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Cape May County, New Jersey

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(SPPP)

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LOWER TOWNSHIP

STORMWATER POLLUTION PREVENTION PLAN (SPPP)

1.0 INTRODUCTION

1.1 BACKGROUND AND AUTHORIZATION

In December 1999 the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) issued Phase II Stormwater Rules to address pollutants entering municipal separate storm sewer systems, also referred to as “MS4s”. To comply with USEPA requirements and goals of the stormwater program, the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP) developed the Municipal Stormwater Regulation Program which regulates all 566 Municipalities within the State.

As a result of the statewide Municipal Stormwater Regulation Program, Lower Township was issued a Tier A Municipal Stormwater General Permit. The NJPDES permit number unique to Lower Township is NJG0151092, with an “Effective Date of Permit Authorization” (EDPA) of 04/01/2004. The NJDEP has renewed the Tier A Municipal Stormwater General Permit for Lower Township with a new EDPA of January 1, 2018. The General Permit has mandatory elements that must be implemented to avoid possible enforcement action and penalties from the State. The General Permit required that the Township prepare a Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SPPP). The SPPP documents the SPPP team member assignments, scopes of activities, schedules, and completion dates of tasks necessary to meet permit mandated Statewide Basic Requirements (SBRs). The SBRs were developed by NJDEP for prevention of nonpoint-source stormwater pollution in order to improve the quality of our surface and ground waters, the health of our ecosystems, and ultimately the quality of our lives.

1.2 PURPOSE OF THE SPPP

Tier A Municipalities are required to develop, implement, and enforce a Stormwater Management Program to satisfy the appropriate water quality requirements of the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Phase II rule of the Federal Clean Water Act and the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, Division of Watershed Management, Municipal Stormwater Regulation Program. The Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SPPP) describes the Tier A Municipalities stormwater program and serves as a mechanism for implementation of the Statewide Basic Requirements (SBR). The SPPP addresses stormwater quality issues related to new development, redevelopment, and existing development. The SPPP includes, at a minimum, all of the information and items identified in Attachment A of the Township’s Tier A Municipal Stormwater General Permit, which is included in Appendix A of this SPPP.

The Township of Lower shall review the items identified in Forms 1 through 15 and implement the SPPP in accordance with the requirements specified in Part IV.F.1.c of the latest issued permit. A renewal of the Tier A Municipal Stormwater General Permit was issued by the NJDEP on December 08, 2017 with an effective date of January 1, 2018. Therefore, the EDPA for the latest issued Authorization To Discharge for the Tier A Permit is January 1, 2018 with an expiration date for the current Tier A Permit of December 31, 2022. The SPPP shall be signed, dated and be retained by the Township of Lower's Stormwater Program Coordinator. The Township shall certify annually that they have developed, implemented, and are actively enforcing the program. The Annual Reports and Certifications (ARC) for the appropriate items and general permit requirements are stored and filed separately at the Department of Public Works (DPW) office. The Annual Reports and Certifications (ARCs), including the Supplemental Questionnaire, shall be submitted via electronically to NJDEP Division of Water Quality, Bureau of Nonpoint Pollution Control, Municipal Stormwater Regulation Program via the State web portal (www.njdeponline.com). The ARCs shall be submitted annually on or before May 2nd.

Should Amendments to the SPPP be necessary, the amended SPPP shall also be signed, dated and be retained and otherwise treated in the same manner as the original SPPP. The Township of Lower shall retain each previous SPPP for a period of at least five (5) years from the date of the previous SPPP. Additional information regarding the SPPP can be found in Part IV.F.1 of the latest issued permit.

The Township of Lower shall make available the SPPP and Annual Reports and Certification upon request to an authorized representative of NJDEP Municipal Stormwater Regulation Program and to the public at reasonable times during regular business hours.

1.3 REVISIONS TO THE SPPP

In August 2009 the SPPP was revised to update the status of various activities and permit requirements.

In accordance with the requirements of the latest issued renewal permit, this revised SPPP incorporates the changes required by the latest renewal permit. The changes are addressed in the forms for the various permit requirements contained herein. Both the original permit and the two (2) subsequent renewal permits are included in the Appendix. The executive summary and municipal audit contained in the original SPPP have also been retained in this document in the Appendix.

2.0 SCHEDULE

2.1 REQUIRED ACTIONS AND SCHEDULE

The SPPP has a series of required actions over the life of the plan. Some of the required actions are one-time actions, such as adopting an amended stormwater management ordinance, and other actions will require continued attention and/or updating as part of the municipal operations and maintenance, such as annual inspections for outfall pipe stream scouring remediation and inlet labeling. Each required action has a regulatory date for implementation based on the original EDPA or the current EDPA on the Tier A Permit renewed by the NJDEP. The required actions are specifically described on the provided forms, and a schedule for each required action, their implementation dates, and the current implementation status is located on the attached Summary of Statewide Basic Requirements (SBRs).

NJPDES Municipal Stormwater Regulation Program
Summary of Statewide Basic Requirements (SBRs)
Tier A Municipal Stormwater General Permit (NJG0151092)

(Please refer to final permit for details on SBRs)

Statewide Basic Requirement	Minimum Standard	Implementation Schedule
Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SPPP)	Preparation of SPPP which describes the municipality's stormwater program, including details on the implementation of required SBRs. The SPPP shall be amended, as necessary, and amended SPPPs shall be signed, dated, implemented, retained, and otherwise treated in the same manner as the original SPPP. SPPP shall be revised and amended to incorporate additional SBRs, best management practices, and other changes required by the renewal of the Tier A Permit.	Modify and update to conform with new regulations or as needed and shall be done within 30 days of written notification by the NJDEP: Prepared and ongoing
Post on the municipality's website	Post the current SPPP on the municipality's website	EDPA + 90 Days: To be posted on website in April 2019
Post on the municipality's website	Post the current Municipal Stormwater Management Plan (MSWMP) and related ordinances on the municipality's website	EDPA + 90 Days: To be posted on website in April 2019
Public Notice	Comply with applicable State and local public notice requirements when providing for public participation.	Upon original EDPA by 4/1/04: Ongoing compliance
Post-Construction Stormwater Management in New Development and Redevelopment		
Stormwater Management Plan	Adopt stormwater management (SWM) plan in accordance with N.J.A.C. 7:8-4.	Complete 12 mos. from original EDPA by 4/1/05: Adopted
Stormwater Control Ordinance	Adopt and implement stormwater control ordinance in accordance with N.J.A.C. 7:8-4.	Adopt ordinance 12 months from SWM plan adoption by 4/1/06: Adopted
Residential Site Improvement Standards	Ensure compliance with Residential Site Improvement Standards for stormwater management (N.J.A.C. 5:21-7), including any exception, waiver, or special area standard approved under N.J.A.C. 5:21-3.	Upon original EDPA by 4/1/04: Ongoing compliance
BMP Operation and Maintenance	Ensure adequate long-term operation and maintenance of BMPs.	Original EDPA of 4/1/04 for BMPs on municipal property, 24 months for BMPs elsewhere by 4/1/06: Ongoing compliance

Statewide Basic Requirement	Minimum Standard	Implementation Schedule
Storm Drain Inlets Design Standards for New Construction	New storm drain inlets must meet the design standards specified in Attachment C of the permit.	11 months from original EDPA if municipally installed, by 4/1/05. Otherwise 24 mos. from original EDPA by 4/1/06: Ongoing compliance
For each structural and non-structural stormwater measure (e.g. basins), for which an application is made to the municipality after EDPA, the municipality shall complete, update, finalize and maintain a Major Development Stormwater Summary.	Certify in each annual report that Major Development Stormwater Summaries (Attachment D) have been completed and records have been maintained by the Tier A municipality. Records demonstrating compliance with Part IV.B.4 shall be kept or their location shall be referenced, in the SPPP.	EDPA
BMP Maintenance Plans	Maintain copies of all maintenance plans for stormwater facilities approved by the municipality, and make them available to the the Department upon request.	EDPA + 12 Months

Statewide Basic Requirement	Minimum Standard	Implementation Schedule
Local Public Education		
Local Public Education Program	Annually conduct educational activities that total a minimum of 10 points, as identified on Attachment E of the Tier A Permit for approved activities and the assigned point value.	Start 12 months from original EDPA by 4/1/05: Completed and ongoing
Storm Drain Inlet Labeling and Maintenance	Label all municipal storm drain inlets that are next to sidewalks, or within plazas, parking areas or maintenance yards. Coordinate efforts with watershed groups and volunteer organizations and maintain legibility of the inlet labels.	Within 60 months from original EDPA by 4/1/09: Completed and ongoing
Advertise public involvement program(s) pertaining to education and outreach activities	Certify in each annual report that public involvement program(s) have been properly advertised on the website, through a mailing, through newspaper advertisement, or other similar means. Public advertisement records shall be kept with the SPPP	EDPA + 12 Months: Completed and ongoing
Improper Disposal of Waste		
Pet Waste Ordinance	Adopt and enforce an ordinance requiring owners and keepers to immediately and properly dispose of their pet's solid waste. Distribute information with pet licenses regarding the ordinance and the environmental benefits of proper disposal of pet waste.	Complete 18 mos. and ongoing: Adopted and ongoing
Litter Ordinance	Adopt and enforce a litter ordinance, or enforce the existing State litter statute (N.J.S.A. _13: 1E-99.3).	Complete 18 mos. and ongoing: Adopted and ongoing
Improper Waste Disposal Ordinance	Adopt and enforce an ordinance prohibiting spilling, dumping or disposal of any materials other than stormwater into the MS4.	Complete 18 mos. from original EDPA by 10/1/05 and ongoing: Adopted and ongoing
Wildlife Feeding Ordinance	Adopt and enforce an ordinance that prohibits feeding of non-confined wildlife in any public park or property owned/operated by the municipality (except environmental education centers).	Complete 18 months from original EDPA by 10/1/05 and ongoing: Adopted and ongoing
Yard Waste Ordinance / Collection Program	Adopt and enforce an ordinance that prohibits placing non-containerized yard waste in the street, or collect yard waste based on a frequency as determined by the municipality. Non-containerized yard waste cannot be placed any closer than 10' from a storm drain inlet.	Start 18 months from original EDPA by 10/1/05 and ongoing: Adopted and ongoing
Refuse Container / Dumpster Ordinance	Adopt and enforce an ordinance requiring dumpsters and other refuse containers that are outdoors or exposed to stormwater to be covered at all times and which prohibits the spilling, dumping, leaking, or otherwise discharge of liquids, semi-liquids, or solids from the containers.	Complete on or before 9-1-10: Adopted and ongoing.
Private Storm Drain Inlet Retrofitting Ordinance	Adopt and enforce an ordinance requiring the retrofitting of existing storm drain inlets to meet the standard in Attachment C of the permit which are in direct contact with repaving, repairing, reconstruction, resurfacing, or alterations of facilities on property not owned or operated by the municipality (except individual single family homes).	Complete on or before 9-1-10: Adopted and ongoing.

Statewide Basic Requirement	Minimum Standard	Implementation Schedule
Illicit Connection Elimination and MS4 Outfall Mapping		
Illicit Connection Ordinance	Develop, implement and enforce an ordinance, to the extent allowable under State law, to prohibit illicit connections to MS4.	Develop & implement 18 months from original EDPA by 10/1/05: Adopted and ongoing
Illicit Connection Elimination Program	Develop, implement and enforce a program to detect and eliminate illicit connections into the municipality's small MS4.	Develop & implement 18 months from original EDPA by 10/1/05: Completed and ongoing
MS4 Outfall Pipe Mapping	Map all municipal storm sewer outfall pipe which discharges to surface water by dividing the municipality into two sectors for the purposes of outfall mapping.	Map 1 st sector 36 mos. from original EDPA by 4/1/07 Map 2 nd sector 60 mos. from original EDPA by 4/1/09: Completed
Solids and Floatable Controls		
Street Sweeping	In predominantly commercial and/or industrial areas, conduct monthly sweeping of curbed streets, roads and highways (with a speed limit less than 35 mph), and sweeping within one week of any leaf pick up or snow melt.	Start 12 months from original EDPA by 4/1/05 and ongoing: Not applicable & not required
Storm Drain Inlet Retrofitting	Retrofitting of storm drain inlets during road repair, reconstruction, alterations or repaving with inlets that meet the design standards specified in Attachment C of the permit.	Start 12 months from original EDPA by 4/1/05 and ongoing: Completed and ongoing
Stormwater Facility Maintenance	Develop and implement a stormwater facility maintenance program that includes yearly catch basin cleaning and ensures proper function and operation of all municipally operated stormwater facilities.	Start 12 months from original EDPA by 4/1/05 and ongoing: Ongoing compliance
Catch Basin Inspection and Cleaning	Inspect all municipally owned and operated catch basins and inlets at least once every five (5) years and clean those basins as needed to remove sediment, trash, or debris.	Start 12 months from original EDPA by 4/1/05 and ongoing: Completed and ongoing
Outfall Pipe Stream Scouring Remediation	Develop and implement a stormwater outfall pipe scouring detection, remediation and maintenance program to identify and stabilize localized stream and stream bank scouring in the vicinity of outfall pipes operated by the municipality. Repairs shall be in accordance with the Standards for Soil Erosion and Sediment Control in New Jersey (N.J.A.C. 2:90-1).	Start 18 months from original EDPA by 10/1/05 and ongoing: Completed and ongoing

Statewide Basic Requirement	Minimum Standard	Implementation Schedule
Maintenance Yard Operations		
De-icing Material Storage	Construct permanent indoor storage with an impermeable floor for deicing materials. Seasonal tarping shall be used as an interim BMP until the permanent structure is completed. Uncovered sand may be stored outside if a 50' setback is maintained from any storm sewer inlet.	Comply w/ tarping & sand storage requirements w/ in 12 mos., by 4/1/05 complete perm. structure w/ in 36 mos. from original EDPA by 4/1/07: Completed with Shared Services with another party and ongoing
Equipment and Vehicle Washing	Manage any equipment and vehicle washing activities to control and prevent unpermitted discharges of wash wastewater. Maintain a record of where and when equipment and vehicle washing occurs to document proper management.	Start 12 months from original EDPA and ongoing: Ongoing compliance
Fueling Operations	Develop and implement SOPs for vehicle fueling and bulk delivery and implement with the required practices contained in Attachment D of the permit.	Start 12 months from original EDPA and ongoing: Completed and ongoing
Vehicle Maintenance	Implement required practices for vehicle maintenance contained in Attachment D of the permit.	Start 12 mos. from original EDPA by 4/1/05 and ongoing: Completed and ongoing
Good Housekeeping	Implement required practices for good housekeeping, contained in Attachment D of the permit.	Start 12 mos. from original EDPA by 4/1/05 and ongoing: Completed and ongoing
Employee Training		
Employee Training	Develop and conduct an employee training program for appropriate employees that cover the required topics contained in the permit.	Start 12 mos. from original EDPA by 4/1/05 and ongoing: Completed and ongoing
Employee Training	Ensure that individuals that review development and redevelopment projects for compliance with N.J.A.C. 7:8 on behalf of the municipality complete Department approved training once every five years.	EDPA + 12 Months
Employee Training	Ensure that current Municipal Board and Governing Body Members that review and approve applications for development and redevelopment projects complete the "Training Tool" on or before EDPA + 6 months, and by new members within 6 months of commencement of duties. Once per term of service thereafter, Municipal Board and Governing Body Members must review at least one of the tools offered under the Post-Construction Stormwater Management website.	EDPA + 6 Months

3.0 MAPS

3.1 REQUIRED MAPS

The SPPP contains a map of the Township of Lower which identifies the location of municipal outfall pipes for the Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System (MS4s) for the entire municipality. The map of the MS4 outfalls can be found in Appendix F of the SPPP.

SPPP Form 1 – SPPP Team Members

All records must be available upon request by NJDEP.

Stormwater Program Coordinator (SPC)	
Print/Type Name and Title	Gary Douglass, CPWM, Public Works Superintendent
Office Phone # and eMail	(609)-884-0898; gdouglass@townshipoflower.org
Signature/Date	 5/4/2020
Individual(s) Responsible for Major Development Project Stormwater Management Review	
Print/Type Name and Title	Scott MacPherson, P.E., P.B. & Z.B.A. Engineer
Print/Type Name and Title	Shawn Carr, P.E., Township Engineer / P.B. & Z.B.A. Assistant Engineer
Print/Type Name and Title	
Print/Type Name and Title	
Print/Type Name and Title	
Other SPPP Team Members	
Print/Type Name and Title	Julie Picard, RMC, Municipal Clerk
Print/Type Name and Title	William Galestok, Planning Director
Print/Type Name and Title	David Stefankiewicz, Esq., Township Solicitor
Print/Type Name and Title	

SPPP Form 2 – Revision History

All records must be available upon request by NJDEP.

	Revision Date	SPC Initials	SPPP Form Changed	Reason for Revision
1.	2009	MS	Various	Update and Amend for Continued Permit Compliance
2.	4-15-2020	LP	Various	Update for Compliance with Latest Issued Tier A Municipal Stormwater General Permit
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SPPP Form 3 – Public Involvement and Participation Including Public Notice

All records must be available upon request by NJDEP.

1. Website URL where the Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SPPP) is posted online:	www.townshipoflower.org
2. Date of most current SPPP:	4-15-20
3. Website URL where the Municipal Stormwater Management Plan (MSWMP) is posted online:	www.townshipoflower.org
4. Date of most current MSWMP:	6-21-2007
5. Physical location and/or website URL where associated municipal records of public notices, meeting dates, minutes, etc. are kept:	www.townshipoflower.org and/or the Municipal Building
6. Describe how the permittee complies with applicable state and local public notice requirements when providing for public participation in the development and implementation of a MS4 stormwater program:	<p>For meetings where public notice is required under the Open Public Meetings Act (“Sunshine Law,” N.J.S.A. 10:4-6 et seq.), Lower Township provides public notice in a manner that complies with the requirements of that Act. Also, in regard to the passage of ordinances, Lower Township provides public notice in a manner that complies with the requirements of N.J.S.A. 40:49-1 et seq. In addition, for municipal actions (e.g., adoption of the municipal stormwater management plan) subject to public notice requirements in the Municipal Land Use Law (N.J.S.A. 40:55D-1 et seq.), Lower Township complies with those requirements.</p>

SPPP Form 4 – Public Education and Outreach

All records must be available upon request by NJDEP.

1. Describe how public education and outreach events are advertised. Include specific websites and/or physical locations where materials are available.

