

# 2017 NATIONWIDE PERMITS – NORFOLK DISTRICT REGIONAL CONDITIONS

Norfolk District Regional Conditions  
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# REGIONAL CONDITIONS COORDINATION INPUT

- June 13, 2016 Initial Public Notice Seeking Comments on 2017 Regional Conditions
- Received Comments from Federal, State, and Local Agencies and Stakeholders
- Revised Regional Conditions Based on Comments
- Public Noticed Again on January 23, 2017. Accepted Second Round of comments
- Revised and Public Noticed Final Version on March 20, 2017

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# PIPE COUNTERSINKING – RC #8

Re-establish surface water channel within 15 days post-construction;

Allows for movement of aquatic organisms;

Restores the pre-construction stream flow.

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# RE-ESTABLISH SURFACE WATER CHANNEL



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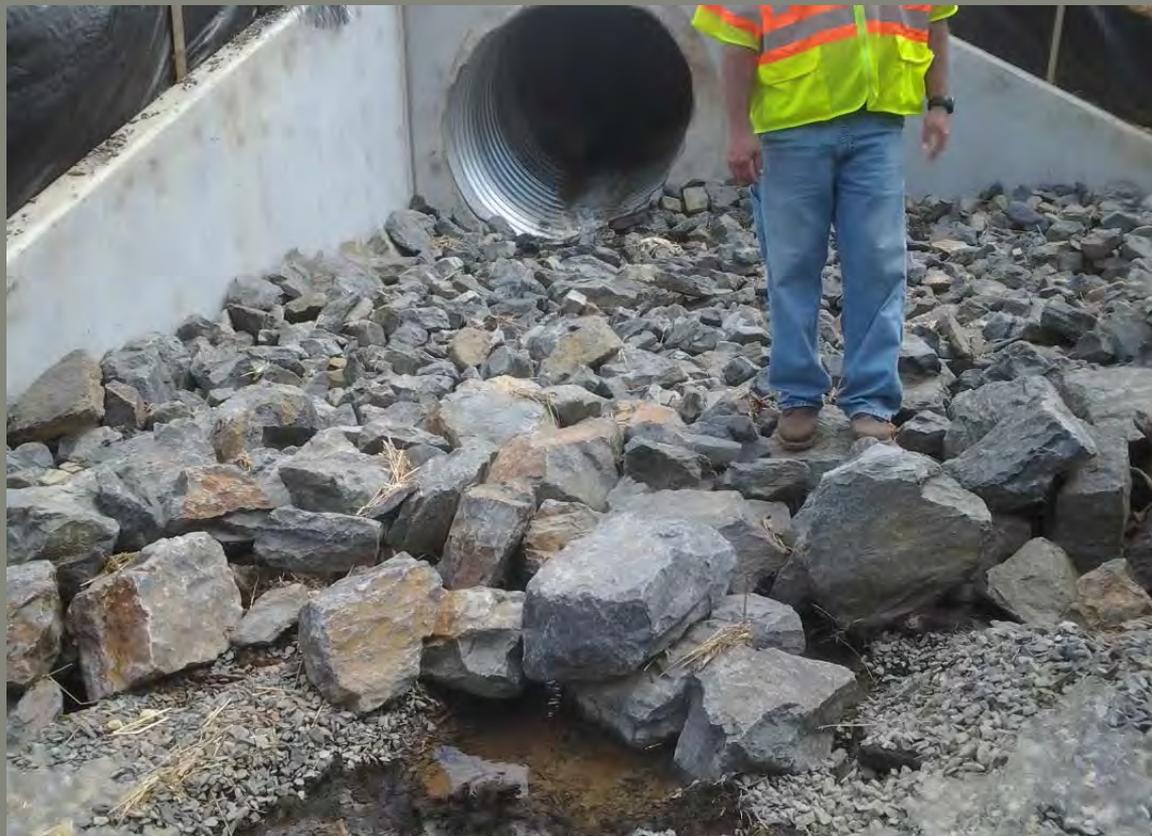
# AQUATIC ORGANISM MOVEMENT



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# SURFACE WATER CHANNEL



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**CULVERTS MUST BE LAID  
SO FISH MAKE THE GRADE**



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# MITIGATION

RC #10: Mitigation plan reqd. when permanent wetland loss  $>1/10$  acre and/or 300 linear feet of stream (unless otherwise stated)

RC #11: If temporary impacts aren't restored w/in 12 months, considered permanent and mitigation may be reqd.

RC #12: Generally, all impacts for transportation projects which require a PCN will require compensatory mitigation.



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# PERMANENT LOSS THRESHOLDS



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# TEMPORARY IMPACTS



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# MITIGATION FOR TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS



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# NWP 12 FOR UTILITY LINES

PCN requires:

1. Map of the entire utility corridor with WOUS delineation;
2. Alternatives analysis with avoidance and minimization and efforts to avoid forest fragmentation;
3. Compensatory mitigation reqd. for permanent wetland conversion;
4. Water withdrawals have intake requirements for fish;
5. Remediation plan may be reqd. for directional drilling projects.



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# NWP 27 – RESTORATION, ESTABLISHMENT AND ENHANCEMENT



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# NWP 29 – RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENTS AND NWP 39- COMMERCIAL AND INSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENTS

Both NWPs overlap with SPGP.

NWP 29 only used for single family residence.

If SPGP is not applicable, then NWP 39 may be considered.



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# NATIONWIDE 48 – COMMERCIAL AQUACULTURE



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# NWP 53 – REMOVAL OF LOW-HEAD DAMS



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# NWP 54 – LIVING SHORELINES



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# WAIVERS



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# QUESTIONS?



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