



Municipal connections

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Regionalization - Completing the Transfer Agreement Process

At the May 3 Rivers Wet Weather Working Group meeting, Julia Spicher, ALCOSAN’s manager of regionalization, provided a step-by-step walk-through of how to complete the transfer process. She also reviewed documents required for municipalities to complete their Transfer Agreement binder. Julia’s presentation can be found on ALCOSAN’s municipal data site for reference and guidance.

We are excited to report that 11 municipalities, representing 10 points of connection, completed, signed and returned Transfer Agreements and binders to ALCOSAN.

ALCOSAN currently is managing the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) permitting process for the municipalities. This is the final step prior to transfer.

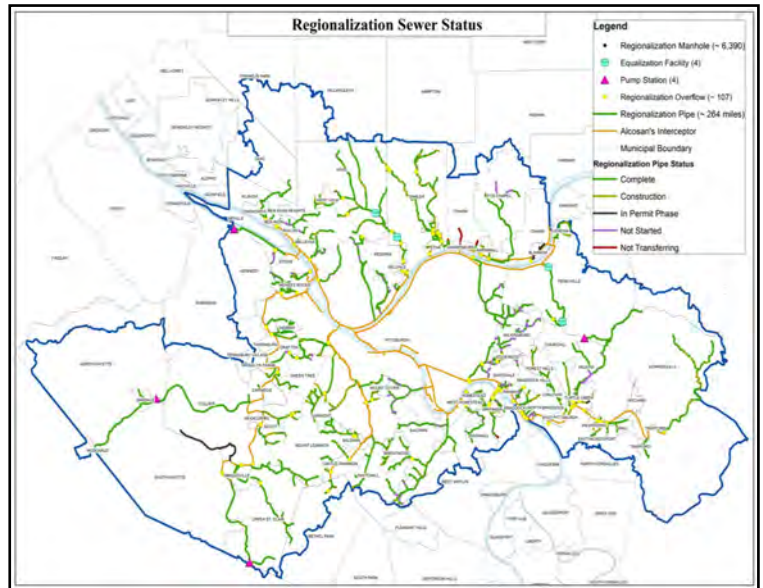
Here are professional tips for completing your municipality’s Transfer Agreement binder:

Provide ALCOSAN with two copies of each signature page with the municipality’s authorized signatory in blue ink.

Pro tip – There is no need to page through sections of the binder looking for signature pages. All signature pages have been compiled in duplicate under Tab 8 at the back of your Transfer Agreement binder. Sign each page under Tab 8.

All Disclosure Schedules have been pre-populated based on information municipalities provided when Regionalization began.

Pro tip – Check the table on Tab 4. If you have documentation that is not listed, provide it to ALCOSAN (Julia.spicher@alcosan.org). If you do not have additional documentation, the pre-populated disclosure schedules only need a review.



Pro tip - Skip Tab 13. The documents in Tab 13 are form versions and do not require any actions by the municipality.

Overwhelmed or have questions?

Pro tip – email Julia.spicher@alcosan.org or call her at 412-734-8749.



Application Reviews

Beginning July, 2022, Tim Prevost, Manager of Wet Weather Programs, and his team will conduct a comprehensive review of Green Revitalization of Our Waterways (GROW) funding applications. The team will rank proposed projects using the program criteria. Then the ALCOSAN Board of Directors will approve selected projects September 22, 2022.



Seeing Is Believing: The Clean Water Plan Moves Forward

ALCOSAN's Clean Water Plan is moving forward using four different strategies:

- Regionalization
- Plant Expansion
- Regional Tunnel System
- GROW Program/Source Control

The Clean Water Plan is being delivered even as we continue our 24/7 wastewater treatment operations.

Stop by virtually to see our progress through photos, videos and related details on our website: <https://www.alcosan.org/clean-water-plan>

While you are on the ALCOSAN website, make sure to [Follow Your Flush](#) to see where wastewater goes when you flush, and how long it takes to get there!

Help For Ratepayers - Clean Water Assistance Fund Available

Eligible ratepayers can take advantage of ALCOSAN's Clean Water Assistance Fund to pay their wastewater treatment bills. ALCOSAN increased the award amount to \$40 per quarter. Application details are available through Dollar Energy Fund, www.dollarenergy.org, or call 1-888-282-6816. More details are available on ALCOSAN's website, <https://www.alcosan.org/our-customers/bill-pay-assistance>.



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Meet Professor Paul Klein, New ALCOSAN Board Member

Mr. Klein has served District 11 on County Council since 2015. A clinical associate professor at the University of Pittsburgh, he teaches business courses at the Joseph M. Katz Graduate School of Business and the College of Business Administration.



Prior to joining Pitt in 2016, he was a faculty member of Duquesne University's Palumbo/Donahue School of Business, where he also served on the university's Grievance Board and on the Honor's College Advisory Board.

Earlier, he was a financial adviser for an investment banking company and mediator for the Pittsburgh Commission on Human Relations.

"In my short time as an ALCOSAN Board member I have come to more fully appreciate the work of this essential organization," said Mr. Klein. "To say that the work that ALCOSAN does is important is an understatement. The work of ALCOSAN is life sustaining and is performed by professionals with a keen understanding of their accountabilities to a broad spectrum of stakeholders."

Mr. Klein is a member of ALCOSAN's Green Committee. His ALCOSAN Board term expires Dec. 31, 2023. He joins Sylvia Wilson, Chairperson; Shannah Tharp-Gilliam, Vice Chairperson; Harry A. Readshaw, Treasurer; Corey O'Connor; Representative Emily Kinkead and Jack Shea.

Save the Date for ALCOSAN's Award-Winning Annual OPEN HOUSE



Saturday, September 10, 2022 - 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.