For the annual distribution, the Township of Lower mails the NJDEP educational brochure to all residents and businesses. The brochure is distributed with the annual notice of taxes. Extra copies of the NJDEP brochures are also made available to the general public at the County library and at the Municipal Building.

An annual local event is held each year at a time and location determined each year and is subject to change, and educational brochures and information are made available at the event.

The Township also has a link to the NJ – Clean Water website on the official municipal webpage at www.townshipoflower.org.

2. Describe how businesses and the general public within the municipality are educated about the hazards associated with illicit connections and improper disposal of waste.

The Township has the codes posted on their official website.

3. Indicate where public education and outreach records are maintained.

The records for the mailings and for public event schedules are maintained on the municipal website and/or at the Municipal Building.

SPPP Form 5 – Post-Construction Stormwater Management in New Development and Redevelopment Program

All records must be available upon request by NJDEP.

1. How does the municipality define 'major development'?

In accordance with Chapter 575-2 of the municipal code, Major Development is defined as any development that provides for ultimately disturbing one or more acres of land, or more than 10,000 square feet of new impervious coverage. "Disturbance" for the purpose of this rule is the placement of impervious surface or exposure and/or movement of soil or bedrock or clearing, cutting, or removing of vegetation.

2. Does the municipality approach residential projects differently than it does for non-residential projects? If so, how?

No. In accordance with Chapter 575-1 of the municipal code, the scope, purpose and applicability for the stormwater management municipal design standards indicates that all site plans and subdivisions for major development for preliminary and final site plan or subdivision review apply, including non-residential major developments and aspects of residential major developments that are not preempted by the Residential Site Improvement Standards (RSIS) at N.J.A.C. 5:21.

3. What process is in place to ensure that municipal projects meet the Stormwater Control Ordinance?

The municipal engineer will ensure that all major developments undertaken by Lower Township will comply with the stormwater management municipal design standards as required in Chapter 575-1.C.(2) of the municipal code.

4. Describe the process for reviewing major development project applications for compliance with the Stormwater Control Ordinance (SCO) and Residential Site Improvement Standards (RSIS). Attach a flow chart if available.

An application for a proposed development project is submitted to the municipal Zoning Officer, and a review of the application is completed by the Zoning Officer in accordance with the time frame as established by law. If the application is denied and requires a variance, the application is sent to either the Planning Board or the Zoning Board of Adjustment for a hearing, and if the application is defined as a Major Development, the Board Engineer for review the application for compliance with the municipal design standards, the RSIS (as applicable for residential development), and for compliance with N.J.A.C. 7:8.

If an application does not require Board approval and is approved by the Zoning Officer, the Township Engineer will review any application for residential development which would not require Board approval yet meets the criteria for a Major Development to ensure compliance with the municipal design standards and for compliance with N.J.A.C. 7:8.

Any application submitted to either the Planning Board or Zoning Board of Adjustment which qualifies as a Major Development will be reviewed by the Board Engineer for compliance with the municipal design standards, the RSIS (as applicable for residential development), and for compliance with N.J.A.C. 7:8.

<p>5. Does the Municipal Stormwater Management Plan include a mitigation plan?</p>	<p>Yes.</p>
<p>6. What is the physical location of approved applications for major development projects, Major Development Summary Sheets (permit att. D), and mitigation plans?</p>	<p>Records are on file with the Planning Board/Zoning Board of Adjustment office.</p>

SPPP Form 6 – Ordinances

All records must be available upon request by NJDEP.

Ordinance permit cite IV.B.1.b.iii	Date of Adoption	Website URL	Was the DEP model ordinance adopted without change?	Entity responsible for enforcement
1. Pet Waste permit cite IV.B.5.a.i	3-16-20	www.townshipof lower.org	Yes	Animal Control, Code Enforcement, Police, & Board of Health
2. Wildlife Feeding permit cite IV.B5.a.ii	10-2-06	www.townshipof lower.org	Yes	Police and Municipal Officials
3. Litter Control permit cite IV.B5.a.iii	2-26-79; Amended 3-16-20	www.townshipof lower.org	No	Building Inspector, Zoning Officer, Police & Health Official
4. Improper Disposal of Waste permit cite IV.B.5.a.iv	3-16-20	www.townshipof lower.org	Yes	Public Works Department, Code Enforcement, Police, & Municipal Officials
5. Containerized Yard Waste/ Yard Waste Collection Program permit cite IV.B.5.a.v	3-16-20	www.townshipof lower.org	Yes	Public Works Department, Code Enforcement & Police
6. Private Storm Drain Inlet Retrofitting permit cite IV.B.5.a.vi	3-16-20	www.townshipof lower.org	Yes	Public Works Department, Code Enforcement, Police, & Municipal Officials
7. Stormwater Control Ordinance permit cite IV.B.4.g and IV.B.5.a.vii	3-20-06	www.townshipof lower.org	Yes	Public Works Department and Township Engineer
8. Illicit Connection Ordinance permit cite IV.B.5.a.vii and IV.B.6.d	3-16-20	www.townshipof lower.org	Yes	Public Works Department, Code Enforcement, Police, &

				Municipal Officials
9. Optional: Refuse Container/ Dumpster Ordinance permit cite IV.E.2	3-16-20	www.townshipof lower.org	Yes	Public Works Department, Code Enforcement, Police, & Municipal Officials

Indicate the location of records associated with ordinances and related enforcement actions:

Records are located on the official municipal website with a link to the municipal e-code and/or at the Municipal Building.

SPPP Form 7 – Street Sweeping

All records must be available upon request by NJDEP.

<p>1. Provide a written description or attach a map indicating which streets are swept as required by the NJPDES permit. Describe the sweeping schedule and indicate if any of the streets are swept by another entity through a shared service arrangement.</p>
<p>The Township of Lower does not own or maintain municipal public roadways that meet the requirement for street sweeping under the Tier A Permit, which are: (1) owned or operated by the municipality; (2) the street is curbed and has storm drains; (3) the street has a posted speed limit of 35 miles per hour or less; (4) the street is not an entrance or exit ramp; and (5) the street is in a predominately commercial area.</p>
<p>2. Provide a written description or attach a map indicating which streets are swept that are NOT required to be swept by the NJPDES permit. Describe the sweeping schedule and indicate if any of the streets are swept by another entity through a shared service arrangement.</p>
<p>All municipally owned, operated, and maintained streets within the municipal boundary of Lower Township meet the criteria for roadways exempt from the street sweeping requirements in the Tier A Permit, as all Township roadways are <u>not</u> in a predominately commercial areas with speed limits 35 mph or less with curbing and storm drains.</p>
<p>3. Does the municipality provide street sweeping services for other municipalities? If so, please describe the arrangements.</p>
<p>No.</p>
<p>4. Indicate the location of records, including sweeping dates, areas swept, number of miles swept and total amount of wet tons collected each month. Note which records correspond to sweeping activities beyond what is required by the NJPDES permit, i.e., sweepings of streets within the municipality that are not required by permit to be swept or sweepings of streets outside of the municipality.</p>
<p>Not applicable, as no municipal roadway meets the requirements for mandatory street sweeping under the Tier A Permit.</p>

SPPP Form 8 – Catch Basins and Storm Drain Inlets

All records must be available upon request by NJDEP.

1. Describe the schedule for catch basin and storm drain inlet inspection, cleaning, and maintenance.
<p>The Township of Lower Department of Public Works has implemented an annual catch basin and inlet inspection, cleaning, and repair program. However, under the latest Tier A Permit, the municipal inlets and catch basins each need to be inspected, and cleaned and/or repaired if warranted, once every five (5) years.</p>
2. List the locations of catch basins and storm drain inlets with recurring problems, i.e., flooding, accumulated debris, etc.
<p>The Township of Lower Department of Public Works maintains a list of known problematic locations.</p>
3. Describe what measures are taken to address issues for catch basins and storm drain inlets with recurring problems and how they are prioritized.
<p>The Township of Lower Public Works Dept has a prioritized list of problematic basins and in advance, during and after each weather event inspects such basins along with taking the necessary measures to ensure function until such time a permanent solution is performed.</p>
4. Describe the inspection schedule and maintenance plan for storm drain inlet labels on storm drains that do not have permanent wording cast into the design.
<p>Although most basins have permanent labels, the ones that may not are still listed by address and area, and the inlets with non-permanent labels are on our list to be maintenance regularly.</p>
5. Indicate the location of records of catch basin and storm drain inlet inspections and the wet tons of materials collected during catch basin and storm drain inlet cleanings.
<p>All records are at the Department of Public Works office at 771 Seashore Road, Cold Spring, NJ 08204.</p>

SPPP Form 9 – Storm Drain Inlet Retrofitting

All records must be available upon request by NJDEP.

1. Describe the procedure for ensuring that municipally owned storm drain inlets are retrofitted.
All capital project involving public stormwater collection and conveyance structures are designed by the Township Engineer with the retrofitting of curb pieces with permanent educational message cast into the top to ensure long term public education and to avoid future labeling maintenance requirements.
2. Describe the inspection process to verify that appropriate retrofits are completed on municipally owned storm drain inlets.
The Contract Drawings for capital projects for the Township with the required inlet retrofitting improvements are inspected in the field during construction by the Engineering Department, and the Contractor is not provided final payment for any project until all proposed improvements are completed in accordance with the Contract Documents, including any proposed inlet retrofitting improvements.
3. Describe the procedure for ensuring that privately owned storm drain inlets are retrofitted.
All new developments are reviewed by The Township of Lower's Planning and Zoning boards for compliance.
4. Describe the inspection process to verify that appropriate retrofits are completed on privately owned storm drain inlets.
At time of cleaning and street sweeping operations by the Public Works Department, if a drain inlet is reported to be non-compliant by the DPW field staff, the public works personnel or code enforcement notifies the appropriate private party for compliance.

SPPP Form 10 – Municipal Maintenance Yards and Other Ancillary Operations

All records must be available upon request by NJDEP.

<i>Complete separate forms for each municipal yard or ancillary operation location.</i>
Address of municipal yard or ancillary operation: Lower Township Public Works, 771 Seashore Road
List all materials and machinery located at this location that are exposed to stormwater which could be a source of pollutant in a stormwater discharge: Raw materials – Not stored or used outside Intermediate products – Not stored or used outside Final products – N/A Waste materials – N/A By-products – N/A Machinery – Trucks storage outside, but other machinery stored within enclosures. Fuel – Located on-site but dispensed from above ground storage tank (AST) Lubricants – Located on-site (waste oil and antifreeze containers) and stored within enclosure Solvents – Not stored or used outside. Detergents related to municipal maintenance yard or ancillary operations – Not stored or used outside Other –

For each category below, describe the best management practices in place to ensure compliance with all requirements in permit Attachment E. If the activity in the category is not applicable for this location, indicate where it occurs.

Indicate the location of inspection logs and tracking forms associated with this municipal yard or ancillary operation, including documentation of conditions requiring attention and remedial actions that have been taken or have been planned.

1. Fueling Operations

Select Township vehicles (municipal, DPW, police, fire, & emergency) fuel at the DPW fueling facility. The facility has a 500-gallon gasoline and 500-gallon diesel AST. All other Township vehicles fuel at the County airport fueling facility. See Appendix C in this SPPP for the Standard Operating Procedures for Vehicle and Equipment Fueling.

2. Vehicle Maintenance

The existing DPW facility has several buildings in addition to the office:

- 1.) A 7-bay garage where fleet maintenance is performed. All vehicle maintenance (fluid changes, minor repairs) is done indoors. Drip pans are used. Spills (if any) are cleaned up using absorbent materials and properly disposed. This building has one bay with a floor drain which leads to a holding tank outside of the building. The holding tank is emptied as needed in accordance with applicable local regulations.
- 2.) A secondary building which houses a Break Room, Sign Shop and Maintenance Shop has no operations which would discharge fluid or have impacts to stormwater.
- 3.) Another (8-bay) garage building is used for vehicular storage.

See Appendix C in this SPPP for the Standard Operation Procedure for Vehicle Maintenance.

<p>3. On-Site Equipment and Vehicle Washing</p> <p><i>See permit attachment E for certification and log forms for Underground Storage Tanks.</i></p>
<p>The Township washes municipal vehicles at the DPW yard, and the washwater is collected and hauled for proper off-site disposal.</p>
<p>4. Discharge of Stormwater from Secondary Containment</p>
<p>N/A – No secondary containment is located within the Township.</p>
<p>5. Salt and De-Icing Material Storage and Handling</p>
<p>Lower Township does not store salt at their DPW yard within the Township. Lower Township uses bags of salt from the County (airport) facility via the County Co-op Program.</p>
<p>6. Aggregate Material and Construction Debris Storage</p>
<p>Lower Township does not store aggregate material and/or construction debris at their DPW yard within the Township.</p>
<p>7. Street Sweepings, Catch Basin Clean Out and Other Material Storage</p>
<p>Lower Township does not store waste material and/or debris from cleaning operations at their DPW yard within the Township.</p>

8. Yard Trimmings and Wood Waste Management Sites

Trimmings / wood waste is stored at the Township's exempt permitted composting site at 2900 Bayshore Road, Villas, NJ 08251.

9. Roadside Vegetation Management

Regular weekly mowing and trimming of Township roadside vegetation is performed.

SPPP Form 11 – Employee Training

All records must be available upon request by NJDEP.

<p>A. Municipal Employee Training: Stormwater Program Coordinator (SPC) must ensure appropriate staff receive training on topics in the chart below as required due to job duties assigned within three months of commencement of duties and again on the frequency below. Indicate the location of associated training sign in sheets, dates, and agendas or description for each topic.</p>		
Topic	Frequency	Title of trainer or office to conduct training
1. Maintenance Yard Operations (including Ancillary Operations)	Every year	SPC with Stormwater Maintenance Video found online at https://njmel.org/mel-safety-institute/webinars/
2. Stormwater Facility Maintenance	Every year	SPC with Video Part I: Introduction to Stormwater Management and Stormwater BMPS and Video Part II: Stormwater Management Maintenance Training both found online at https://www.nj.gov/dep/stormwater/training.htm
3. SPPP Training & Recordkeeping	Every year	SPC
4. Yard Waste Collection Program	Every 2 years	SPC with Stormwater Improper Disposal Video found online at https://njmel.org/mel-safety-institute/webinars/
5. Street Sweeping	Every 2 years	SPC with Stormwater Solid and Floatable Concerns Video found online at https://njmel.org/mel-safety-institute/webinars/
6. Illicit Connection Elimination and Outfall Pipe Mapping	Every 2 years	SPC with Stormwater Improper Disposal Video found online at https://njmel.org/mel-safety-institute/webinars/
7. Outfall Pipe Stream Scouring Detection and Control	Every 2 years	SPC with Stormwater Solid and Floatable Concerns Video found online at https://njmel.org/mel-safety-institute/webinars/
8. Waste Disposal Education	Every 2 years	SPC with Stormwater Improper Disposal Video found online at https://njmel.org/mel-safety-institute/webinars/
9. Municipal Ordinances	Every 2 years	SPC
10. Construction Activity/Post-Construction Stormwater Management in New Development and Redevelopment	Every 2 years	SPC with Stormwater Post Construction Management Video found online at

B. Municipal Board and Governing Body Members Training: Required for individuals who review and approve applications for development and redevelopment projects in the municipality. This includes members of the planning and zoning boards, town council, and anyone else who votes on such projects. Training is in the form of online videos, posted at www.nj.gov/dep/stormwater/training.htm.

Within 6 months of commencing duties, watch *Asking the Right Questions in Stormwater Review Training Tool*. Once per term thereafter, watch at least one of the online DEP videos in the series available under Post-Construction Stormwater Management. Indicate the location of records documenting the names, video titles, and dates completed for each board and governing body member.

Documentation on the completion of the mandatory training videos are kept at the Township of Lower – Municipal Building. Copies of the training sign-in sheets are attached in Appendix E of this SPPP.

C. Stormwater Management Design Reviewer Training: All design engineers, municipal engineers, and others who review the stormwater management design for development and redevelopment projects on behalf of the municipality must attend the first available class upon assignment as a reviewer and every five years thereafter. The course is a free, two-day training conducted by DEP staff. Training dates and locations are posted at www.nj.gov/dep/stormwater/training.htm. Indicate the location of the DEP certificate of completion for each reviewer.

Attached to the SPPP in Appendix E is the NJDEP Certificate of Completion for the Stormwater Management Design Review Course for the Planning Board Engineer for performing stormwater management reviews to ensure compliance with the N.J.A.C. 7:8 stormwater regulations.

SPPP Form 12 – Outfall Pipes

All records must be available upon request by NJDEP.

1. **Mapping:** Attach an image or provide a link to the most current outfall pipe map. Maps shall be updated at the end of each calendar year.

Note that ALL maps must be electronic by 21 Dec 2020 via the DEP's designated electronic submission service. For details, see http://www.nj.gov/dep/dwg/msrp_map_aid.htm.

2. **Inspections:** Describe the outfall pipe inspection schedule and indicate the location of records of dates, locations, and findings.

Concurrent with illicit connection investigations, outfalls will be inspected for signs of downstream erosion and scouring

3. **Stream Scouring:** Describe the program in place to detect, investigate and control localized stream scouring from stormwater outfall pipes. Indicate the location of records related to cases of localized stream scouring. Such records must include the contributing source(s) of stormwater, recommended corrective action, and a prioritized list and schedule to remediate scouring cases.

Concurrent with illicit connection investigations, outfalls will be inspected for signs of downstream erosion and scouring

4. **Illicit Discharges:** Describe the program in place for conducting visual dry weather inspections of municipally owned or operated outfall pipes. Record cases of illicit discharges using the DEP's Illicit Connection Inspection Report Form (www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/tier_a_forms.htm) and indicate the location of these forms and related illicit discharge records.

Note that Illicit Connection Inspection Report Forms shall be included in the SPPP and submitted to DEP with the annual report.

The Flow Chart for Identifying and Illicit Connection, the Illicit Connection Inspection Report Form, and the Illicit Connection Closeout Investigation Form are all included in Appendix D of this SPPP.

SPPP Form 13 – Stormwater Facilities Maintenance

All records must be available upon request by NJDEP.

1. Detail the program in place for the long-term cleaning, operation and maintenance of each stormwater facility owned or operated by the municipality.

The Township inspects and maintains the public stormwater management infrastructure and Best Management Practices (BMPs) in accordance with the Inspection and Maintenance Checklists and Logs found in the Appendix B of this SPPP.

2. Detail the program in place for ensuring the long-term cleaning, operation and maintenance of each stormwater facility NOT owned or operated by the municipality.

