The Wissahickon Creek watershed lies within the larger Wissahickon Creek watershed. The Wissahickon Creek watershed covers a much larger area of 64 square miles, and is comprised of fifteen (15) municipalities in Montgomery County and the City of Philadelphia.

Watershed Area (In County):
25,866.00 acres
Stream Length (In County):
59.00 miles
2015 Impervious Cover (In County):
6,004.00 acres; 23%

Contributing Municipalities
- Lower Gwynedd Township
- Whitpain Township
- Upper Dublin Township
- Ambler Borough
- Whitemarsh Township
- Horsham Township
- Abington Township
- Montgomery Township
- Lansdale Borough
- Upper Gwynedd Township
- North Wales Borough
- Worcester Township
- Springfield Township
- Cheltenham Township

Associated Organizations & Agencies
Key Watershed Documents

An Act 167 Stormwater Management Plan was completed for the Wissahickon Creek Watershed in 2014 under the leadership of the Center of Sustainable Communities at Temple University and NTM Engineering. tell me more

A draft Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) was established in May 2015 for the Wissahickon Creek Watershed related to phosphorous. In response the Wissahickon Watershed communities established a partnership and development the Wissahickon Water Quality Improvement Plan submitted to EPA/DEP in September 2019. tell me more

Key Watershed Maps

Major Waterbodies in Mainstem Wissahickon Creek Watershed Within Montgomery County

Major Tributaries

- Sunny Brook
- Lorraine Run
- Prophecy Creek
- Stuart Farm Creek
- Tannery Run
- Rose Valley Run
- Willow Run
- Trewellyn Creek
- Penllyn Creek
- Haines-Dittingers Creek