

Construction Authorization

The facility is an existing, approximately 154 acre limestone quarry designated as the Tuscola Stone Company, located in Section 6, T15N, R9E, of the 3rd P.M., in Douglas County, Illinois near Tuscola. Operations include the removal of overburden for use in reclamation and the excavation, crushing, screening, washing, and stockpiling of limestone aggregate. Wash water is re-circulated on site in a closed loop system. Operations result in the average discharge of 0.3 MGD of stormwater and pit pumpage from Outfall 002 to Hayes Branch.

Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan: Authorization is hereby granted to construct treatment works and related equipment that may be required by the Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan developed pursuant to this permit. Discharging sedimentation ponds are not covered under the Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan authorization, unless they discharge to a non-coal outfall specifically identified in a construction authorization under this permit.

This Authorization is issued subject to the following condition(s).

- a. If any statement or representation is found to be incorrect, this authorization may be revoked and the permittee thereupon waives all rights thereunder.
- b. Plans and specifications of all treatment equipment being included as a part of the storm water management practices shall be included in the SWPPP.
- c. Any modification of or deviation from the plans and specifications in the initial SWPPP requires amendment of the SWPPP.
- d. Construction activities which result from treatment equipment installation, including clearing, grading and excavation activities which result in the disturbance of land area must meet the conditions of this permit.