In accordance with N.J.A.C. 7:8, all new Major Developments require a Maintenance Plan for all proposed stormwater BMPs, and the Maintenance Plan is reviewed and approved by the Planning Board Engineer for Major Development code compliance. The approved Maintenance Plans for new development are kept on file at the Township of Lower.

For existing development with stormwater BMPs that predate the requirements of N.J.A.C. 7:8 for stormwater management compliance, the Township will attempt to identify the responsible party for BMPs that appear to be non-functioning or overgrown. The responsible party will be issued a notice of violation with certified mail and instructed to perform corrective actions on the apparent noncompliant stormwater BMP.

3. Indicate the location(s) of the Stormwater Facilities Inspection and Maintenance Logs listing the type of stormwater facilities inspected, location information, inspection dates, inspector name(s), findings, preventative and corrective maintenance performed.

The inspection and maintenance logs are provided in Appendix B of this SPPP for the publicly owned and maintained stormwater BMPs, including the Maintenance

Inspection Checklist for Collection and Conveyance Systems, Maintenance Log for Collection and Conveyance Systems, Maintenance Inspection Checklist for Infiltration/Extended Detention Basins, and Maintenance Log for Infiltration/Extended Detention Basins.

Note that maintenance activities must be reported in the annual report and records must be available upon request. DEP maintenance log templates are available at http://www.nj.gov/dep/stormwater/maintenance_guidance.htm (select specific logs from choices listed in the Field Manuals section).

Additional Resources: The NJ Hydrologic Modeling Database contains information and maps of stormwater management basins. To view the database map, see <https://hydro.rutgers.edu>. To download data in an Excel format, see https://hydro.rutgers.edu/public_data/.

SPPP Form 14 – Total Maximum Daily Load Information

All records must be available upon request by NJDEP.

1. Using the Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) reports provided on www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/msrp-tmdl-rh.htm, list adopted TMDLs for the municipality, parameters addressed, and the affected water bodies that impact the municipality's MS4 program.

The Township of Lower has several waterbodies within the municipality with TMDL limits for pollutants, and the larger watershed areas impacted by TMDL limits for Lower Township are Zone 6 of the Delaware River, Atlantic Coastal Water Region, and Watershed Management Area 16.

The following are the pollutants of concern with a TMDL and the associated waterbodies and their watershed boundaries within Lower Township:

Zone 6 of the Delaware River:

1. Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs) – Cox Hall Creek / Mickels Run (to Villas)
2. PCBs – Fishing Creek / Fishing Mill Stream
3. PCBs – Green Creek (Norburys Landing to Pierces Point)
4. PCBs – Pond Creek / Cape May Canal West

Atlantic Coastal Water Region:

1. Pathogens / Fecal Coliform – Lake Laurie (Watershed Management Area 16)
2. Phosphorus – Lily Lake (Watershed Management Area 16)

Watershed Management Area 16:

1. Total Coliform – Jarvis Sound-A, Jarvis Sound-B
2. Total Coliform – Jarvis Sound-A, Jarvis Sound-B, Jones/Stites/Carino/Taylor Creek (J/S/C/T) Estuary
3. Total Coliform – Jarvis Sound-A, Jarvis Sound-B, Richardson Sound-B
4. Total Coliform – Jarvis Sound-A, Jarvis Sound-B, Tributaries Jarvis Sound-A
5. Total Coliform – Jarvis Sound-B

Zone 6 of the Delaware River is the lowest downstream section of the Delaware River at the mouth of the river near Cape May. Polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs) are a class of man-made compounds that were manufactured and used extensively in electrical equipment such

as transformers and capacitors, paints, printing inks, pesticides, hydraulic fluids and lubricants. The concern for PCBs contaminates are the negative impacts to fish and wildlife. There are two types of waste load allocations (WLAs) to be considered for the Zone 6 TMDL. One category consists of municipal and industrial NPDES point sources and the other type is municipal separate storm sewer systems or MS4s.

Nonpoint and stormwater point sources are the primary sources of fecal coliform loads to the impaired lakes. A lake is determined to be impaired if water quality data exceeds the Surface Water Quality Standards (SWQS) or, when a bathing beach is present, if it does not fully support primary contact recreation as evidenced by beach closings in accordance with Health Department standards. Lily Lake is located within the adjacent municipality of Cape May Point Borough, but the drainage area or watershed for Lily Lake extends into the Township of Lower. The pollutant of concern for Lily Lake is phosphorus and could be contributed to overland stormwater runoff from adjacent medium to high density residential development ground cover. The concern for total phosphorus is the nutrient load to the waterbody which stimulates excessive aquatic plant growth and ultimately may result in eutrophication conditions in the lake. Phosphorus is generally the nutrient responsible for overfertilization of inland lakes leading to eutrophication. Eutrophic lake impairments are ranked as Low Priority in the 2002 Integrated List of Waterbodies because they are not directly related to human health issues; however, lake eutrophication is important from an environmental perspective.

The stormwater discharged to the impaired waterbodies through “municipal separate storm sewer systems” (MS4s) are regulated under the Department’s Municipal Stormwater Regulation Program. Under these rules and associated general permits, the Township of Lower is required to implement various control measures that should substantially reduce bacteria loadings, including measures to eliminate “illicit connections” of domestic sewage and other waste to the MS4s. Measures that are currently in effect include ordinances to manage pet waste, prohibit feeding of unconfined wildlife on public property, clean catch basins, perform good housekeeping at maintenance yards, and provide related public education and employee training. These measures are required in accordance with the Department’s Municipal Stormwater Regulation program.

The TMDLs for total coliform for the waterbodies of the Jarvis Sound, tributaries to the Jarvis Sound, Richardson Sound, and the J/S/C/T Estuary are related to shellfish-impacted waters in Watershed Management Area 16. The National Shellfish Sanitation Program (NSSP) has established criteria for indicator organisms that are used to determine support of the shell fishing use. The NSSP sets forth other requirements for restricting shellfish harvest based on shoreline surveys. Where potential sources, such as wastewater or stormwater outfalls, septic systems or marinas, are present, precautionary restrictions are applied. Total coliform data are used to assess the shellfish designated use for the waterbodies in all waters according to the New Jersey 2004 Integrated Water Quality Monitoring and Assessment Report.

Information for this section of the SPPP was obtained from the NJDEP at the above link for TMDL reports. Also, supplemental information can be found for TMDLs at the NJDEP website, and various reports from the NJDEP and EPA were used to prepare this section of

the SPPP. The TMDL reports can be found on-line with the TMDL Look-Up Tool at the NJDEP Bureau of Nonpoint Pollution Control website and found under the link for the Municipal Stormwater Regulation Program.

2. Describe how the permittee uses TMDL information to prioritize stormwater facilities maintenance projects and to address specific sources of stormwater pollutants.

Lower Township does not have a direct MS4 stormwater outfall discharge to the pathogen impaired waterbody of Lake Laurie. The existing outfall into Lake Laurie is an outfall from a private storm sewer system.

MS4 outfalls, stormwater BMPs, and collection systems located upstream of the waterbodies identified above with TMDLs requirements will be inspected, maintained, repaired, and cleaned on a top priority basis. In accordance with the Tier A Permit, the requirement for inspecting, and if necessary cleaning, storm sewer inlets and catch basins for the Lower Township MS4 system is once every five (5) years. As a method to priority the MS4 system upstream of TMDL waterbodies, the inlets and catch basins will be inspected and cleaned, if necessary, once every year.

SPPP Form 15 – Optional Measures

All records must be available upon request by NJDEP.

1. Describe any Best Management Practice(s) the permittee has developed that extend beyond the requirements of the Tier A MS4 NJPDES permit that prevents or reduces water pollution.

2. Has the permittee adopted a Refuse Container/Dumpster Ordinance?

Yes, ordinance adopted on 9-4-02.

Appendix A
Tier A Municipal Stormwater General Permits



State of New Jersey

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Governor

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Lt. Governor

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Commissioner

December 8, 2017

SENT VIA EMAIL to: gdouglasslowertownship@comcast.net

Gary Douglas
LOWER TWP
2600 BAYSHORE RD
VILLAS, NJ 08251

Re: Stormwater Discharge General Permit Authorization Renewal
Category: R9 -Tier A Municipal Stormwater General Permit
NJPDES: NJG0151092 / PI ID #: 220318
LOWER TWP
Lower Twp, Cape May County

Dear Stormwater Program Coordinator:

Enclosed is New Jersey Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NJPDES) Authorization to Discharge No. NJG0151092 (Category R9 -Tier A Municipal Stormwater General Permit) issued under the authority of Stormwater NJPDES Master General Permit No. NJ0141852 (Tier A Permit).

The permit and associated documents are posted at http://www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/tier_a.htm, where you can find a copy of the Tier A Permit, and a Response to Comments document, which includes a summary of the significant and relevant comments received during the Tier A Permit public comment period, the Department's responses, and an explanation of any changes from the draft action. In addition, you can also find a crosswalk which provides a detailed comparison of changes from 2009 to this 2017 permit, and a Frequently Asked Questions document. These documents will be useful in understanding your renewed Authorization.

If you have any questions or comments regarding the above referenced action, please contact Timothy Ebersberger by telephone at 609-633-7021.

Sincerely,

James J. Murphy, Chief
Bureau of Nonpoint Pollution Control

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AUTHORIZATION TO DISCHARGE
R9 -Tier A Municipal Stormwater General Permit

Facility Name: LOWER TWP

Permit Number: NJG0151092

Program Interest No.: 220318

Facility Address:
2600 BAYSHORE RD
LOWER TWP, NJ 08251

Type of Activity: Stormwater Discharge General Permit Authorization Renewal

Owner:
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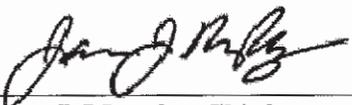
Operating Entity:
LOWER TWP
2600 BAYSHORE RD
VILLAS, NJ 08251

Issuance Date:
12/08/2017

Effective Date:
01/01/2018

Expiration Date:
12/31/2022

Your Request for Authorization under NJPDES General Permit No. NJ0141852 has been approved by the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection.



James J. Murphy, Chief
Bureau of Nonpoint Pollution Control

Date: 12/08/2017

(Terms, conditions and provisions attached hereto)

Division of Water Quality

PART I GENERAL REQUIREMENTS: NJPDES

A. General Requirements of all NJPDES Permits

1. Requirements Incorporated by Reference

- a. The permittee shall comply with all conditions set forth in this permit and with all the applicable requirements incorporated into this permit by reference. The permittee is required to comply with the regulations, including those cited in paragraphs b. through e. following, which are in effect as of the effective date of the final permit.
- b. General Conditions
 - Penalties for Violations N.J.A.C. 7:14-8.1 *et seq.*
 - Incorporation by Reference N.J.A.C. 7:14A-2.3
 - Toxic Pollutants N.J.A.C. 7:14A-6.2(a)4i
 - Duty to Comply N.J.A.C. 7:14A-6.2(a)1 & 4
 - Duty to Mitigate N.J.A.C. 7:14A-6.2(a)5 & 11
 - Inspection and Entry N.J.A.C. 7:14A-2.11(e)
 - Enforcement Action N.J.A.C. 7:14A-2.9
 - Duty to Reapply N.J.A.C. 7:14A-4.2(e)3
 - Signatory Requirements for Applications and Reports N.J.A.C. 7:14A-4.9
 - Effect of Permit/Other Laws N.J.A.C. 7:14A-6.2(a)6 & 7 & 2.9(c)
 - Severability N.J.A.C. 7:14A-2.2
 - Administrative Continuation of Permits N.J.A.C. 7:14A-2.8
 - Permit Actions N.J.A.C. 7:14A-2.7(c)
 - Reopener Clause N.J.A.C. 7:14A-6.2(a)10
 - Permit Duration and Renewal N.J.A.C. 7:14A-2.7(a) & (b)
 - Consolidation of Permit Process N.J.A.C. 7:14A-15.5
 - Confidentiality N.J.A.C. 7:14A-18.2 & 2.11(g)
 - Fee Schedule N.J.A.C. 7:14A-3.1
 - Treatment Works Approval N.J.A.C. 7:14A-22 & 23
- c. Operation And Maintenance
 - Need to Halt or Reduce not a Defense N.J.A.C. 7:14A-2.9(b)
 - Proper Operation and Maintenance N.J.A.C. 7:14A-6.12
- d. Monitoring And Records
 - Monitoring N.J.A.C. 7:14A-6.5
 - Recordkeeping N.J.A.C. 7:14A-6.6
 - Signatory Requirements for Monitoring Reports N.J.A.C. 7:14A-6.9
- e. Reporting Requirements
 - Planned Changes N.J.A.C. 7:14A-6.7
 - Reporting of Monitoring Results N.J.A.C. 7:14A-6.8
 - Noncompliance Reporting
 - N.J.A.C. 7:14A-6.10 & 6.8(h)
 - Hotline/Two Hour & Twenty-four Hour Reporting N.J.A.C. 7:14A-6.10(c) & (d)
 - Written Reporting N.J.A.C. 7:14A-6.10(e) & (f) & 6.8(h)
 - Duty to Provide Information N.J.A.C. 7:14A-2.11, 6.2(a)14 & 18.1
 - Schedules of Compliance N.J.A.C. 7:14A-6.4
 - Transfer N.J.A.C. 7:14A-6.2(a)8 & 16.2

PART II

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS: DISCHARGE CATEGORIES

A. Additional Requirements Incorporated By Reference

- a. The Stormwater Management rules at N.J.A.C. 7:8.
- b. Conditions for General Permits at N.J.A.C. 7:14A-6.13, including the Department's authority to require, for due cause, a Tier A Municipality to apply for and obtain a different stormwater permit for specific activities otherwise authorized under this permit.
- c. Additional Conditions applicable to UIC permits at N.J.A.C. 7:14A-8.9, UIC Corrective Action (N.J.A.C. 7:14A-8.11) and UIC Operating Criteria (N.J.A.C. 7:14A-8.16).
- d. Conditions for reopening and modification of small MS4 permits at N.J.A.C. 7:14A-16.4(b) and N.J.A.C. 7:14A-25.7(b).
- e. Requirements for Discharges to Ground Water at N.J.A.C. 7:14A-7.
- f. National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Electronic Reporting rule at 40 CFR Part 127.

B. General Conditions

1. Notification of Non-Compliance

- a. The Tier A Municipality shall notify the Department of any non-compliance when required by N.J.A.C. 7:14A-6.10 by contacting the DEP Hotline at 1-877-WARN-DEP.

2. Discharge of Pollutants

- a. For discharges authorized by this permit, the Tier A Municipality is exempt from N.J.A.C. 7:14A-6.2(a)2. This exemption means that the discharge of any pollutant not specifically regulated in this NJPDES permit or listed and quantified in the RFA shall not constitute a violation of the permit.

3. Standard Reporting Requirements – Electronic Reporting of NJPDES Information

- a. Unless already required by this permit to be submitted electronically by an earlier date, effective December 21, 2020, the below identified documents and reports shall be electronically submitted via the Department's designated electronic submission service:
 - i. General permit authorization requests (i.e. RFAs);
 - ii. General permit termination/revocation requests; and
 - iii. Municipal separate storm sewer system (MS4) program reports (see Part IV.G).

4. Other Regulatory Requirements

- a. Permit conditions remain in effect and enforceable until and unless the permit is modified, renewed or revoked by the Department.
- b. The issuance of this permit shall not be considered as a waiver of any applicable federal, State or local rules, regulations and ordinances.
- c. In accordance with N.J.A.C. 7:14A-6.2(a)7, this permit does not authorize any infringement of State or local law or regulations, including, but not limited to, N.J.A.C. 7:50 (the Pinelands rules), N.J.A.C. 7:1-E (Discharges of Petroleum and other Hazardous Substances), regulations concerning threatened and endangered species and their designated critical habitat, and other Department rules. No discharge of hazardous substances (as defined in N.J.A.C. 7:1E-1.6) resulting from an onsite spill shall be deemed to be “pursuant to and in compliance with this permit” within the meaning of the Spill Compensation and Control Act at N.J.S.A. 58:10-23.11c.
- d. While the Tier A Municipality is required to comply with applicable operation and maintenance requirements of N.J.A.C. 7:14A-6.12(a), the Tier A Municipality is exempt from the operations and maintenance manual requirements of N.J.A.C. 7:14A-6.12(c). This exemption applies only to discharges authorized under this permit and does not alter the operation and maintenance requirements for municipally or privately owned stormwater facilities specified in this permit or N.J.A.C. 7:8.

C. Eligibility

1. Permit Scope

- a. The Tier A MS4 NJPDES Permit applies to all areas of New Jersey as follows:
 - i. This permit applies to all municipalities assigned to Tier A under N.J.A.C. 7:14A-25.3(a)1. Tier A Municipalities are generally located within the more densely populated regions of the state or along or near the Atlantic coast.
 - ii. On a case-by-case basis, the Department may use this permit to regulate municipalities assigned to Tier B under N.J.A.C. 7:14A-25.3(a). As used in this permit, the term “Tier A Municipality” includes Tier B Municipalities that seek or obtain authorization under this provision of this permit.
- b. This permit applies to the owner or operator of the Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System (MS4) meaning the Tier A Municipality. The owner or operator is responsible for ensuring compliance with this permit.
- c. The short title of this permit is the “Tier A MS4 NJPDES permit.”

2. Authorized Discharges Under the Tier A MS4 NJPDES Permit

- a. Eligible Stormwater Discharges – Except as provided in Part II.C.3 below, this permit authorizes all new and existing stormwater discharges to surface water and groundwater from:
 - i. Small MS4s (as defined at N.J.A.C. 7:14A-1.2) owned or operated by Tier A Municipalities; and
 - ii. Municipal maintenance yards and other ancillary operations (see Part IV.B.5.c) owned or operated by Tier A Municipalities.

