

Delaware Soil and Water Conservation District



The Delaware SWCD has been appointed by the Delaware County Commissioners to conduct the inspections required for Drainage Review Permits and to make evaluations about what, if any, alterations are necessary to prevent or correct any adverse effects that a proposed new construction may have on existing surface or subsurface drainage.

DRAINAGE REVIEW PERMIT CHANGES

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All changes will be enforced starting January 1, 2024

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All lots greater than 1 acre that are not in a platted subdivision (including CADs) will require a Drainage Review Permit

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A plot plan of the proposed development should be submitted with the application. If a plan is not available, a map will be provided for the applicant to sketch the proposed development.

Development Activity Includes:

- New Residence
- Home Addition
- Outbuilding/Barn
- Deck
- Pool
- Detached Garage
- Commercial Site
- In-ground Solar Installation

Any activity that changes the footprint of the current lot development and requires a building permit.



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▶ Permit Applications must be submitted in person at the Delaware SWCD Office.

▶ Reviews will be scheduled a minimum of 1 week from the date of the application.

▶ Re-inspection, necessitated as a result of failure to satisfactorily complete mitigation requirements, will incur additional fees.

▶ Drainage Review Permit Inspections hold a validity of one year.