.). As part of this evaluation we are considering pumping, treating, and discharging groundwater at the site. We have been advised by our Water Management Program that obtaining a permit to discharge to Little Valley Creek may not be feasible or even possible. We were advised to determine if capacity exists to discharge to the sanitary sewer (with pre-treatment). Last week I attended the Township EAC meeting, which was also attended by Bill Holmes. Mr. Holmes indicated that you are the appropriate contact in this matter.

We are interested in the availability of EDUs for such a discharge. The availability of EDUs may be a driver in considering if pump and treat is a viable option. If it would be an option, our design would need to be built around that capacity.

Please let me know, so we can continue to move forward with our evaluation.

Thanks!

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