- b. Eligible Non-Stormwater Discharges – Except as identified in Part II.C.3.e below, the following new and existing non-stormwater discharges from small MS4s owned or operated by Tier A Municipalities and from Municipal maintenance yards and other ancillary operations (see Part IV.B.5.c) owned or operated by Tier A Municipalities are eligible for authorization under this permit:
- i. Potable water line flushing and discharges from potable water sources, excluding the discharge of filter backwash and first flush water from potable well development/redevelopment activities utilizing chemicals in accordance with N.J.A.C. 7:9D. The volume of first flush water, which is a minimum of three times the volume of the well water column, shall be handled and disposed of properly;
 - ii. Uncontaminated ground water (e.g. infiltration, crawl space or basement sump pumps, foundation or footing drains, rising ground waters);
 - iii. Air conditioning condensate (excluding contact and non-contact cooling water; and industrial refrigerant condensate);
 - iv. Irrigation water (including landscape and lawn watering runoff);
 - v. Flows from springs, riparian habitats, wetlands, water reservoir discharges and diverted stream flows;
 - vi. Residential car washing water; and dechlorinated swimming pool discharges from single family residential homes;
 - vii. Sidewalk, driveway and street wash water;
 - viii. Flows from firefighting activities including the washing of fire fighting vehicles;
 - ix. Flows from clean water rinsing of beach maintenance equipment immediately following use and only if the equipment is used for its intended purpose;
 - x. Flows from clean water rinsing of equipment and vehicles used in the application of salt and de-icing materials. Prior to rinsing, all equipment shall be cleaned using dry methods such as shoveling and sweeping. Recovered materials are to be returned to storage or properly discarded; and
 - xi. Rinsing of equipment in Part II.C.2.b.ix and x, above is limited to exterior, undercarriage, and exposed parts and does not apply to engines or other enclosed machinery.

3. Discharges Not Authorized Under the Tier A MS4 NJPDES Permit

- a. Stormwater Discharges Associated with Industrial Activity
- i. The Tier A MS4 NJPDES Permit does not authorize “stormwater discharge associated with industrial activity” as defined in N.J.A.C. 7:14A-1.2 except as otherwise specifically provided in this permit.
 - ii. Types of facilities that a Tier A Municipality might operate and that are considered to be engaging in “industrial activity” include but are not limited to certain: 1) landfills; 2) transportation facilities (including certain local passenger transit and air transportation facilities); 3) facilities handling domestic sewage or sewage sludge; and 4) steam electric power generating facilities.

- iii. Any municipality that operates an industrial facility with such a discharge must submit a separate Request for Authorization (RFA) or individual permit application for that discharge (see www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/forms_storm.htm). An RFA submitted for the Tier A MS4 NJPDES Permit does not qualify as an RFA for such a discharge.
 - iv. Yard Trimmings and Wood Waste Management Sites that are not owned and operated by the Tier A Municipality.
- b. Stormwater Discharges Associated with Construction Activity
- i. The Tier A MS4 NJPDES Permit does not authorize “stormwater discharges associated with construction activity” as described in N.J.A.C. 7:14A-24.10(a). In general, this is the discharge to surface water of stormwater from construction activity that disturbs at least one acre.
 - ii. Any municipality that operates a construction site with such a discharge shall submit a separate RFA under NJPDES Permit No. NJ0088323 (General Stormwater Permit Construction Activity, see www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/5g3.htm), or an application for an individual permit for that discharge. An RFA submitted for the Tier A MS4 NJPDES Permit does not qualify as an RFA for such a discharge. See Part IV.B.3 of the Tier A MS4 NJPDES Permit.
- c. Stormwater Discharges Authorized under Another NJPDES Permit
- i. The Tier A MS4 NJPDES Permit does not authorize any stormwater discharge that is authorized under another NJPDES permit.
 - ii. A Tier A Municipality does not have to implement measures contained in this NJPDES permit for stormwater discharges at facilities owned or operated by that municipality that are regulated under a separate NJPDES stormwater permit authorizing those discharges.
- d. Stormwater Discharges that Conflict with a Water Quality Management Plan
- i. The Tier A MS4 NJPDES Permit does not authorize stormwater discharges from projects or activities that conflict with an adopted Areawide or Statewide Water Quality Management Plan.
- e. Non-Stormwater Discharges that are Contributors of Pollutants
- i. If any of the discharges listed in Part II.C.2.b above are identified by the Tier A Municipality as a significant contributor of pollutants to or from the MS4, the Tier A Municipality must address the discharge as an illicit connection or as an improper disposal of waste as specified in Part IV.B.6 of this permit.

D. Administrative Process

1. Automatic Renewal of Authorizations

- a. Upon reissuance of this general permit, existing authorizations shall be automatically renewed as provided by N.J.A.C. 7:14A-6.13(d)9 and 25.4(a)3 using the information provided in the permittees’ most recently submitted RFA.

2. Notification of Changes

- a. A Tier A Municipality shall provide a corrected RFA to the Department within 90 days of the effective date of a renewed authorization under this general permit if any information in its most recently submitted RFA is no longer true, accurate, and/or complete.
- b. The Tier A Municipality shall notify the Department of any changes of its Municipal Stormwater Program Coordinator information using www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/pdf/msrp_update_form.pdf

- c. A Tier A Municipality that already has authorization to discharge from a small MS4 under the Tier A permit does not need to submit an RFA for the expansion (e.g. new residential development) of an existing small MS4.

3. Requests for Authorization (RFA, see www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/forms_storm.htm)

- a. New RFAs under the Tier A MS4 permit
 - i. A single RFA is required for the entire eligible discharge from the small MS4 owned or operated by and located within a single municipality. Multiple RFAs are not required for multiple municipal operations (e.g., municipally owned and operated maintenance yards or other ancillary operations, facilities, garages, and/or offices).
 - ii. An RFA shall include at a minimum: the name and address of the municipality; the name and address of the Municipal Stormwater Program Coordinator; a certification acknowledging the best management practices and measurable goals specified in the permit; and any other information as required by the Department.
- b. Upon receipt of an RFA the Department may, in accordance with N.J.A.C. 7:14A-6.13, do one of the following:
 - i. Issue notification of authorization under this permit;
 - ii. Deny authorization under this permit and require submittal of an application for an individual permit; or
 - iii. Deny authorization under this permit and require submittal of an RFA for another general permit.
- c. Reassignment of Municipality to Tier A
 - i. If a municipality receives notice from the Department (pursuant to N.J.A.C. 7:14A-25.3(a)(3)) that it has been reassigned from Tier B to Tier A (pursuant to N.J.A.C. 7:14A-25.3(a)(1) and (2)), the deadline to submit an RFA is 180 days after the receipt of that notice, unless the Department approves a later date.

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PART III

Recordkeeping and Reporting

The Tier A Municipality shall keep records necessary to document, in the Annual Report and Certification, the status of compliance with the conditions of this permit. The requirement to keep records and to submit an Annual Report and Certification is found at Part IV.G of this permit.

PART IV

SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS: NARRATIVE

Notes and Definitions

A. Footnotes

1. Acronyms

- a. Stormwater acronyms included in this permit are as follows:
 - i. "BMP" - Best Management Practice
 - ii. "CFR" - Code of Federal Regulations
 - iii. "EDPA" - Effective Date of Permit Authorization
 - iv. "MS4" - Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System
 - v. "MSWMP" - Municipal Stormwater Management Plan
 - vi. "MSRP" - Municipal Stormwater Regulation Program
 - vii. "MTD" - Manufactured Treatment Device
 - viii. "N.J.A.C." - New Jersey Administrative Code
 - ix. "NJPDES" - New Jersey Pollutant Discharge Elimination System
 - x. "N.J.S.A." - New Jersey Statutes Annotated
 - xi. "RSIS" - Residential Site Improvement Standards
 - xii. "SPPP" - Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan
 - xiii. "TMDL" - Total Maximum Daily Load

2. Internal Cross References

- a. For the purposes of this permit:
 - i. References to Part IV Notes and Definitions are preceded with the words "Notes and Definitions" (e.g. Notes and Definitions Part IV.A.1 refers to Acronyms).
 - ii. References to Part IV Tier A MS4 NJPDES Permit are not preceded by descriptive text (e.g. Part IV.A.1 refers to Overview of the Tier A MS4 NJPDES Permit).

3. Department Resources for Guidance Relating to MS4 Issues

- a. MS4 main website and related links: www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/msrp_home.htm
- b. MS4 Tier A Guidance document: www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/tier_a_guidance.htm

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- c. Construction Site Stormwater Runoff: www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/5g3.htm
- d. Snow Removal and Disposal Policy: www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/bnpc_home.htm
- e. Green Infrastructure and related links: www.nj.gov/dep/gi/
- f. Stormwater management information and training tools: www.nj.gov/dep/stormwater/
- g. Public education for stormwater pollution: www.cleanwater.nj.org
- h. Clean Communities, a statewide litter abatement program: www.njclean.org
- i. Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) information: www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/msrp-tmdl-rh.htm

4. EPA Resources for Guidance Relating to MS4 Issues

- a. EPA's MS4 website and related links:
www.epa.gov/npdes/stormwater-discharges-municipal-sources
- b. EPA's National Menu of Stormwater Best Management Practices:
www.epa.gov/npdes/national-menu-best-management-practices-bmps-stormwater
- c. EPA's guidance for Green Infrastructure:
<http://water.epa.gov/infrastructure/greeninfrastructure/index.cfm>
- d. Guidance from EPA Region 3 for municipalities that wish to improve their municipal stormwater programs: www.epa.gov/npdes/pubs/region3_factsheet_swmp.pdf
- e. EPA's Trash Free Waters resource page: www.epa.gov/trash-free-waters
- f. Illicit Discharge Detection and Elimination Guidance
www3.epa.gov/npdes/pubs/idde_manualwithappendices.pdf

B. Definitions

1. Definitions

- a. All words and terms used in this permit shall have meanings as defined in the "Regulations Concerning the New Jersey Pollutant Discharge Elimination System" (N.J.A.C. 7:14A), unless otherwise stated or unless the context clearly requires a different meaning.
- b. "Catch Basin" means a cistern, vault, chamber or well that is usually built along a street as part of the storm sewer system to capture sediment, debris, and pollutants.
- c. "Effective Date of Permit Authorization" means the date the permittee's authorization to discharge under this Tier A MS4 NJPDES permit becomes effective. This date may be found on the permittee's Authorization to Discharge.
- d. "Existing permittee" means a municipality that held an authorization to discharge under the Tier A MS4 NJPDES permit on or before December 31, 2017.
- e. "Green infrastructure" means methods of stormwater management that reduce wet weather/stormwater volume, flow, or changes the characteristics of the flow into combined or separate sanitary or storm sewers, or surface waters, by allowing the stormwater to infiltrate, to be treated by vegetation or by soils, or to be stored for reuse. Green infrastructure includes, but is not limited to, pervious paving, bioretention basins, vegetated swales, and cisterns.

- f. "Illicit connection" means any physical or non-physical (i.e. leak, flow, or overflow into the municipal separate storm sewer system) connection that discharges the following to a municipal separate storm sewer system (unless that discharge is authorized under a NJPDES permit other than this Tier A MS4 NJPDES permit);
- i. Domestic sewage;
 - ii. Non-contact cooling water, process wastewater, or other industrial waste (other than stormwater);
or
 - iii. Any category of non-stormwater discharges that a permittee for the MS4 identifies as a source or significant contributor of pollutants pursuant to 40 C.F.R. 122.34(b)(3)(iii).
- g. "Maintenance plan" means a maintenance plan pursuant to N.J.A.C. 7:8-5.2(b) and 5.8 prepared by the design engineer for the stormwater management measures incorporated into the design of a major development.
- h. "Major development" means any development that provides for ultimately disturbing one or more acres of land and any additional development defined as "major development" by a municipality's stormwater control ordinance. Disturbance is the placement of impervious surface or exposure and/or movement of soil or bedrock or clearing, cutting, or removing of vegetation. Projects undertaken by any government agency which otherwise meet the definition of "major development" but which do not require approval under the Municipal Land Use Law, N.J.S.A. 40:55D-1et seq., are also considered "major development."
- i. "Manufactured treatment device" means a pre-fabricated stormwater treatment structure utilizing settling, filtration, absorptive/adsorptive materials, vortex separation, vegetative components, and/or other appropriate technology to remove pollutants from stormwater runoff.
- j. "Municipal separate storm sewer" means a municipal separate storm sewer as defined in N.J.A.C. 7:14A-1.2.
- k. "Municipality" means a municipality as defined in the Municipal Land Use Law at N.J.S.A. 40:55D-5, that is, any city, borough, town, township, or village.
- l. "New permittee" means a municipality that obtains its first authorization to discharge under the Tier A MS4 NJPDES permit on or after January 1, 2018.
- m. "Permanent structure" means a permanent building or permanent structure that is anchored to a permanent foundation with an impermeable floor, and that is completely roofed and walled (a door is recommended, but not required). A fabric frame structure is a permanent structure if it meets the following specifications:
- i. Concrete blocks, jersey barriers or other similar material shall be placed around the interior of the structure to protect the side walls during loading and unloading of de-icing materials;
 - ii. The design shall prevent stormwater run-on and run through and the fabric cannot leak;
 - iii. The structure shall be erected on an impermeable slab;
 - iv. The structure cannot be open sided; and
 - v. The structure shall have a roll up door or other means of sealing the access way from wind driven rainfall.

- n. "Small MS4" means all municipal separate storm sewers (other than "large" or "medium" municipal separate storm sewer systems as defined in N.J.A.C. 7:14A-1.2) that are:
 - i. Owned or operated by municipalities described under N.J.A.C. 7:14A-25.1(b);
 - ii. Owned or operated by county, State, interstate, or Federal agencies, and located at public complexes as described under N.J.A.C. 7:14A-25.2(a)2;
 - iii. Owned or operated by county, State, interstate, or Federal agencies, and located at highways and other thoroughfares as described under N.J.A.C. 7:14A-25.2(a)3; or
 - iv. Owned or operated by county, State, interstate, Federal, or other agencies, and receive special designation under N.J.A.C. 7:14A-25.2(a)4.
 - v. Note that all MS4s covered under the Tier A MS4 NJPDES permit are "small MS4s".
- o. "Solids and floatable materials" means sediment, debris, trash, and other floating, suspended, or settleable solids as defined at N.J.A.C. 7:14A-25.6(b)3iii.
- p. "Storm drain inlet" means the point of entry into the storm drain system and is, where a catch basin is present, the uppermost portion (or cover) of a catch basin.
- q. "Stormwater" means water resulting from precipitation (including rain and snow) that runs off the land's surface; is transmitted to the subsurface; is captured by separate storm sewers or other sewerage or drainage facilities; or is conveyed by snow removal equipment.
- r. "Stormwater facility" includes, but is not limited to: catch basins, detention basins, retention basins, filter strips, riparian buffers, infiltration trenches, sand filters, constructed wetlands, wet basins, bioretention systems, low flow bypasses, and stormwater conveyances. Stormwater facilities include structural stormwater management measures.
- s. "Stormwater management basin" means an excavation or embankment and related areas designed to retain stormwater runoff. A stormwater management basin may either be normally dry (that is, a detention basin or infiltration basin), retain water in a permanent pool (a retention basin or wet pond), or be planted mainly with wetland vegetation (most constructed stormwater wetlands).
- t. "Stormwater management measure" means any structural or nonstructural strategy, practice, technology, process, program, or other method intended to control or reduce stormwater runoff and associated pollutants, or to induce or control the infiltration or groundwater recharge of stormwater or to eliminate illicit or illegal non-stormwater discharges into stormwater conveyances. Stormwater management measures include stormwater facilities.
- u. "Stream scouring" means the erosion or removal of streambed or bank material by the physical action of flowing water and the sediment that it carries.
- v. "Subsurface infiltration/detention system" means a vault, perforated pipe, and/or stone bed that is located entirely below the ground surface and that temporarily stores and attenuates stormwater runoff."
- w. "Tier A Municipality's MS4" means an MS4 owned and operated by a Tier A Municipality.
- x. "Wood waste" means source separated whole trees, tree trunks, tree parts, tree stumps, brush and leaves provided that they are not composted, and lumber (non-chemically treated and unpainted);
- y. "Yard trimmings" means grass clippings, leaves, wood chips from tree parts, and brush.

- z. "Yard waste" means loose leaves and grass clippings.

Tier A Municipal Stormwater General Permit

A. Permit Overview

1. Overview of the Tier A MS4 NJPDES Permit

- a. The Tier A Municipality (i.e. the permittee) is required to develop, update, implement and enforce an MS4 stormwater program. A primary objective of the MS4 stormwater program is to implement best management practices and other measures that are designed to achieve the permit's requirement to reduce the discharge of pollutants from the Tier A Municipality's MS4, municipal maintenance yards and other ancillary operations, to the maximum extent practicable pursuant to N.J.A.C. 7:14A-25.6(a)1 and 40 CFR 122.34(a), to protect water quality, and to satisfy the applicable water quality requirements of the Clean Water Act.

2. Primary Plans Required by the Tier A MS4 NJPDES Permit

- a. The Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SPPP) documents the Tier A Municipality's stormwater program and describes the measures necessary for compliance with the Statewide Basic Requirements as well as any Other Control Measures, Additional Measures and/or Optional Measures (if deemed appropriate). See Part IV.F (SPPP) and Attachment A (Measurable Goals and Implementation Schedule for Existing Permittees) and Attachment A-1 (Measurable Goals and Implementation Schedule for New Permittees).
- b. A significant component of the SPPP is the Municipal Stormwater Management Plan (MSWMP). The MSWMP is also a component of the municipal master plan (N.J.S.A. 40:55D-94). The MSWMP describes the municipality's strategy, structure and process for addressing stormwater runoff from new development and redevelopment to ensure compliance with the Stormwater Management rules (N.J.A.C. 7:8 et seq.). This strategy, structure and process also constitutes much of the post construction stormwater management program in this permit. See Part IV.B.4 (Post Construction). Any MSWMP that complies with N.J.A.C. 7:8 also complies with this condition and Part IV.B.4.f (MSWMP).

3. Summary of Tier A MS4 NJPDES Permit Requirements

- a. The Tier A Municipality shall develop, update, implement and enforce a stormwater program as documented in an SPPP to ensure compliance with:
 - i. The Statewide Basic Requirements. See Part IV.B;
 - ii. Other Control Measures. See Part IV.C;
 - iii. Additional Measures. See Part IV.D; and
 - iv. Optional Measures, if deemed appropriate See Part IV.E.
- b. The Tier A Municipality shall develop, update, implement and maintain a written SPPP in conformance with Attachment A (Measurable Goals and Implementation Schedule for Existing Permittees) and Attachment A-1 (Measurable Goals and Implementation Schedule for New Permittees). See Part IV.A.2.a and IV.F (SPPP).
- c. The Tier A Municipality shall submit an Annual Report and Certification summarizing the status of compliance with this permit. See Part IV.G (Annual Report and Certification).
- d. The Tier A Municipality shall adopt, amend and implement a written MSWMP. See Part IV.A.2.b and B.4.f (MSWMP).

