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MDSPGP-6
ACTIVITY e (4)
Dry Fire Hydrants

The authorized Dry Fire Hydrants activities must comply with the following applicable activity specific conditions, all general conditions of this permit, and any project-specific special conditions.

This activity authorizes discharges of dredged or fill material associated with installation and maintenance of dry hydrants. All work authorized by this activity, including discharges, must comply with all activity-specific impact limits and requirements listed below, in addition to the general conditions of this permit. (Sections 10 and/or 404; all waters of the United States).

Category A Impact Limits and Requirements:

- (i) The total temporary and permanent impacts to waters of the United States, which includes tidal and nontidal wetlands, streams, rivers, navigable waters, and other open waters, are not to exceed 10,000 square feet and/or 200 linear feet.
- (ii) Up to 25 cubic yards of sediment may be removed from the hydrant intake.

Category B Impact Limits and Requirements:

The single and complete project will result in no more than a total 0.5-acre loss to tidal and nontidal waters of the United States, to include stream channel, wetlands, and open waters and the loss of stream channel may not exceed 1,000 linear feet.

Requirements Applicable to Both Category A and Category B Activities:

- (i) Application must be submitted to MDE for Corps authorization.
- (ii) The dry hydrants must be installed for the purpose of providing water for firefighting.
- (iii) This activity does not authorize sediment removal from wetlands or submerged aquatic vegetation beds (documented to exist in the last five years as specified in Section III).

See verification letter for any special conditions that may apply to your specific project.