



STATE OF DELAWARE
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES &
ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL
DIVISION OF WATER
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Surface Water
Discharges

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SURFACE WATER DISCHARGES SECTION FEES

Bulk Storage / Transfer / Pipeline (*one-time fee*)..... \$3,750

Bulk Storage of Liquid Animal Waste (*one-time fee*)..... \$100
(40,000 gallons or greater)

Sludge Permits

Fees listed below for Sludge Permits are on annual basis

Ag Util. Generated In State
Political subdivisions of the State are exempted

Major (Greater than or equal to 200 dt/yr)..... \$6,000
Minor (Less than 200 dt/yr) \$3,750

Ag Util. Generated Out of State
Political subdivisions of the State are exempted

Major..... \$12,000
Minor..... \$7,500

Distribution and Marketing
Political subdivisions of the State are exempted

Generated In State..... \$3,000
Generated Out of State..... \$5,000

Land Disposal

Generated In State..... \$5,000
Generated Out of State..... \$10,000

Sludge Permits (continued)

Fees listed below for Sludge Permits are on annual basis

Land Reclamation

Generated In State	\$2,000
Generated Out of State.....	\$5,000
Sludge: Landfill	\$2,000

Research Projects

Generated In State	\$1,000
Generated Out of State.....	\$2,000

Septage

Major (50,000 gpy or more).....	\$500
Minor (49,999 gpy or less)	\$200

Stormwater Permits

Fees listed below for Stormwater Permits are on an annual basis, unless otherwise noted

Industrial (Individual)	\$2,500
Industrial (General)	\$200
No Exposure	\$40

Surface Water Permits

Fees listed below for Surface Water Permits are on annual basis

Major Industrial	\$9,000
Minor Industrial	\$2,250
Minor Municipal.....	\$3,000

Wastewater Treatment Plant Operator (Board of Certification for Wastewater Operators)

Fees listed below for Wastewater Treatment Plant Operator are based on a per application basis and are non-refundable

Application for Certification.....	\$50
Emergency.....	\$375
Application for Renewal	\$50
Late Fee.....	\$15
Exam Registration	\$100

Wastewater Collection/Conveyance Facility Construction Permits

Fees listed below for Wastewater Collection/Conveyance Facility Construction Permits are based on a per application plus one resubmittal basis and are non-refundable

Wastewater Collection/Conveyance Systems	\$825
Individual Central Sewer Hook-Up Involving a Small Pre-Packaged Pump Station	\$230

Wastewater Treatment Facility (WWTF) Construction

Fees listed below for WWTF Construction are one time basis

The complexity of the treatment improvements or new construction to be undertaken is related to the point system established for classification of wastewater treatment facilities in Section 5 of the State of Delaware Regulations for Licensing Operators of Wastewater Facilities.

1 - 15 Points	\$1,125
16 - 30 Points	\$2,250
31 - 55 Points	\$4,500
56 or More Points	\$6,000

For more information regarding the Surface Water Discharges Section visit our website at <http://www.wr.dnrec.delaware.gov/Services/Pages/SurfaceWaterDischarges.aspx>