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- e. The Tier A Municipality shall modify and update its stormwater program (including applicable plans and ordinances) to conform with applicable new legislation; or new or amended regulations. Such modification shall be completed and effective within 12 months of written notification by the Department of the need for modification.

B. Statewide Basic Requirements and Associated Conditions

1. Minimum Standards for Public Involvement and Participation Including Public Notice

- a. Tier A Municipalities shall comply with applicable State and local public notice requirements when providing for public participation in the development and implementation of a MS4 stormwater program. Requirements include but are not limited to:
 - i. The Open Public Meetings Act (“Sunshine Law,” N.J.S.A. 10:4-6 et seq.);
 - ii. Statutory procedures for the enactment of ordinances (N.J.S.A. 40:49-2), including the municipal stormwater control ordinance and other ordinances adopted to comply with Part IV of this permit; and
 - iii. The Municipal Land Use Law concerning the adoption or amendment of the MSWMP (N.J.S.A. 40:55D-13, 28 and 94), and the review of applications for development (N.J.S.A. 40:55D-12). The Tier A Municipality shall also ensure that applicants for development meet the notice requirements of N.J.S.A. 40:55D-12.
- b. Tier A Municipalities shall make elements of its MS4 stormwater program available to the public:
 - i. Provide the current SPPP upon request as required by Part IV.F.1.g (SPPP);
 - ii. Post the current SPPP on its website to the extent required by Part IV.F.1.f (SPPP); and
 - iii. Post the current MSWMP and all ordinances required by this permit on its website or otherwise comply with the notification requirements of N.J.A.C. 7:8-4.4(e). See Part IV.B.4.f (MSWMP), 4.g (Stormwater Control Ordinance), 5.a (Community Wide Ordinances).
- c. The Tier A Municipality may involve another entity (e.g. a watershed association) to satisfy one or more of the Tier A Municipality’s NJPDES permit condition(s) (or component thereof) through the implementation of one or more best management practices or control measures. See Part IV.F.4 (Implementation of SPPP Conditions through Shared or Contracted Services).
- d. The Tier A Municipality shall maintain records necessary to demonstrate compliance with the public participation requirements of a, above.
- e. Existing Permittee: An existing permittee shall meet the minimum standards of this permit, and the measurable goals (including any recordkeeping) and implementation schedules for Public Involvement and Participation specified in Attachment A for Existing Permittees (Measurable Goals and Implementation Schedule).

2. Minimum Standards for Local Public Education and Outreach

- a. The Tier A Municipality shall implement a Public Education and Outreach Program that focuses on educational and pollution prevention activities about the impacts of stormwater discharges on surface water and groundwater and to involve the public in reducing pollutants in stormwater and mitigating flow. The Tier A Municipality shall annually conduct activities that total at least 12 points and include activities from at least three of the five categories as set forth in Attachment B (Points System for Public Education and Outreach Activities). At a minimum, at least one of the activities shall involve educating businesses and the general public of hazards associated with illicit connections and improper disposal of waste. Records shall be kept necessary to demonstrate compliance with this requirement, including date of activities and any other relevant documentation.
- b. The Tier A Municipality shall label all storm drain inlets for those drains that do not have permanent wording cast into the structure of the inlet. The Tier A Municipality shall also maintain the legibility of those labels and replace any labels that are missing or not legible. See the Tier A Municipal Guidance document (www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/tier_a_guidance.htm) for specific measures. This requirement shall include the following:
 - i. All storm drain inlets along sidewalks that are adjacent to municipal streets;
 - ii. All storm drain inlets within plazas, parking areas or maintenance yards that are operated by the municipality.
- c. The Tier A Municipality shall advertise public involvement program(s) pertaining to education and outreach activities on the municipality's website, through a mailing, through newspaper advertisement, or other similar means.
- d. Existing Permittee: An existing permittee shall meet the minimum standards of this permit, and the measurable goals (including any recordkeeping) and implementation schedules for Local Public Education and Outreach specified in Attachment A for Existing Permittees (Measurable Goals and Implementation Schedule).

3. Minimum Standards for Construction Site Stormwater Runoff

- a. Construction site stormwater runoff activities are authorized under a separate NJPDES permit, generally the Construction Activity Stormwater General Permit No. NJ0088323 pursuant to N.J.A.C. 7:14A-25.6(b)2 (or an individual permit pursuant to N.J.A.C. 7:14A-24.7(a)2). See Part II.C.3.b and www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/5g3.htm. Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 7:14A-25.7(b), the Tier A Municipality is not required to reference construction site stormwater runoff control in its SPPP.

4. Minimum Standards for Post Construction Stormwater Management in New Development and Redevelopment

- a. The Tier A Municipality shall develop, update, implement and enforce its stormwater management program to address post construction stormwater runoff in new development and redevelopment and to ensure compliance with the Stormwater Management rules at N.J.A.C. 7:8 et seq. In general, the regulations at N.J.A.C. 7:8:
 - i. Contain requirements for stormwater management plans and stormwater control ordinances;
 - ii. Provide information for the adoption and implementation of municipal stormwater management plans and regional stormwater management plans; and
 - iii. Establish design, performance and maintenance standards for stormwater management measures and establish safety standards for stormwater management basins.

- b. The post construction stormwater management program established by the Tier A Municipality shall address stormwater runoff from the following types of major development unless any additional development is defined as “major development” by a municipality’s stormwater control ordinance:
- i. New development and redevelopment projects that disturb one acre or more and are not operated by the municipality (e.g. retail stores, residential complexes);
 - ii. New development and redevelopment projects that disturb one acre or more and are operated by the municipality itself (e.g. town complex); and
 - iii. All new development and redevelopment projects that disturb less than one acre and are part of a larger common plan of development or sale (e.g. phased residential development) that ultimately disturbs one acre or more.
- c. The post construction stormwater management program established by the Tier A Municipality shall require compliance with the applicable design, performance and maintenance standards established under N.J.A.C. 7:8 et seq. for major development as defined in this permit.
- d. The Tier A Municipality shall review and analyze development applications for compliance with Part IV.B.4 (Post Construction) of this permit even if a separate permit is required by the Department for the same or similar activity (e.g. a Land Use permit).
- e. The post construction stormwater management program established by the Tier A Municipality shall ensure that any residential development and redevelopment projects that are subject to the Residential Site Improvement Standards (RSIS) for stormwater management (N.J.A.C. 5:21-7) comply with those standards, including any exception, waiver, or special area standard that was approved under N.J.A.C. 5:21 et seq.
- f. The Tier A Municipality shall adopt, amend and implement a written Municipal Stormwater Management Plan (MSWMP), pursuant to N.J.A.C. 7:8 et seq., to describe the framework of the Tier A Municipality’s strategy, structure and process for its post construction stormwater management program.
- i. The Tier A Municipality shall submit the adopted plan for approval to the County review agency in accordance with N.J.A.C. 7:8-4;
 - ii. The Tier A Municipality shall notify the Department and post the approved plan and any amendments on its website (or otherwise comply with the notification requirements of N.J.A.C. 7:8-4.4(e)) within thirty days of the effective date of the plan. See Part IV.B.1.b.iii (Public Involvement and Participation);
 - iii. The Tier A Municipality shall review and update its MSWMP as necessary, and as a part of the reexamination of its municipal master plan in accordance with N.J.A.C. 7:8-4.3(c) and (d).
- g. In order to implement the post construction stormwater management program, the Tier A Municipality shall adopt, amend, implement and enforce a municipal stormwater control ordinance. The Tier A Municipality shall develop and adopt the contents of the ordinance in accordance with N.J.A.C. 7:8 et seq. A sample stormwater ordinance consistent with the requirements of the Stormwater Management Rules is posted at www.nj.gov/dep/stormwater/bmp_manual2.htm and a sample stormwater ordinance applicable to Pinelands Area Municipalities is posted at www.nj.gov/dep/stormwater/pinelands.htm. The municipal stormwater control ordinance shall include, at a minimum, the following elements:

- i. Control aspects of residential development and redevelopment projects that are not pre-empted by the RSIS;
 - ii. Control stormwater from non-residential development and redevelopment projects, in accordance with the requirements at N.J.A.C. 7:8 et seq.; and
 - iii. Set forth special area standards approved by the Site Improvement Advisory Board for residential development or redevelopment projects under N.J.A.C. 5:21-3.5.
- h. The Tier A Municipality shall only grant a variance or exemption from the design and performance standards for stormwater management measures if the municipality has a mitigation plan which meets the following requirements:
- i. A mitigation plan must be included in an approved MSWMP and stormwater control ordinance(s). The mitigation plan shall identify measures that are necessary to offset the deficit created by granting the variance or exemption, and can be provided through a menu of design and performance standards with corresponding mitigation projects for different drainage areas within the municipality. See Chapter 3 of the NJ Stormwater BMP Manual at www.nj.gov/dep/stormwater/ for guidance; and
 - ii. The municipality submits, within 30 days after the grant of a variance or exemption, a written report to the county review agency and the Department describing the variance or exemption and the required mitigation. Submit the written report to the Department at:
NJDEP-DWQ-BNPC
Mail Code 401-02B
PO Box 420
Trenton, NJ 08625-0420
- i. The Tier A Municipality shall:
- i. Enforce, through the stormwater control ordinance(s) or a separate ordinance, compliance with the standards set forth in Attachment C (Design Standards for Storm Drain Inlets) of this permit to control passage of solid and floatable materials through storm drain inlets not installed by the Tier A Municipality; and
 - ii. Comply with the standards set forth in Attachment C (Design Standards for Storm Drain Inlets) of this permit to control passage of solid and floatable materials through storm drain inlets installed by the municipality.
- j. The Tier A Municipality shall ensure adequate long-term cleaning, operation and maintenance of stormwater management measures:
- i. Pursuant to Part IV.C.1.a (Stormwater Facilities Maintenance), owned or operated by the Tier A Municipality; and
 - ii. Pursuant to Part IV.C.1.b (Stormwater Facilities Maintenance), not owned or operated by the Tier A Municipality.
- k. For each structural and non-structural stormwater measure (e.g. stormwater management basin, subsurface infiltration/detention system, manufactured treatment device, green infrastructure), the Tier A Municipality shall:
- i. Complete a Major Development Stormwater Summary (as posted on the Department's website at www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/tier_a_forms.htm; courtesy copy provided as Attachment D of this permit) when an application is made to the Tier A Municipality after EDPA;

- ii. Update the Major Development Stormwater Summary while stormwater measures are being installed;
 - iii. Finalize the Major Development Stormwater Summary once certificate of occupancy is issued; and
 - iv. Maintain a completed Major Development Stormwater Summary and make it available to the Department upon request.
- i. The Stormwater Management rules (N.J.A.C. 7:8) and the Residential Site Improvement Standards for stormwater management (N.J.A.C. 5:21-7), independently and as implemented in this permit, apply to all areas of the Tier A Municipality.
- m. Existing Permittee: An existing permittee shall meet the minimum standards of this permit, and the measurable goals (including any recordkeeping) and implementation schedules for Post Construction Stormwater Management in New Development and Redevelopment specified in Attachment A for Existing Permittees (Measurable Goals and Implementation Schedule).

5. Minimum Standards for Pollution Prevention / Good Housekeeping for Municipal Operators

- a. Community Wide Ordinances: The Tier A Municipality shall adopt and enforce the following community wide ordinances to address improper disposal of waste:
- i. Pet Waste Ordinance: Adopt and enforce an ordinance that requires pet owners or their keepers to immediately and properly dispose of their pet's solid waste deposited on any property, public or private, not owned or possessed by that person. Information on the Pet Waste Ordinance and the benefits of proper disposal of pet solid waste shall be distributed with pet licenses. See the Tier A Municipal Guidance document (www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/tier_a_guidance.htm) for a sample ordinance.
 - ii. Wildlife Feeding Ordinance: Adopt and enforce an ordinance that prohibits the feeding of any wildlife (e.g. Canada Geese) in any public park or on any other property owned or operated by the Tier A Municipality. Exclusions include wildlife confined in zoos, parks, or rehabilitation centers as well the following unconfined animals: (1) wildlife at environmental education centers; (2) feral cats as part of an approved Trap-Neuter-Release program; and (3) other kinds of unconfined animals, if any, that the ordinance specifically lists and excludes for reasons set forth in the ordinance. See the Tier A Municipal Guidance document (www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/tier_a_guidance.htm) for a sample ordinance.
 - iii. Litter Control Ordinance: Adopt and enforce a litter ordinance or enforce the existing State litter statute at N.J.S.A 13:1E-99.3. See the Tier A Municipal Guidance document (www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/tier_a_guidance.htm) for a sample ordinance.
 - iv. Improper Disposal of Waste Ordinance: Adopt and enforce an ordinance prohibiting the improper spilling, dumping, or disposal of materials other than stormwater into the MS4 system excluding those discharges as allowable under Part II.C.2.b. See the Tier A Municipal Guidance document (www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/tier_a_guidance.htm) for a sample ordinance.

- v. Containerized Yard Waste/Yard Waste Collection Program Ordinances: (1) Adopt and enforce an ordinance that prohibits placing non-containerized yard wastes (defined as leaves and/or grass clippings) into the street; or (2) develop and implement a non-containerized yard waste collection and disposal program that includes adoption and enforcement of an ordinance that prohibits placing non-containerized yard waste at the curb or along the street within 10 feet of any storm drain inlet and at any time other than a set yard waste collection schedule. The frequency of yard waste pickups shall be determined at the discretion of the Tier A Municipality but shall be part of a set yard waste collection schedule which is noticed to all municipal residents and businesses. Any area, which the municipality determines to have no yard waste, will be exempt from the collections. See the Tier A Municipal Guidance document (www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/tier_a_guidance.htm) for sample ordinances.
 - vi. Private Storm Drain Inlet Retrofitting Ordinance: Adopt and enforce an ordinance requiring the retrofitting of existing storm drain inlets on private property to meet the standard in Attachment C (Design Standard for Storm Drain Inlets). Specifically, this ordinance: 1) shall apply to storm drain inlets, on property not owned or operated by the Tier A Municipality (e.g. condominium associations), that are in direct contact (i.e. contiguous) to repaving; repairing (excluding individual pothole repair); resurfacing (including top coating or chip sealing with asphalt emulsion or a thin base of hot bitumen); and reconstruction or alteration of facilities; and 2) shall not apply to a residential lot with one single family house. For a sample ordinance see www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/tier_a.htm.
 - vii. Additional ordinance requirements of this permit are found at Part IV.B.4.g (Stormwater Control Ordinance) above and Part IV.B.6.d (Illicit Connection Ordinance) below.
- b. Community Wide Measures: The Tier A Municipality shall develop and continue to implement the following community wide pollution prevention/good housekeeping measures to control solids and floatables:
- i. Street Sweeping: Tier A Municipalities shall sweep, at a minimum of once per month (weather and street surface conditions permitting), all streets (including roads or highways) that meet all of the following criteria: (1) the street is owned or operated by the municipality; (2) the street is curbed and has storm drains; (3) the street has a posted speed limit of 35 miles per hour or less; (4) the street is not an entrance or exit ramp; and (5) the street is in a predominantly commercial area.
 - ii. Catch Basin and Storm Drain Inlet Inspection and Cleaning: The Tier A Municipality shall inspect storm drain inlets and any associated catch basins that it owns or operates and remove sediment, trash, or debris when present. Each catch basin and inlet shall be inspected at least once every five years. The Tier A Municipality shall clean any municipally owned or operated storm drain inlet or catch basin as frequently as necessary to eliminate recurring problems and restore proper function.
 - iii. Tier A Municipality Storm Drain Inlet Retrofit: The Tier A Municipality shall retrofit existing Tier A Municipality owned or operated storm drain inlets that are: (1) in direct contact with any repaving, repairing (excluding individual pothole repair), or resurfacing (including top coating or chip sealing with asphalt emulsion or a thin base of hot bitumen); or (2) in direct contact with any reconstruction or alteration of facilities. Storm drain inlet retrofits shall meet the standard in Attachment C (Design Standards for Storm Drain Inlets).

- c. **Municipal Maintenance Yards and Other Ancillary Operations:** The Tier A Municipality shall implement the best management practices described in Attachment E (Best Management Practices for Municipal Maintenance Yards and Other Ancillary Operations) for municipal maintenance yards and other ancillary operations owned or operated by the Tier A Municipality. Ancillary operations include but are not limited to impound yards, permanent and mobile fueling locations, and yard trimmings and wood waste management sites. The Inventory of Material and Machinery, and Inspections and Good Housekeeping practices specified in Attachment E shall be conducted at all municipal maintenance yards and other ancillary operations. Best Management Practices shall be implemented for the following activities, whenever such activities occur:
- i. Fueling Operations;
 - ii. Discharge of Stormwater from Secondary Containment;
 - iii. Vehicle Maintenance;
 - iv. On-Site Equipment and Vehicle Washing and Wash Wastewater Containment;
 - v. Salt and De-icing Material Storage and Handling;
 - vi. Aggregate Material and Construction Debris Storage;
 - vii. Street Sweepings, Catch Basin Clean Out, and Other Material Storage;
 - viii. Yard Trimmings and Wood Waste Management Sites that are owned and operated by the Tier A Municipality; and
 - ix. Roadside Vegetation Management.
- d. **Employee Training:** The Tier A Municipality shall develop, update and implement an employee training program to address Tier A MS4 NJPDES permit components and SPPP requirements. All municipal employees shall receive training on those stormwater topics applicable to their title and duties within 3 months of commencement of duties. Records including sign in sheet(s), date(s) of training, and training agenda(s) shall be kept in the SPPP. Training shall occur at least once every two years, unless otherwise specified below:
- i. **Yard Waste Collection Program (if applicable) –** Provide training on frequency of yard waste pickups and schedule; and policy for how and when yard waste can be placed curbside. See Part IV.B.5.a.v (Yard Waste Ordinance).
 - ii. **Monthly Sweeping of Certain Streets in Predominantly Commercial Areas -** Provide training on sweeping schedules and proper management of materials collected. See Part IV.B.5.b.i (Street Sweeping).
 - iii. **Illicit Connection Elimination and Outfall Pipe Mapping -** Provide training on the impacts associated with illicit connections and details of the program including investigation techniques, physical observations, field sampling, and mapping procedures. See Part IV.B.6 (MS4 Outfall Pipe Mapping, and Illicit Discharge) and the National Menu of Stormwater Best Management Practices at www.epa.gov/npdes/national-menu-best-management-practices-bmps-stormwater.
 - iv. **Outfall Pipe Stream Scouring Detection and Control -** Provide training on how to identify outfall pipe stream scouring and contributing factors. See Part IV.B.6.b (Stream Scouring).

