

Addendum to the Total Maximum Daily Loads of Nitrogen and Phosphorus for the Upper and Middle Chester River Kent and Queen Anne’s Counties, Maryland

On November 15, 2006, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) approved the “Total Maximum Daily Loads of Nitrogen and Phosphorus for the Upper and Middle Chester River Kent and Queen Anne’s Counties, Maryland,” developed by the Maryland Department of the Environment.

Genovique Specialties Corp. has applied for a permit to discharge within the watershed. This facility was previously known as Velsicol Chemical Corporation and was included in the calibration of the TMDL but not given an allocation. As a result of the permit request, two changes have occurred to the Middle Chester River phosphorus waste load allocations (WLAs). To allow the Genovique facility a regulated discharge, part of the allocation for the Chestertown Foods, Inc. facility, which is located within the same model segment as the Chestertown Foods discharge, was redistributed (see Figure A-1 and A-2). The reallocation does not affect the load allocation (LA) or the overall TMDL.

For detailed information about the allocations to these facilities, please see the revised final point source technical memorandum. The memorandum and this addendum have been made available to the public for review.

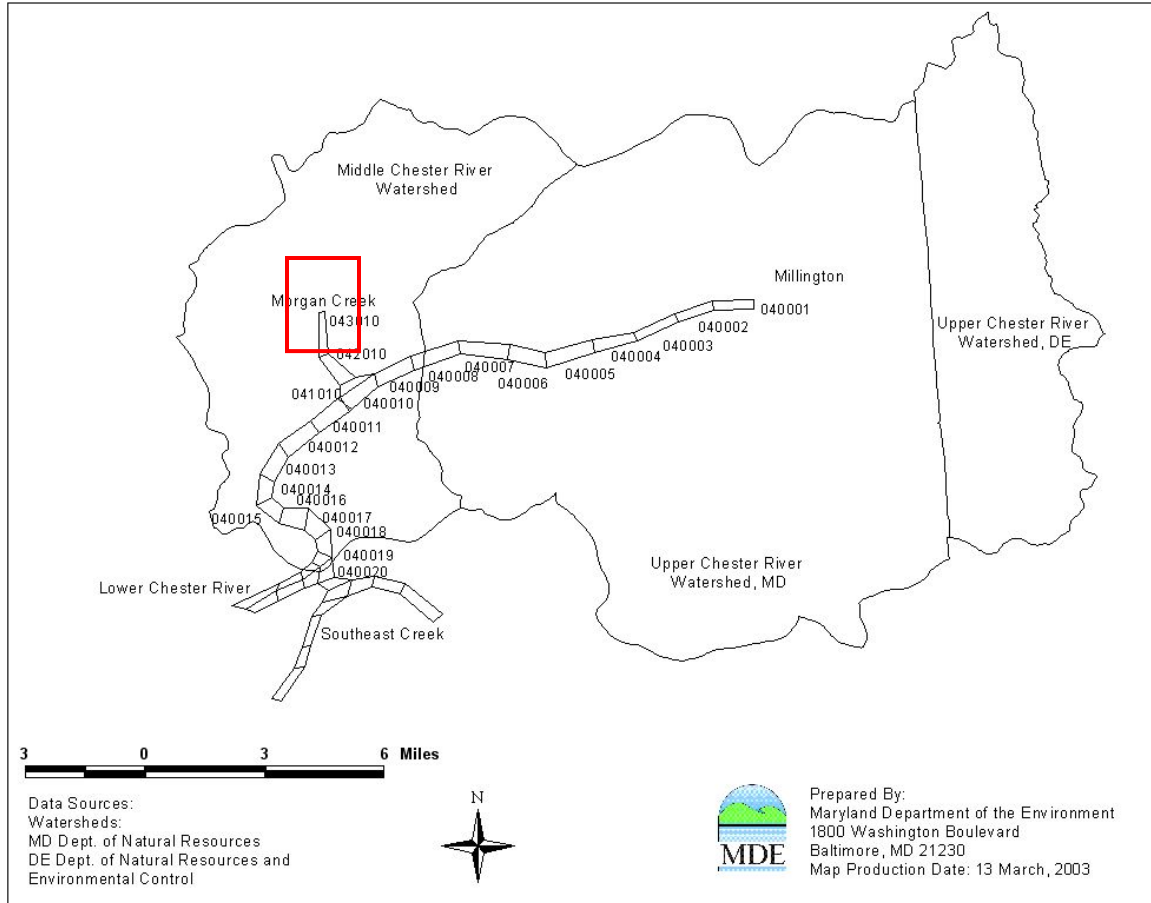


Figure A-1: CE-QUAL-ICM model segments for the Upper and Middle Chester Rivers with the segment location of the referenced industrial facilities highlighted.

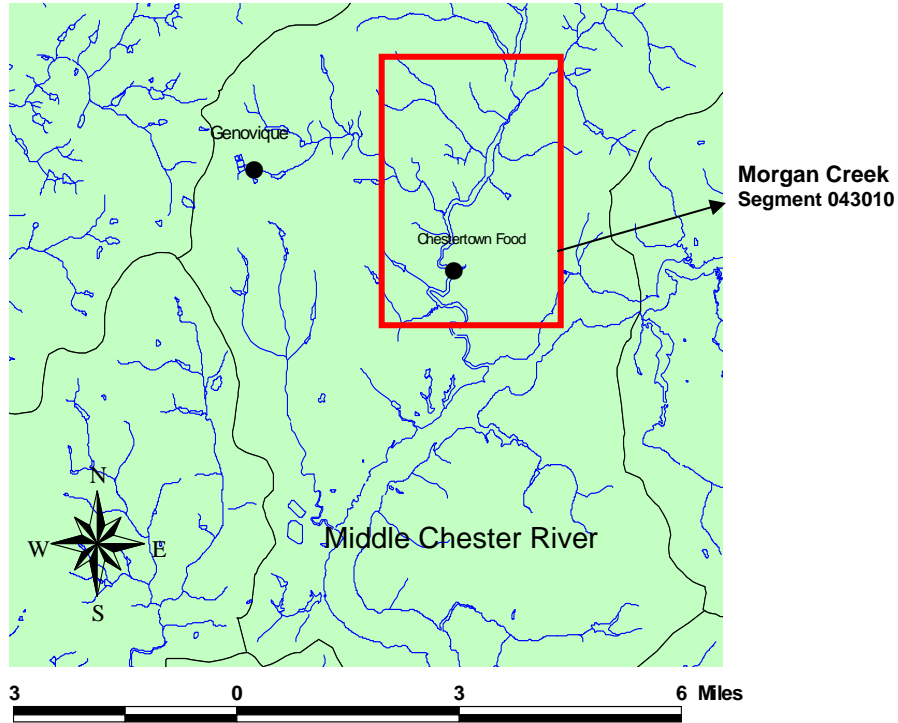


Figure A-2: Location of referenced industrial facilities in the Middle Chester River basin with the Morgan Creek segment.