

-PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE-
County of Mercer, Pennsylvania
Mercer County Board of Commissioners

MERCER COUNTY STORMWATER MANAGEMENT PLAN

Notice is hereby given that the Mercer County Commissioners will hold a Public Hearing on **Monday, July 12, 2010 at 7:00 PM** in the Mercer County Courthouse Assembly Room on the ground floor of the Mercer County Courthouse, Mercer, PA 16137. The purpose of the Public Hearing is for receiving public comment on the Mercer County Watershed Stormwater Management Plan.

The Mercer County Stormwater Management Plan has been developed in accordance with the Pennsylvania Stormwater Management Act, P.L. 864 No. 167, 1978 in order to maintain or decrease current flood levels by managing accelerated runoff from future development, prevent damage to stream banks, and improve water quality. The Mercer County Stormwater Management Plan will affect all Mercer County municipalities.

The Mercer County Stormwater Management Plan provides the goals and limitations of the study; existing conditions including physical characteristics of the watersheds; a summary of existing stormwater problems and concerns which identifies natural values of the environment affected by or affecting stormwater management activities; a summary of existing stormwater ordinances; technical standards and criteria; a summary of runoff control techniques; a model municipal stormwater management ordinance; and adoption, implementation and update procedures.

All affected municipal governing bodies will be provided with a copy of the Mercer County Stormwater Management Plan. The Plan has also been posted on the Mercer County Regional Planning Commission website at WWW.MCRPC.COM. In addition, copies of the documents are available for review and/or purchase at cost Monday through Friday from 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM at Mercer County Regional Planning Commission office, 2491 Highland Road, Hermitage, PA 16148. The Plans are also available for review at the Mercer County Courthouse until July 12, 2010.

Anyone with a special interest in this matter can contact Dan Gracenin, Director, at the Mercer County Regional Planning Commission office at 724-981-2412 for more information.

Comments and questions on this Plan are invited at the Hearing.

Following the Hearing, the Mercer County Board of Commissioners will consider adoption of the Mercer County Stormwater Management Plan during their regularly scheduled meeting on July 22, 2010, 10:30 AM in the Mercer County Courthouse Assembly Room.

MERCER COUNTY COMMISSIONERS