

#### 10/7/14 Shallow Gas Well Brine Release:

On October 7<sup>th</sup>, 2014 an MAWC Caretaker at the MAWC Beaver Run property was mowing grass near the shallow gas well located adjacent to the Carbon Feed building on route 380 when he noticed a wet patch of grass emanating from the Well Tank. He noticed a slight leak from one of the valves on the holding tank and reported the leak to Penneco, who then sent out a repair crew to inspect and fix the leak. From the look and size of the leak, the brine was leaking slowly from the tank, and could not have been a very large volume (perhaps a Gallon or so total).

The Penneco repair crew came, drained the tank of its contents and hand excavated the small area where the leak occurred. It is not suspected that the leak ever made it into the nearby Beaver Run creek. This area is below the Beaver Run Dam and therefore does influence the water supply intake.