Why ask emap?

Do you have questions about the environmental regulations that apply to your new or established business?
Do you need help preparing a plan, permit application or form?
Do you want to improve efficiency and trim operating expenses?

EMAP provides Pennsylvania small businesses with the answers and assistance they need to effectively manage their environmental concerns, reduce regulatory risks and save money.

Why should start-up businesses ask emap?

Get the permits and approvals you need. If you are purchasing property or an existing business, EMAP can help identify environmental issues to investigate prior to the sale. Also, setting up your business with energy saving equipment and efficient environmental management can save you time and money in the long run.

Why should existing businesses ask emap?

With today’s complex environmental regulations, it’s difficult to stay informed on requirements that apply to your business, new technologies available and opportunities that could improve your bottom line. Through one-on-one consulting, our newsletter, and training seminars, EMAP keeps the small business community up-to-date on what they need to know.

The Pennsylvania Small Business Development Centers (SBDCs) work with small firms to help them start, grow and prosper. Combining the expertise of a professional staff with the resources of the state’s best colleges and universities, the SBDCs provide high quality business management consulting, information and educational programs that build small firms’ capacities to compete in domestic and international markets.

Pennsylvania SBDC Locations:

State Director’s Office: The Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania, 213-961-1219 www.pasbdc.org
Bucknell University SBDC 570-577-1249 www.bucknell.edu/sbdc
Clarion University SBDC 814-391-2000 www.clarion.edu/sbdc
Duquesne University SBDC 412-396-6233 www.duq.edu/sbdc
Gannon University SBDC 814-877-7232 www.sbdccomm.org
Indiana University of Pennsylvania SBDC 724-357-7915 www.ibdelp.org/sbdc
Kutztown University SBDC 610-683-4723 www.kutztownsbdc.org
Lehigh University SBDC 610-758-3900 www.lehigh.edu/sbdc
Lock Haven University SBDC 570-484-2589 www.lhu.edu/sbdc
Penn State SBDC 814-863-4293 www.sbdcc.ps.edu
Saint Francis University SBDC 814-472-3200 www.francis.edu/sbdc
Saint Vincent College SBDC 724-537-8572 www.svincent.edu/sbdc
Shippensburg University SBDC 717-477-1935 www.shpsbdc.org
Temple University SBDC 215-204-7282 www.temple.edu/sbdc
University of Pittsburgh SBDC 412-648-3542 www.sbdccpitt.edu
The University of Scranton SBDC 570-941-7356 www.scrantonsbdc.com
Wharton SBDC 215-898-4441 whortonsbdc.wharton.upenn.edu
Widener University SBDC 610-691-8490 www.widenerabdc.org
Witwatersrand University SBDC 570-408-4340 www.witwatersrand.edu/sbdc

For more information, please call 877-ask-emap or visit us on the web at www.askemap.org.
How do I ask emap?

There are four ways to request assistance from EMAP:

1. Call the toll-free confidential environmental hotline for fast and accurate answers to your questions and to access other services at 877-ask-emap.

2. Visit our website, www.askemap.org to request information, consulting assistance or a site visit to your facility.

3. Send an email to questions@askemap.org.

4. Contact your local SBDC (see back for a list of SBDC locations).

Is there any charge for EMAP services?

No, all services are offered at no cost.

Are EMAP services confidential?

Yes, all EMAP services are always strictly confidential.