- v. Maintenance Yard Operations (including Ancillary Operations) - Provide training annually on inventory of materials and machinery, inspections and good housekeeping; fueling operations; discharge of stormwater from secondary containment; vehicle maintenance; on-site equipment and vehicle washing and wash wastewater containment; salt and de-icing material storage and handling; aggregate material and construction debris storage; street sweeping, catch basin clean out, and other material storage; yard trimmings and wood waste management sites. See Part IV.B.5.c (Municipal Maintenance Yards and Other Ancillary Operations).
 - vi. Waste Disposal Education - Provide training on the impacts associated with improper waste disposal, how to respond to inquiries regarding improper waste disposal, and appropriate enforcement authority.
 - vii. Municipal Ordinances - Provide training on the following ordinances: Pet Waste Ordinance; Wildlife Feeding Ordinance; Litter Control Ordinance; Improper Disposal of Waste Ordinance; Containerized Yard Waste/Yard Waste Collection Ordinance; and the Private Storm Drain Inlet Ordinance. Training shall include an overview of these ordinance requirements, enforcement policies and the repercussions of non-compliance with these ordinances. See Part IV.B.5.a (Community Wide Ordinances).
 - viii. Stormwater Facility Maintenance – Provide training annually on maintenance of stormwater facilities, and catch basin and inlet cleaning methods. See Part IV.C.1 (Stormwater Facilities Maintenance), and Part IV.B.5.b.ii (Catch Basin and Storm Drain Inlets).
 - ix. Construction Activity/Post-Construction Stormwater Management in New Development and Redevelopment - Provide general training on the permitting requirements for construction activity and Post-Construction Stormwater Management in New Development and Redevelopment. See Part IV.B.3 (Construction Site Runoff) and B.4 (Post Construction).
 - x. Provide general training annually on the Tier A Municipality's SPPP, applicable recordkeeping requirements, and detailed training on any component applicable to an employee's title and duties. See Part IV.F (SPPP).
 - xi. Training may also be conducted on stormwater-related topics that serve an educational purpose for employees.
- e. Stormwater Management Design Review Training: The Tier A Municipality shall ensure that all design engineers, municipal engineers and other individuals that review the stormwater management design for development and redevelopment projects on behalf of the municipality, complete the Department approved Stormwater Management Design Review Course (see www.nj.gov/dep/stormwater/training.htm) once every five years. This includes those individuals that review any projects that are subject to the Tier A Municipality's municipal stormwater management plan and control ordinance as described in Part IV.B.4 (Post Construction). Individuals that will review stormwater management design and have not completed this course within the past five years must attend the next scheduled course offering. If unable to attend, the Tier A Municipality must notify the Department in writing no later than thirty days after the missed course offering explaining why attendance was not possible and what alternate arrangements are being made. Training completed within five calendar years prior to EDPA qualifies towards this requirement. The Tier A Municipality is required to maintain a list of the dates and names of training program participants in its SPPP.

- f. **Municipal Board and Governing Body Member Related Training:** The Tier A Municipality shall ensure that municipal board and governing body members that review and approve applications for development and redevelopment projects, complete the “Asking the Right Questions in Stormwater Review Training Tool” posted at www.nj.gov/dep/stormwater/training.htm. This includes those individuals that review any projects for compliance with Part IV.B.4 (Post Construction) of this permit. Training must be completed by current municipal board and governing body members on or before EDPA + 6 months and by new members within six months of commencing duties. Once per term of service thereafter, municipal board and governing body members must review at least one of the tools offered under Post-Construction Stormwater Management found at the website above. The Tier A Municipality is required to maintain a list of the dates and names of training program participants in its SPPP.
- g. **Existing Permittee:** An existing permittee shall meet the minimum standards of this permit, and the measurable goals (including any recordkeeping) and implementation schedules for Pollution Prevention / Good Housekeeping for Municipal Operators specified in Attachment A for Existing Permittees (Measurable Goals and Implementation Schedule).

6. Minimum Standards for MS4 Outfall Pipe Mapping, and Illicit Discharge and Scouring Detection and Control

- a. **Outfall Pipe Mapping:** Tier A Municipalities shall develop, update and maintain an outfall pipe map showing the location of the end of all MS4 outfall pipes (tidal and non-tidal) owned or operated by the Tier A Municipality which discharge to a surface water body. The outfall pipe map shall:
 - i. Be current at the end of each calendar year;
 - ii. Show the location (and name, where known to the municipality) of all surface water bodies receiving discharges from those outfall pipes;
 - iii. Be included in the SPPP;
 - iv. Be provided to the Department by Existing Permittees on or before EDPA + 12 months and by New Permittees on or before EDPA + 36 months. New data points subsequently added to the map shall be provided to the Department annually thereafter; and
 - v. Be submitted electronically by December 21, 2020 via the Department’s designated electronic submission service.
- b. **Stream Scouring:** Tier A Municipalities shall develop, update and implement a program to detect, investigate and control any localized stream scouring from stormwater outfall pipes owned or operated by the municipality. See the Tier A Municipal Guidance document (www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/tier_a_guidance.htm) for specific measures. The Tier A Municipality shall, at a minimum:
 - i. Inspect each outfall pipe which discharges to a stream for localized stream scouring in the vicinity of the outfall pipe. Each outfall pipe shall be inspected at least once every five years;
 - ii. Inspect any outfall pipes newly identified in compliance with Part IV.B.6.a for localized stream scouring in the vicinity of the outfall pipe;

- iii. When localized stream scouring is detected, document sources of stormwater that contribute to the outfall pipes identified in i and ii, above. Each identified source shall be investigated; and (1) where identified sources are located on property owned or operated by the Tier A Municipality, corrective action to reduce stormwater rate or volume shall be taken by the municipality when feasible, or (2) where identified sources are within the jurisdiction of but not located on property owned or operated by the Tier A Municipality, the municipality shall ensure proper operation and maintenance of stormwater facilities located thereon pursuant to Part IV.C.1.b (Stormwater Facilities Maintenance), below;
 - iv. Prioritize, schedule and complete remediation of identified localized stream scouring and take action based upon the requirements of Part IV.B.6.b.iii(1) and (2), above. If not completed, a schedule for completion shall be maintained as required in Part IV.C.1.a.iv (Stormwater Facilities Maintenance); and
 - v. All stream scouring restoration shall be made in accordance with the Standards for Soil Erosion and Sediment Control in New Jersey at N.J.A.C. 2:90-1 (e.g., Conduit Outlet Protection 12-1) and the requirements for bank stabilization and channel restoration found at N.J.A.C. 7:13 et seq. All associated maintenance or repairs to stormwater facilities shall be made in accordance N.J.A.C 7:8.
- c. Illicit Discharge Detection and Elimination: The Tier A Municipality shall develop, update, implement and enforce an ongoing Illicit Discharge Detection and Elimination Program in accordance with this permit. This program shall be documented in the written SPPP, as required in Part IV.F.1.a.iii (SPPP). See the Tier A Municipal Guidance document (www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/tier_a_guidance.htm) for specific measures. See also USEPA Guidance at www3.epa.gov/npdes/pubs/idde_manualwithappendices.pdf. The Tier A Municipality shall, at a minimum:
- i. Conduct visual dry weather inspection of all outfall pipes owned or operated by the municipality at least once every five years to determine if dry weather flow or other evidence of illicit discharge is present. Dry weather flow is flow occurring 72 hours after a rain event.
 - ii. Investigate the source if evidence of illicit discharge is found;
 - iii. Eliminate non-stormwater discharges that are traced to their source and found to be illicit connections;
 - iv. Document investigations and actions taken using the Department's Illicit Connection Inspection Report Form. See www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/tier_a_forms.htm;
 - v. Inspect any outfall pipes newly identified in compliance with Part IV.B.6.a for illicit discharges;
 - vi. Investigate dry weather flows discovered during routine inspection and maintenance of other elements of the MS4; and
 - vii. Investigate, within three months of receipt, complaints and reports of illicit connections, including those from operating entities of interconnected MS4s.
- d. The Tier A Municipality shall adopt and enforce an ordinance that prohibits illicit connections to the municipal separate storm sewer system operated by the Tier A Municipality. See the Tier A Municipal Guidance document (www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/tier_a_guidance.htm) for a sample ordinance.

- e. Existing Permittee: An existing permittee shall meet the minimum standards of this permit, and the measurable goals (including any recordkeeping) and implementation schedules for MS4 Outfall Pipe Mapping, and Illicit Discharge and Scouring Detection and Control specified in Attachment A for Existing Permittees (Measurable Goals and Implementation Schedule).

C. Other Control Measures

1. Minimum Standards for Stormwater Facilities Maintenance

- a. The Tier A Municipality shall develop, update and implement a program to ensure adequate long-term cleaning, operation and maintenance of all municipally owned or operated stormwater facilities.
 - i. Stormwater facility inspection and maintenance must be performed pursuant to any maintenance plans, or more frequently as needed, to ensure the proper function and operation of the stormwater facility. See www.nj.gov/dep/stormwater/maintenance_guidance.htm.
 - ii. The Tier A Municipality shall maintain a log sufficient to demonstrate compliance with this section; including but not limited to the stormwater facility inspected, location information of the facility inspected (location information must be specific enough to locate and identify the stormwater facility in the field; e.g. geographic coordinates), name of inspector, date of inspection, findings, and any preventative and corrective maintenance performed. Example Maintenance Logs and Inspection Records forms which are sufficient to demonstrate compliance with this section are available at www.nj.gov/dep/stormwater/maintenance_guidance.htm.
 - iii. The Tier A Municipality shall certify annually that municipally owned or operated stormwater facilities are properly functioning.
 - iv. If stormwater facilities were found not to be functioning properly and repairs were not made, then necessary preventive and corrective maintenance shall be documented and prioritized, and a schedule for such repairs shall be maintained. The Tier A Municipality shall prioritize this schedule based upon but not limited to: (1) environmental, health and safety concerns; (2) the findings of catch basin and storm drain inlet inspections performed pursuant to Part IV.B.5.b.ii, above; (3) the findings of stream scouring inspections performed pursuant to Part IV.B.6.b, above; and (4) to incorporate the findings pursuant to Part IV.C.2 (TMDL Information), below.
- b. The Tier A Municipality shall develop, update, implement and enforce a program to ensure adequate long-term cleaning, operation and maintenance of stormwater facilities not owned or operated by the Tier A Municipality, not subject to the conditions of another NJPDES stormwater permit and constructed after February 7, 1984.
 - i. The Tier A Municipality shall ensure that stormwater facility maintenance is performed pursuant to any maintenance plans, or more frequently as needed to ensure the proper function and operation of the stormwater facility. See www.nj.gov/dep/stormwater/maintenance_guidance.htm.

- ii. The Tier A Municipality shall maintain a log sufficient to demonstrate compliance with this section; including but not limited to the actions taken by the municipality to enforce compliance with the long-term cleaning, operation and maintenance program; the stormwater facility that was the subject of the action; location information of the facility that was the subject of the action (location information must be specific enough to locate and identify the stormwater facility in the field; e.g. geographic coordinates); the name of person taking the action; the date of the action; and the findings. Example Maintenance Logs and Inspection Records forms which are sufficient to demonstrate compliance with this section are available at www.nj.gov/dep/stormwater/maintenance_guidance.htm.
- c. The Tier A Municipality shall maintain copies of all maintenance plans, as defined in Notes and Definitions Part IV.B.1.g of this permit, for stormwater facilities approved by the municipality. The Tier A municipality shall make copies of these maintenance plans available to the Department upon request.
- d. Existing Permittee: An existing permittee shall meet the minimum standards of this permit, and the measurable goals (including any recordkeeping) and implementation schedules for Stormwater Facilities Maintenance specified in Attachment A for Existing Permittees (Measurable Goals and Implementation Schedule).

2. Minimum Standards for Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) Information

- a. Incorporation of TMDL Information Into the SPPP
 - i. The Tier A Municipality shall annually review approved or adopted TMDL reports to identify stormwater related pollutants listed therein and associated with any segment of surface water wholly or partially within or bordering the Tier A Municipality. This information may be accessed at www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/msrp-tmdl-rh.htm;
 - ii. The Tier A Municipality shall use TMDL information identified in i, above to, at a minimum, (1) assist in the prioritization of stormwater facility maintenance including schedules for repairs required at Part IV.B.6.b.iv (Stream Scouring) and IV.C.1.a.iv (Stormwater Facilities Maintenance), above; and (2) identify and develop strategies to address specific sources of stormwater related pollutants contributing to discharges authorized under this Tier A MS4 NJPDES permit. Strategies may include but are not limited to those found in the implementation section of approved or adopted TMDL reports (for examples see "Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) Guidance for Tier A MS4 Permittees" found at www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/msrp-tmdl-rh.htm); and
 - iii. The Tier A Municipality shall annually update its SPPP to list information identified in i and ii, above; and
 - iv. The Tier A Municipality shall incorporate any strategies identified in ii(2), above as an Optional Measure. See Part IV.E (Optional Measures) and Part IV.F.1.c (SPPP), below.
- b. Existing Permittee: An existing permittee shall meet the minimum standards of this permit, and the measurable goals (including any recordkeeping) and implementation schedules for Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) Information specified in Attachment A for Existing Permittees (Measurable Goals and Implementation Schedule).

D. Additional Measures

1. Incorporation of Additional Measures

- a. Additional Measures are non-numeric (e.g., best management practices) or numeric effluent limitations that are expressly required to be included in a Tier A Municipality's stormwater program by a TMDL; a regional stormwater management plan; other elements of an adopted areawide Water Quality Management Plan; or the adopted Statewide Water Quality Management Plan.
- b. The Department will provide written notice of the adoption of any Additional Measure(s) to any affected Tier A Municipality. The Department will list each adopted Additional Measure in a minor modification to the Tier A MS4 NJPDES permit. For any required Additional Measure(s) other than numeric effluent limitations, the required Additional Measure(s) will specify the best management practices that shall be implemented and the measurable goals. The required Additional Measure(s) will also specify the implementation schedule.

E. Optional Measures

1. Incorporation of Optional Measures

- a. Optional Measures are BMPs, developed by the Tier A Municipality, that extend beyond the requirements of the Tier A MS4 NJPDES permit and that prevent or reduce pollution to waters of the State.
- b. The Tier A Municipality may, at its own discretion, incorporate Optional Measures into its MS4 stormwater program. Such BMPs shall be identified in the SPPP as Optional Measures.
- c. Failure to implement an Optional Measure identified in the SPPP shall not be considered a violation of the NJPDES permit.

2. Refuse Container / Dumpster Ordinance

- a. Tier A Municipalities have the option of adopting and enforcing an ordinance requiring dumpsters and other refuse containers that are outdoors or exposed to stormwater to be covered at all times. This ordinance serves to prevent the spilling, dumping, leaking, or otherwise discharge of liquids, semi-liquids or solids from the containers. This ordinance is not intended for litter receptacles; individual homeowner trash and recycling containers; containers that hold large bulky items (e.g., furniture, bound carpet and padding); permitted temporary demolition containers; and refuse containers at industrial facilities authorized to discharge stormwater under a valid NJPDES permit. For a sample ordinance see www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/tier_a.htm.

F. Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SPPP)

1. SPPP Requirements

- a. The Tier A Municipality shall develop, update, implement, and maintain a written SPPP (see the Tier A Municipal Guidance document www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/tier_a_guidance.htm) that:
 - i. Identifies the person designated as the Municipal Stormwater Program Coordinator (Stormwater Coordinator) per Part IV.F.2, below and the members of the SPPP Team.
 - ii. Documents the municipality's Tier A MS4 Stormwater Program including a description of shared or contracted services as allowed under Part IV.F.4, below.
 - iii. Describes the measures necessary for compliance with all components of the Tier A MS4 NJPDES permit including all measures described in Part IV.B, C, D and E above.

- iv. Reflects the measurable goals, implementation schedules, record keeping and other requirements in Attachment A for Existing Permittees and Attachment A-1 for New Permittees (Measurable Goals and Implementation Schedule).
- b. The Tier A Municipality's Stormwater Coordinator shall sign and date the SPPP per Part IV.F.3, below.
- c. The Tier A Municipality shall review the SPPP at least annually and update it as often as necessary to reflect changes related to the municipality's Tier A MS4 Stormwater Program. Any amendments to the SPPP:
 - i. Shall continue to meet the requirements of this permit;
 - ii. Shall be signed and dated by the Stormwater Coordinator; and
 - iii. Shall be retained for a period of at least five years from the date of amendment unless the Department issues a written notice to extend the retention period.
- d. The SPPP shall include any records required by this Tier A MS4 NJPDES permit. See Attachment A for Existing Permittees and Attachment A-1 for New Permittees (Measurable Goals and Implementation Schedule) for additional detail.
- e. The Department may notify the Tier A Municipality at any time that the SPPP does not meet one or more of the minimum requirements. Within thirty (30) days after receiving such notification unless otherwise specified by the Department, the Tier A Municipality shall amend the SPPP to adequately address all deficiencies, and written certification of such amendments shall be submitted to the Department.
- f. The current SPPP shall be posted on the Tier A Municipality's website no later than EDPA + 90 days with updates posted annually thereafter. The version posted on the website can exclude:
 - i. Inspection logs and other required record keeping; and
 - ii. The names of SPPP Team members but must include the name of the Stormwater Coordinator.
- g. The SPPP shall be made available to the Department and public upon request pursuant to N.J.A.C. 7:14A-25.6(j)2.

2. Designation of the Municipal Stormwater Program Coordinator (Stormwater Coordinator)

- a. Each Tier A Municipality shall designate a Stormwater Coordinator.
- b. The Stormwater Coordinator shall be either a principal executive officer or a ranking elected official as required at N.J.A.C. 7:14A-4.9(a)3;
- c. A principal executive officer or ranking elected official of the Tier A Municipality may assign this responsibility, as allowed at N.J.A.C. 7:14A-4.9(b), to a duly authorized representative who has overall responsibility for the operation of municipal stormwater facilities or municipal environmental matters;
- d. If an assignment under b or c, above changes, then a new assignment of responsibility shall be submitted to the Department. This is accomplished through completion of the online MSRP Annual Report (see Part IV.G Annual Report and Certification below) or the Stormwater Program Coordinator Information Update Sheet posted at www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/pdf/msrp_update_form.pdf. This information shall be submitted to the Department within 30 days of such change taking place.

3. Responsibilities of the Municipal Stormwater Program Coordinator (Stormwater Coordinator)

- a. The Tier A Municipality shall designate a Municipal Stormwater Program Coordinator (Stormwater Coordinator). The Stormwater Coordinator is responsible for:
 - i. Coordinating the permittee's implementation of the SPPP and Tier A MS4 NJPDES permit conditions;
 - ii. Signing and dating the SPPP;
 - iii. Coordinating the completion and submittal of the Annual Report and Certification; and
 - iv. Certifying, signing and dating the Annual Report.

4. Implementation of SPPP Conditions through Shared or Contracted Services

- a. The Tier A Municipality may rely on another governmental, private, or nonprofit entity to satisfy one or more of the Tier A Municipality's MS4 NJPDES permit conditions, or component thereof, through the implementation of best management practices or control measures. This is only allowable provided the following conditions are met:
 - i. The other entity implements the best management practice(s) or control measure(s);
 - ii. The particular best management practice(s) or control measure(s), or component(s) thereof, is at least as stringent or as frequent as the corresponding NJPDES permit requirement;
 - iii. The other entity agrees in writing or is required by law to implement the measure(s), or component(s) thereof, in such a manner that is in compliance with the Tier A MS4 NJPDES permit on the Tier A Municipality's behalf; and
 - iv. The Tier A Municipality specifies in its SPPP (1) which NJPDES permit conditions will be implemented by another entity and (2) the name of the responsible entity.
- b. For any projects or activities which the Tier A Municipality assigns to another entity which is a private contractor, the awarded contract shall require the contractor to conduct such projects or activities in such a manner that is in compliance with the Tier A MS4 NJPDES permit.
- c. The Tier A Municipality is responsible for compliance with this permit if the other entity fails to implement the measure(s) or component(s), thereof.

G. Annual Report and Certification

1. Reporting Requirements

- a. The Tier A Municipality shall complete an Annual Report, including any Supplemental Questions, using the electronic format provided by the Department via the MSRP Annual Report service accessed through the Regulatory Services Portal (www.njdeponline.com). The Annual Report shall summarize the status of compliance with the conditions of this permit. Specifically, this includes compliance for the subject year between January 1 and December 31 with the Statewide Basic Requirements (Part IV.B), Other Control Measures (Part IV.C), Additional Measures (Part IV.D), Optional Measures (Part IV.E), Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (Part IV.F), and any other Tier A MS4 NJPDES permit conditions listed on the Annual Report form, including Supplemental Questions.

- b. The Stormwater Coordinator shall certify, sign and date the Annual Report.
- c. Submit an Annual Report and Certification: on or before May 1st annually to the Department through the Regulatory Services Portal (instructions at www.nj.gov/dep/dwq/tier_a.htm).
- d. A copy of each Annual Report and Certification shall be kept at a central location and shall be made available to the Department for inspection.
- e. The Tier A Municipality shall retain the Annual Report and Certification as well as any records required to be kept by this permit for a period of at least five years.
- f. The Tier A Municipality shall document in the Annual Report (1) if it relies on another entity to satisfy one or more of the Tier A Municipality's MS4 NJPDES permit conditions as described in Part IV.F.4.a (Implementation of SPPP Conditions through Shared or Contracted Services), above; (2) which NJPDES permit conditions will be satisfied by another entity; and (3) the name of the governmental, private, or nonprofit entity.

LOWER TWP, Lower Twp

Permit No. NJG0151092
DST170001 Stormwater Discharge General Permit Authorization
Renewal

Attachment A – Measurable Goals and Implementation Schedule for Existing Permittees

General

The following table specifies the Measurable Goals and Implementation Schedule of this Tier A MS4 NIPDES Permit for Existing Permittees. Each Measurable Goal and Implementation Schedule is associated with a permit citation and a summary of the associated Minimum Standard. The summary of Minimum Standard column represents a paraphrase of permit conditions. Actual Minimum Standards are found in Part IV of the permit.

An indication of whether the cited Minimum Standard is a new requirement is provided in the last column. Where a requirement is not new and not modified (and for some that are modified), the Existing Permittee is expected to be in compliance on the Effective Date of Permit Authorization (EDPA). For most new requirements (and for some modified requirements), additional time is provided for achieving compliance.

See below for specific Measurable Goals that shall be documented in the SPPP. **The SPPP shall be updated as required by Part IV.F.1.c, above.** The Implementation Schedule refers to the date that a Minimum Standard must be incorporated into the Tier A Municipality's stormwater program, along with any ongoing requirements. In addition to the requirements of Part IV.F.1 above, the SPPP shall identify and discuss the Minimum Standard of each Statewide Basic Requirement (Part IV.B, above) and Other Control Measures (Part IV.C, above) where the following information is required for each item:

- Describe the method of implementation;
- Include required recordkeeping;
- Include an implementation schedule, consistent with permit requirements, including interim milestones;
- Include any special diagrams required by the permit (e.g., stormwater facilities map); and
- Include inspection and maintenance schedules, as appropriate.

This table does not include Measurable Goals and an Implementation Schedule for the Notes and Definitions Part IV, Part IV.A (Permit Overview), Part IV.D (Additional Measures), IV.E (Optional Measures), IV.F (SPPP), and IV.G (Annual Report and Certification) because these are not Statewide Basic Requirements or Other Control Measures (see N.J.A.C. 7:14A-25.6). While not included in this table, Notes and Definitions Part IV, Part IV.A, D, E, F, and G are permit requirements and compliance is required.

Measurable Goals for Statewide Basic Requirements and Other Conditions of this Permit for Existing Permittees

Summary of Minimum Standard (See Part IV for specific permit requirements)	Permit Cite	Measurable Goal (See Part IV for specific permit requirements)	Implementation Schedule	New Requirement?
Public Involvement and Participation Including Public Notice				
Provide for public notice under the Open Public Meetings Act, statutory procedures for enactment of ordinances, and Municipal Land Use Law when providing for public participation in the development and implementation of a stormwater program, and maintain records necessary to demonstrate compliance.	IV.B.1.a & d	Certify in each annual report that all public notice requirements have been met and relevant records kept. Reference in the SPPP the location of associated municipal records.	EDPA	No
Provide the current SPPP to the public upon request.	IV.B.1.b.i	Certify in each annual report that the SPPP was made available to the public.	EDPA	No
Post the current SPPP on the municipality's website.	IV.B.1.b.ii	Certify in each annual report that the SPPP has been posted on the municipality's website (to the extent required by Part IV.F.1.f) and that the posted SPPP is current.	EDPA + 90 days	Yes
Post the current Municipal Stormwater Management Plan (MSWMP) and related ordinances on the municipality's website.	IV.B.1.b.iii	Certify in each annual report that the MSWMP and related ordinances have been posted on the municipality's website and that the posted documents are current.	EDPA + 90 days	Yes
Local Public Education and Outreach				
Implementation of a Public Education and Outreach Program by conducting activities that total a minimum of 12 points on an annual basis.	IV.B.2.a	Certify in each annual report that the minimum point value has been met and report point totals in the Annual Report. Maintain records of materials and activities from Attachment B, including dates of activities and any other relevant documentation (e.g. brochures, pictures, sign-in sheets, press clippings).	EDPA	Modified
Label storm drain inlets, maintain the legibility of those labels, and replace labels that are missing or not legible along sidewalks that are adjacent to municipal streets; and within plazas, parking areas or maintenance yards operated by the municipality.	IV.B.2.b	Certify in each annual report that storm drains have been properly labeled and/or maintained. Records tracking storm drain inlet label status shall be kept with the SPPP.	EDPA	No

Summary of Minimum Standard (See Part IV for specific permit requirements)	Permit Cite	Measurable Goal (See Part IV for specific permit requirements)	Implementation Schedule	New Requirement?
Advertise public involvement program(s) pertaining to education and outreach activities.	IV.B.2.c	Certify in each annual report that public involvement program(s) have been properly advertised on the website, through a mailing, through newspaper advertisement, or other similar means. Public advertisement records shall be kept with the SPPP.	EDPA + 12 months	Yes
Post Construction Stormwater Management in New Development and Redevelopment				
Develop, update, implement and enforce its post construction stormwater management program in new development and redevelopment to ensure compliance with the Stormwater Management rules (N.J.A.C. 7:8).	IV.B.4.a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j, l	Certify in each annual report that the Tier A Municipality has developed, and is implementing and enforcing a program to address stormwater runoff from new development and redevelopment projects. Records demonstrating compliance with Part IV.B.4 shall be kept, or their location shall be referenced, in the SPPP.	EDPA	No
For each structural and non-structural stormwater measure (e.g. basins), for which an application is made to the municipality after EDPA, the municipality shall complete, update, finalize and maintain a Major Development Stormwater Summary.	IV.B.4.k	Certify in each annual report that Major Development Stormwater Summaries (Attachment D) have been completed and records have been maintained by the Tier A municipality. Records demonstrating compliance with Part IV.B.4 shall be kept, or their location shall be referenced, in the SPPP.	EDPA	Yes
Pollution Prevention/Good Housekeeping - Community Wide Ordinances				
Adopt and enforce a pet waste ordinance. Distribute pet waste ordinance information with pet licenses.	IV.B.5.a.i	Certify in each annual report the date the ordinance was adopted, that it is being enforced and that pet waste ordinance information is distributed with pet licenses. A log of enforcement actions and information distribution dates shall be kept in the SPPP.	EDPA	No
Adopt and enforce a wildlife feeding ordinance.	IV.B.5.a.ii	Certify in each annual report the date the ordinance was adopted and that it is being enforced. A log of enforcement actions shall be kept in the SPPP.	EDPA	No

Summary of Minimum Standard (See Part IV for specific permit requirements)	Permit Cite	Measurable Goal (See Part IV for specific permit requirements)	Implementation Schedule	New Requirement?
Adopt and enforce a litter control ordinance.	IV.B.5.a.iii	Certify in each annual report the date the ordinance was adopted and that it is being enforced. A log of enforcement actions shall be kept in the SPPP.	EDPA	No
Adopt and enforce an improper disposal of waste ordinance.	IV.B.5.a.iv	Certify in each annual report the date the ordinance was adopted and that it is being enforced. A log of enforcement actions shall be kept in the SPPP.	EDPA	No
Adopt and enforce a containerized yard waste / yard waste collection program ordinance.	IV.B.5.a.v	Certify in each annual report the date the ordinance was adopted and that it is being enforced. A log of enforcement actions shall be kept in the SPPP.	EDPA	No
Adopt and enforce a private storm drain inlet retrofitting ordinance	IV.B.5.a.vi	Certify in each annual report the date the ordinance was adopted and that it is being enforced. A log of enforcement actions shall be kept in the SPPP.	EDPA	No
Pollution Prevention/Good Housekeeping - Community Wide Measures				
Develop and continue to implement street sweeping measures as specified at Part IV.B.5.b.i.	IV.B.5.b.i	Certify in each annual report that a street sweeping schedule is being maintained as well as records including the date and areas swept, number of miles of streets swept, and the total amount of materials collected in wet tons. Include totals in the Annual Report and keep records in the SPPP.	EDPA	No
Develop and continue to implement catch basin and storm drain inlet inspection and cleaning measures as specified at Part IV.B.5.b.ii.	IV.B.5.b.ii	Certify in each annual report that a catch basin and storm drain inlet inspection and cleaning schedule is being maintained, and a log indicating the number of municipally owned and operated catch basins and inlets within the municipality, the number of catch basins and inlets inspected, and the number cleaned is being maintained. Maintain records documenting the amount of materials collected in wet tons during cleaning activities in the SPPP. Include totals in the Annual Report.	EDPA	Modified

Summary of Minimum Standard (See Part IV for specific permit requirements)	Permit Cite	Measurable Goal (See Part IV for specific permit requirements)	Implementation Schedule	New Requirement?
Develop and continue to implement storm drain inlet retrofit measures as specified at Part IV.B.5.b.iii.	IV.B.5.b.iii	Certify in each annual report that a record of the number and location of storm drain inlets retrofitted as well as the number and location of storm drain inlets exempted is being maintained. Include totals in the Annual Report and keep records in the SPPP.	EDPA	No
Pollution Prevention/Good Housekeeping - Municipal Maintenance Yards and Other Ancillary Operations				
Implement the BMP's found in Attachment E, including the Inventory of Materials and Machinery, and Inspections and Good Housekeeping practices, at Municipal Maintenance Yards and Other Ancillary Operations.	IV.B.5.c	Certify in each annual report that the SPPP includes all applicable requirements and that the requirements (including maintenance of inspection logs and tracking forms) of Attachment E have been met. Keep records required by Attachment E in the SPPP.	EDPA	No
BMPs shall be implemented for fueling operations.	IV.B.5.c.i	Certify in each annual report that BMPs in Attachment E have been implemented for fueling operations.	EDPA	No
BMPs shall be implemented for discharge of stormwater from secondary containment.	IV.B.5.c.ii	Certify in each annual report that BMPs in Attachment E have been implemented for discharge of stormwater from secondary containment.	EDPA	No
BMPs shall be implemented for vehicle maintenance.	IV.B.5.c.iii	Certify in each annual report that BMPs in Attachment E have been implemented for vehicle maintenance.	EDPA	No
BMPs shall be implemented for on-site equipment and vehicle washing and wash wastewater containment.	IV.B.5.c.iv	Certify in each annual report that BMPs in Attachment E have been implemented for on-site equipment and vehicle washing and wash wastewater containment.	EDPA	Modified
BMPs shall be implemented for salt and de-icing material storage and handling.	IV.B.5.c.v	Certify in each annual report that BMPs in Attachment E have been implemented for salt and de-icing material storage and handling.	EDPA	No
BMPs shall be implemented for aggregate material and construction debris storage.	IV.B.5.c.vi	Certify in each annual report that BMPs in Attachment E have been implemented for aggregate material and construction debris storage.	EDPA + 12 months	Yes

Summary of Minimum Standard (See Part IV for specific permit requirements)	Permit Cite	Measurable Goal (See Part IV for specific permit requirements)	Implementation Schedule	New Requirement?
BMPs shall be implemented for street sweepings and catch basin clean-out material storage.	IV.B.5.c.vii	Certify in each annual report that BMPs in Attachment E have been implemented for street sweepings and catch basin clean-out material storage.	EDPA + 12 months	Yes
BMPs shall be implemented for yard trimmings and wood waste management sites.	IV.B.5.c.viii	Certify in each annual report that BMPs in Attachment E have been implemented for yard trimmings and wood waste management sites.	EDPA + 12 months	Yes
BMPs shall be implemented for roadside vegetation management.	IV.B.5.c.ix	Certify in each annual report that BMPs in Attachment E have been implemented for roadside vegetation management.	EDPA + 12 months	Yes
Pollution Prevention/Good Housekeeping - Training Program				
Provide training to municipal employees within 3 months of commencement of duties, and at least once every two years thereafter, to address all required components. The exceptions are Part IV.B.5.d.v, viii, and x which require annual training instead of once every two years.	IV.B.5.d	Certify in each annual report that employee training has been conducted, and maintain records including sign in sheet(s), date(s) of training, and training agenda(s). These records shall be kept in the SPPP.	EDPA + 12 months	Modified
Ensure that individuals that review development and redevelopment projects for compliance with N.J.A.C. 7:8 on behalf of the municipality complete Department approved training once every five years.	IV.B.5.e	Certify in each annual report that individuals reviewing projects have completed the required training, and maintain a list of the names and dates that individuals received training. This list shall be kept in the SPPP.	EDPA + 12 months	Yes
Ensure that current Municipal Board and Governing Body Members that review and approve applications for development and redevelopment projects complete the "Training Tool" on or before EDPA + 6 months, and by new members within 6 months of commencement of duties. Once per term of service thereafter, Municipal Board and Governing Body Members must review at least one of the tools offered under the Post-Construction Stormwater Management website.	IV.B.5.f	Certify in each annual report that municipal board and governing body members have completed the necessary training, and maintain a list of the names and dates that individuals completed training. This list shall be kept in the SPPP.	EDPA + 6 months	Yes

Summary of Minimum Standard (See Part IV for specific permit requirements)	Permit Cite	Measurable Goal (See Part IV for specific permit requirements)	Implementation Schedule	New Requirement?
MS4 Outfall Pipe Mapping and Illicit Discharge and Scouring Detection and Control				
Develop, update and maintain an MS4 Outfall Pipe Map showing the location of the end of all outfall pipe which discharge to a surface water body.	IV.B.6.a.i	Certify in each annual report that the outfall pipe map is current at the end of the calendar year.	EDPA	No
Show the location (and name where known) of all surface water bodies receiving discharges from those outfall pipes.	IV.B.6.a.ii	Certify in each annual report that the surface water bodies associated with each outfall pipe end is located on the map.	EDPA	No
Include Outfall Pipe map in the SPPP	IV.B.6.a.iii	Certify in each annual report following the implementation deadline that the Outfall Pipe Map is included in the SPPP.	EDPA +12 months	Yes
Provide Outfall Pipe Map to the Department	IV.B.6.a.iv	Certify in each annual report following the implementation deadline that the Outfall Pipe Map and any new data points subsequently added to the map have been provided to the Department.	EDPA +12 months	Yes
Submitted the Outfall Pipe Map information to the Department electronically by December 21, 2020	IV.B.6.a.v	Submit the Outfall Pipe Map information to the Department using Department's designated electronic submission service by December 21, 2020.	12/21/2020	Yes
Develop, update and implement a program to detect, investigate and control localized stream scouring from stormwater outfall pipes.	IV.B.6.b	Certify in each annual report that municipally owned outfall pipes have received the required visual inspection at least once every five years and maintain a log indicating the number and location of outfall pipes inspected, repairs prioritized, and repairs scheduled or performed. Certify in the annual report that a repair schedule has been prepared for those that have not been completed. Keep records required by Part IV.B.6.b in the SPPP.	EDPA + 12 months	Modified

