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RE: WATER OBSTRUCTION AND ENCROACHMENT PERMIT NOTIFICATION
Water Gap Wellness – Accessory Buildings
Smithfield Township, Monroe County, Pennsylvania

Barry Isett & Associates, Inc. (Isett) hereby gives notice that Water Gap Wellness is submitting a Water Obstruction and Encroachment Permit application to the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection (PA DEP) for a proposed stormwater infiltration basin outfall at 296 Mountain Road in Smithfield Township, Monroe County, Pennsylvania.

The infiltration basin is part of a new stormwater management system, required to accommodate additional stormwater runoff from recent and proposed increases to impervious areas at the site. An unnamed tributary (UNT) to Cherry Creek [25 Pa. Code § 93.9 designated water use protection for cold water fishes (CWF) and migratory fishes (MF)] currently conveys intermittent flow within the project area. The outfall is proposed to discharge to the UNT.

As part of this project, Water Gap Wellness is submitting a general permit (GP) 4 — Intake and Outfall Structures application to the PA DEP for Water Obstruction and Encroachment on the UNT floodway. The project has been designed to avoid and minimize impacts to aquatic resources.

Registration of the GP-4 is being submitted through PA DEPs ePermitting system. For more information, please contact me at (272) 200-2013.

Sincerely yours,

Michael C. Ronco, PWS
Professional Scientist
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