

**U.S. Army Corps of Engineers - Charleston District
Checklist for 2012 Nationwide Permit Review
Nationwide Permit 5**

**Scientific Measuring Devices
(10/404)**

SAC#: _____

Applicant Name: _____

Waterway/Location: _____

Project Name: _____

1. Is the activity for the installation of devices whose purpose is to measure and record scientific data such as staff gages, tide and current gages, meteorological stations, water recording and biological observation devices, water quality testing and improvement devices, and similar structures?

Yes No

2. If the activity includes the construction of small weirs and flumes constructed primarily to record water quantity and velocity, is the associated discharge equal to or less than 25 cubic yards?

Yes No NA

3. Will the measuring device and any other structures or fills associated with that device (e.g. foundations, anchors, buoys, lines, etc.) be removed to the maximum extent practicable and the site restored to pre-construction elevations upon completion of the use of the device to measure and record scientific data?

Yes No

4. Are all of the applicable NWP General and Regional Conditions satisfied, including endangered species, and cultural resources, and if any Federally listed species and/or designated critical habitat occurs in the action area, have you made an effect determination and properly documented it in the administrative record?

Yes No

5. Is the activity located adjacent to an authorized federal navigation project? These federal navigation areas include Adams Creek, Atlantic Intracoastal Waterway (AIWW), Ashley River, Brookgreen Garden Canal, Calabash Creek, Charleston Harbor (including the Cooper River and Town Creek), Folly River, Georgetown Harbor (Winyah Bay, Sampit River, and Bypass Channel), Jeremy Creek, Little River Inlet, Murrells Inlet (Main Creek),

Port Royal Harbor, Savannah River, Shem Creek (including Hog Island Channel & Mount Pleasant Channel) Shipyard Creek, Village Creek, and Wando River.

Yes* No

TO QUALIFY FOR THE NWP, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED, EVERY NUMBERED ITEM MUST HAVE A CHECKED BOX.

* - REQUIRES A PRE-CONSTRUCTION NOTIFICATION (PCN) TO THE DISTRICT ENGINEER. **SEE THE SEPARATE PCN CHECKLIST TO ENSURE THE PROSPECTIVE PERMITTEE SUBMITS THE REQUISITE INFORMATION.** Remember, determination of completeness must be made within 30 days of the date of receipt. If all required information is not provided, the prospective permittee will be notified that the preconstruction notification (PCN) is still incomplete and the review will not commence until all requested information has been received. If the applicant has not received any written notice from the DE within **45 days** of the date of receipt of the PCN, ***the verification is issued by default.***

Reviewed by:

Date: