Manure Management Plan Workshops
March 12, 2019 and March 14, 2019
Delaware County Conservation District

Any farm that generates or applies manure must have a Manure Management Plan. This includes farms that pasture livestock or poultry, those that maintain a barnyard, exercise lot, or feedlot, or those that apply manure to their crop fields. These regulations, under Chapter 91, help keep Pennsylvania’s streams clean.

The Delaware County Conservation District partnered with the Chester County Conservation District to help participants learn the regulations in the Manure Management Plan and to write their own plans. Workshops were held on the evenings of Tuesday, March 12 and Thursday, March 14 at the Delaware County Conservation District.

Topics covered during the workshops included a review of the Chapter 91 Manure Management regulations and guided participants through the process of completing a Manure Management Plan for their own farms. Attendees received a copy of the updated Manure Management Manual, and one-on-one assistance was available in order for attendees to leave the workshop with a completed Manure Management Plan for their own operations.

On the evening of Tuesday, March 12, thirteen landowners with small farming operations in Delaware County attended the Manure Management Plan workshop at the Delaware County Conservation District. Several of those attendees returned on Thursday, March 14 to complete their Manure Management Plan with one-one-assistance from Chester County Conservation District staff.

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