Summary of Minimum Standard (See Part IV for specific permit requirements)	Permit Cite	Measurable Goal (See Part IV for specific permit requirements)	Implementation Schedule	New Requirement?
Develop, update, implement and enforce an ongoing Illicit Discharge Detection and Elimination Program.	IV.B.6.c	Certify in each annual report that the municipality has developed a program to detect and eliminate illicit discharges and has conducted inspections required at Part IV.B.6.c at least once every five years. Document all investigations and actions taken on the Department's Illicit Connection Inspection Report Form. Keep records required by Part IV.B.6.c in the SPPP.	EDPA	Modified
Adopt and enforce an ordinance that prohibits illicit connections to the MS4 operated by the Tier A Municipality.	IV.B.6.d	Certify in each annual report that the ordinance is being maintained and the date it was adopted. A log of enforcement actions shall be kept in the SPPP.	EDPA	No
Stormwater Facilities Maintenance				
Develop, update and implement a program to ensure adequate long-term cleaning, operation and maintenance of all stormwater facilities owned or operated by the Tier A Municipality.	IV.C.1.a	Certify in each annual report that the municipality has developed, updated and implemented a program to ensure adequate long-term cleaning, operation and maintenance of all municipally owned stormwater facilities. Records required by Part IV.C.1.a, a.i, a.ii, a.iii and a.iv shall be kept, or their location shall be referenced, in the SPPP.	EDPA	Modified
Inspect and maintain stormwater facilities, pursuant to any maintenance plans, or more frequently as needed, to ensure proper function and operation of each stormwater facility.	IV.C.1.a.i	Certify in each annual report that inspections and maintenance was performed pursuant to any maintenance plans, or more frequently as needed, to ensure proper function and operation of stormwater facilities.	EDPA	Modified

Summary of Minimum Standard (See Part IV for specific permit requirements)	Permit Cite	Measurable Goal (See Part IV for specific permit requirements)	Implementation Schedule	New Requirement?
Maintain a log sufficient to demonstrate compliance with this section; including but not limited a list of inspections and preventative and corrective maintenance performed, and a schedule for repairs to be made.	IV.C.1.a.ii	Certify in each annual report that a maintenance log is kept that, at a minimum, records the stormwater facility inspected, location information of the facility inspected (location information must be specific enough to locate and identify the stormwater facility in the field; e.g. geographic coordinates), name of inspector, date of inspection, findings, and any preventative and corrective maintenance performed.	EDPA	Modified
Certify annually that municipally owned or operated stormwater facilities are properly functioning.	IV.C.1.a.iii	Certify in each annual report that all municipally owned or operated stormwater facilities are properly functioning.	EDPA	No
If stormwater facilities were found not to be functioning properly and repairs not made, then necessary preventative and corrective maintenance shall be documented and prioritized and a schedule for maintenance shall be maintained.	IV.C.1.a.iv	Certify in each annual report that a prioritized schedule of necessary preventive and corrective maintenance exists for stormwater facilities inspected and found not to be functioning properly. The municipality shall prioritize this schedule as specified in Part IV.C.1.iv.	EDPA	Modified
Develop, update, implement and enforce a program to ensure adequate long-term cleaning, operation and maintenance of stormwater facilities not owned or operated by the Tier A Municipality, not subject to the conditions of another NJPDES stormwater permit and constructed after February 7, 1984.	IV.C.1.b	Certify in each annual report that the municipality has developed, updated, implemented and enforced a program to ensure adequate long-term cleaning, operation and maintenance of stormwater facilities not owned and operated by the municipality, not subject to the conditions of another NJPDES stormwater permit and constructed after February 7, 1984. Records required by Part IV.C.1.b, b.i and b.ii shall be kept, or their location shall be referenced, in the SPPP.	EDPA + 12 months	Modified

Summary of Minimum Standard (See Part IV for specific permit requirements)	Permit Cite	Measurable Goal (See Part IV for specific permit requirements)	Implementation Schedule	New Requirement?
Ensure that stormwater facility inspection and maintenance is performed pursuant to any maintenance plans, or more frequently as needed to ensure proper function and operation of each stormwater facility. Maintain a log sufficient to demonstrate compliance with this section; including but not limited actions taken by the municipality to enforce compliance with the long-term cleaning, operation and maintenance program.	IV.C.1.b.i	Certify in each annual report that maintenance was performed pursuant to any maintenance plans, or more frequently, to ensure proper function and operation of stormwater facilities not owned and operated by the municipality.	EDPA + 12 months	Modified
	IV.C.1.b.ii	Certify in each annual report that a log is being kept that, at a minimum, records the actions taken by the municipality to enforce compliance with the long-term cleaning, operation and maintenance program; the stormwater facility that was the subject of the action; location information of the facility that was the subject of the action (location information must be specific enough to locate and identify the stormwater facility in the field; e.g. geographic coordinates); the name of person taking the action; the date of the action; and the findings.	EDPA + 12 months	Modified
Maintain copies of all maintenance plans for stormwater facilities approved by the municipality, and make them available to the Department upon request.	IV.C.1.c	Certify in each annual report that copies of all maintenance plans are kept on file. Records required by Part IV.C.1.c shall be kept, or their location shall be referenced, in the SPPP.	EDPA + 12 months	Yes
Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) Info.				
Annually review approved or adopted TMDL reports to identify stormwater related pollutants listed therein and associated with any segment of surface water wholly or partially within or bordering the Tier A Municipality.	IV.C.2.a.i	Certify in each annual report that approved or adopted TMDLs have been identified and reviewed and stormwater related pollutants identified. Records required by Part IV.C.2.a.i, a.ii and a.iii shall be kept in the SPPP.	EDPA + 12 months	Yes

Summary of Minimum Standard (See Part IV for specific permit requirements)	Permit Cite	Measurable Goal (See Part IV for specific permit requirements)	Implementation Schedule	New Requirement?
Use TMDL information identified in compliance with Part IV.C.2.a.i to: (1) assist in the prioritization of stormwater facility maintenance including schedules for repairs related to Stream Scouring and Stormwater Facilities Maintenance; and (2) identify and develop strategies to address specific sources of stormwater related pollutants contributing to discharges authorized under this Tier A MS4 NJPDES permit.	IV.C.2.a.ii	Certify in each annual report that the municipality has used information identified in compliance with Part VI.C.2.a.i to (1) assist in the prioritization of repairs as required at Part IV.B.6.b.iv (Stream Scouring) and IV.C.3.1.a.iv (Stormwater Facilities Maintenance); and (2) identify and develop strategies to address specific sources of stormwater related pollutants contributing to discharges authorized under this Tier A MS4 NJPDES permit.	EDPA + 12 months	Yes
Update SPPP to list information identified in Part VI.C.2.a.i and ii.	IV.C.2.a.iii	Certify in each annual report that the municipality has updated its SPPP to list information identified in Part VI.C.2.a.i and ii.	EDPA + 12 months	Yes
Incorporate any strategies identified in Part VI.C.2.a.ii(2) as an Optional Measure	IV.C.2.a.iv	Certify in each annual report that the municipality has incorporated any strategies identified in Part VI.C.2.a.ii(2) as an Optional Measure.	EDPA + 12 months	Yes

Attachment A-1 – Measurable Goals and Implementation Schedule for New Permittees

General

The following table specifies the Measurable Goals and Implementation Schedule of this Tier A MS4 NJPDES Permit for New Permittees. Each Measurable Goal and Implementation Schedule is associated with a permit citation and a summary of the associated Minimum Standard. The summary of Minimum Standard column represents a paraphrase of permit conditions. Actual Minimum Standards are found in Part IV of the permit.

See below for specific Measurable Goals that shall be documented in the SPPP. **The SPPP shall be created by EDP + 12 months and updated on annual basis thereafter as required by Part IV.F.** The Implementation Schedule refers to the date that a Minimum Standard must be incorporated into the Tier A Municipality's stormwater program, along with any ongoing requirements. In addition to the requirements of Part IV.F above, the SPPP shall identify and discuss the Minimum Standard of each Statewide Basic Requirement (Part IV.B, above) and Other Control Measures (Part IV.C, above) where the following information is required for each item:

- Describe the method of implementation;
- Include required recordkeeping;
- Include an implementation schedule, consistent with permit requirements, including interim milestones;
- Include any special diagrams required by the permit (e.g., stormwater facilities map); and
- Include inspection and maintenance schedules, as appropriate.

This table does not include Measurable Goals and an Implementation Schedule for the Notes and Definitions Part IV, Part IV.A (Permit Overview), Part IV.D (Additional Measures), IV.E (Optional Measures), IV.F (SPPP), and IV.G (Annual Report and Certification) because these are not Statewide Basic Requirements or Other Control Measures (see N.J.A.C. 7:14A-25.6). While not included in this table, Notes and Definitions Part IV, Part IV.A, D, E, F, and G are permit requirements and compliance is required.

Measurable Goals for Statewide Basic Requirements and Other Conditions of this Permit for New Permittees			
Summary of Minimum Standard (See Part IV for specific permit requirements)	Permit Cite	Measurable Goal (See Part IV for specific permit requirements)	Implementation Schedule
Public Involvement and Participation Including Public Notice			
Provide for public notice under the Open Public Meetings Act, statutory procedures for enactment of ordinances, and Municipal Land Use Law when providing for public participation in the development and implementation of a stormwater program, and maintain records necessary to demonstrate compliance.	IV.B.1.a & d	Certify in each annual report that all public notice requirements have been met and relevant records kept. Reference in the SPPP the location of associated municipal records.	EDPA
Provide the current SPPP to the public upon request.	IV.B.1.b.i	Certify in each annual report that the SPPP was made available to the public.	EDPA + 12 months
Post the current SPPP on the municipality's website.	IV.B.1.b.ii	Certify in each annual report that the SPPP has been posted on the municipality's website (to the extent required by Part IV.F.1.f) and that the posted SPPP is current.	EDPA + 12 months
Post the current Municipal Stormwater Management Plan (MSWMP) and related ordinances on the municipality's website.	IV.B.1.b.iii	Certify in each annual report that the MSWMP and related ordinances have been posted on the municipality's website and that the posted documents are current.	EDPA + 90 days
Local Public Education and Outreach			
Implementation of a Public Education and Outreach Program by conducting activities that total a minimum of 12 points on an annual basis.	IV.B.2.a	Certify in each annual report that the minimum point value has been met and report point totals in the Annual Report. Maintain records of materials and activities from Attachment B, including dates of activities and any other relevant documentation (e.g. brochures, pictures, sign-in sheets, press clippings).	EDPA

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Label storm drain inlets, maintain the legibility of those labels, and replace labels that are missing or not legible along sidewalks that are adjacent to municipal streets; and within plazas, parking areas or maintenance yards operated by the municipality.	IV.B.2.b	Certify in each annual report that storm drains have been properly labeled and/or maintained. Records tracking storm drain inlet label status shall be kept with the SPPP.	EDPA
Advertise public involvement program(s) pertaining to education and outreach activities.	IV.B.2.c	Certify in each annual report that public involvement program(s) have been properly advertised on the website, through a mailing, through newspaper advertisement, or other similar means. Public advertisement records shall be kept with the SPPP.	EDPA + 12 months
Post Construction Stormwater Management in New Development and Redevelopment			
Develop, update, implement and enforce its post construction stormwater management program in new development and redevelopment to ensure compliance with the Stormwater Management rules (N.J.A.C. 7:8).	IV.B.4.a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j, l	Certify in each annual report that the Tier A Municipality has developed, and is implementing and enforcing a program to address stormwater runoff from new development and redevelopment projects. Records demonstrating compliance with Part IV.B.4 shall be kept, or their location shall be referenced, in the SPPP.	EDPA
For each structural and non-structural stormwater measure (basins), for which an application is made to the municipality after EDPA, the municipality shall complete, update, finalize and maintain a Major Development Stormwater Summary.	IV.B.4.k	Certify in each annual report that Major Development Stormwater Summaries (Attachment D) have been completed and records have been maintained by the Tier A municipality. Records demonstrating compliance with Part IV.B.4 shall be kept, or their location shall be referenced, in the SPPP.	EDPA

Pollution Prevention/Good Housekeeping - Community Wide Ordinances		
Adopt and enforce a pet waste ordinance. Distribute pet waste ordinance information with pet licenses.	IV.B.5.a.i	Certify in each annual report the date the ordinance was adopted, that it is being enforced and that pet waste ordinance information is distributed with pet licenses. A log of enforcement actions and information distribution dates shall be kept in the SPPP.
Adopt and enforce a wildlife feeding ordinance.	IV.B.5.a.ii	Certify in each annual report the date the ordinance was adopted and that it is being enforced. A log of enforcement actions shall be kept in the SPPP.
Adopt and enforce a litter control ordinance.	IV.B.5.a.iii	Certify in each annual report the date the ordinance was adopted and that it is being enforced. A log of enforcement actions shall be kept in the SPPP.
Adopt and enforce an improper disposal of waste ordinance.	IV.B.5.a.iv	Certify in each annual report the date the ordinance was adopted and that it is being enforced. A log of enforcement actions shall be kept in the SPPP.
Adopt and enforce a containerized yard waste / yard waste collection program ordinance.	IV.B.5.a.v	Certify in each annual report the date the ordinance was adopted and that it is being enforced. A log of enforcement actions shall be kept in the SPPP.
Adopt and enforce a private storm drain inlet retrofitting ordinance	IV.B.5.a.vi	Certify in each annual report the date the ordinance was adopted and that it is being enforced. A log of enforcement actions shall be kept in the SPPP.
Pollution Prevention/Good Housekeeping - Community Wide Measures		
Develop and continue to implement street sweeping measures as specified at Part IV.B.5.b.i.	IV.B.5.b.i	Certify in each annual report that a street sweeping schedule is being maintained as well as records including the date and areas swept, number of miles of streets swept, and the total amount of materials collected in wet tons. Include totals in the Annual Report and keep records in the SPPP.

<p>Develop and continue to implement catch basin and storm drain inlet inspection and cleaning measures as specified at Part IV.B.5.b.ii.</p>	<p>IV.B.5.b.ii</p>	<p>Certify in each annual report that a catch basin and storm drain inlet inspection and cleaning schedule is being maintained, and a log indicating the number of municipally owned and operated catch basins and inlets within the municipality, the number of catch basins and inlets inspected, and the number cleaned is being maintained. Maintain records documenting the amount of materials collected in wet tons during cleaning activities in the SPPP. Include totals in the Annual Report.</p>	<p>EDPA + 24 months</p>
<p>Develop and continue to implement storm drain inlet retrofit measures as specified at Part IV.B.5.b.iii.</p>	<p>IV.B.5.b.iii</p>	<p>Certify in each annual report that a record of the number and location of storm drain inlets retrofitted as well as the number and location of storm drain inlets exempted is being maintained. Include totals in the Annual Report and keep records in the SPPP.</p>	<p>EDPA + 12 months</p>
<p>Pollution Prevention/Good Housekeeping - Municipal Maintenance Yards and Other Ancillary Operations</p>			
<p>Implement the BMP's found in Attachment E, including the Inventory of Materials and Machinery, and Inspections and Good Housekeeping practices, at Municipal Maintenance Yards and Other Ancillary Operations.</p>	<p>IV.B.5.c</p>	<p>Certify in each annual report that the SPPP includes all applicable requirements and that the requirements (including maintenance of inspection logs and tracking forms) of Attachment E have been met. Keep records required by Attachment E in the SPPP.</p>	<p>EDPA + 12 months</p>
<p>BMPs shall be implemented for fueling operations.</p>	<p>IV.B.5.c.i</p>	<p>Certify in each annual report that BMPs in Attachment E have been implemented for fueling operations.</p>	<p>EDPA + 12 months</p>
<p>BMPs shall be implemented for discharge of stormwater from secondary containment.</p>	<p>IV.B.5.c.ii</p>	<p>Certify in each annual report that BMPs in Attachment E have been implemented for discharge of stormwater from secondary containment.</p>	<p>EDPA + 12 months</p>
<p>BMPs shall be implemented for vehicle maintenance.</p>	<p>IV.B.5.c.iii</p>	<p>Certify in each annual report that BMPs in Attachment E have been implemented for vehicle maintenance.</p>	<p>EDPA + 12 months</p>

BMPs shall be implemented for on-site equipment and vehicle washing and wash wastewater containment.	IV.B.5.c.iv	Certify in each annual report that BMPs in Attachment E have been implemented for on-site equipment and vehicle washing and wash wastewater containment.	EDPA + 60 months
BMPs shall be implemented for salt and de-icing material storage and handling.	IV.B.5.c.v	Certify in each annual report that BMPs in Attachment E have been implemented for salt and de-icing material storage and handling.	EDPA + 60 months
BMPs shall be implemented for aggregate material and construction debris storage.	IV.B.5.c.vi	Certify in each annual report that BMPs in Attachment E have been implemented for aggregate material and construction debris storage.	EDPA + 18 months
BMPs shall be implemented for street sweepings and catch basin clean-out material storage.	IV.B.5.c.vii	Certify in each annual report that BMPs in Attachment E have been implemented for street sweepings and catch basin clean-out material storage.	EDPA + 18 months
BMPs shall be implemented for yard trimmings and wood waste management sites.	IV.B.5.c.viii	Certify in each annual report that BMPs in Attachment E have been implemented for yard trimmings and wood waste management sites.	EDPA + 18 months
BMPs shall be implemented for roadside vegetation management.	IV.B.5.c.ix	Certify in each annual report that BMPs in Attachment E have been implemented for roadside vegetation management.	EDPA + 18 months
Pollution Prevention/Good Housekeeping - Training Program			
Provide training to municipal employees within 3 months of commencement of duties, and at least once every two years thereafter, to address all required components. The exceptions are Part IV.B.5.d.v, viii, and x which require annual training instead of once every two years.	IV.B.5.d	Certify in each annual report that employee training has been conducted, and maintain records including sign in sheet(s), date(s) of training, and training agenda(s). These records shall be kept in the SPPP.	EDPA + 12 months
Ensure that individuals that review development and redevelopment projects for compliance with N.J.A.C. 7:8 on behalf of the municipality complete Department approved training once every five years.	IV.B.5.e	Certify in each annual report that individuals reviewing projects have completed the required training, and maintain a list of the names and dates that individuals received training. This list shall be kept in the SPPP.	EDPA + 12 months

<p>Ensure that current Municipal Board and Governing Body Members that review and approve applications for development and redevelopment projects complete the "Training Tool" on or before EDPA + 6 months, and by new members within 6 months of commencement of duties. Once per term of service thereafter, Municipal Board and Governing Body Members must review at least one of the tools offered under the Post-Construction Stormwater Management website.</p>	<p>IV.B.5.f</p>	<p>Certify in each annual report that municipal board and governing body members have completed the necessary training, and maintain a list of the names and dates that individuals completed training. This list shall be kept in the SPPP.</p>	<p>EDPA + 6 months</p>
<p>MS4 Outfall Pipe Mapping and Illicit Discharge and Scouring Detection and Control</p>			
<p>Develop, update and maintain an MS4 Outfall Pipe Map showing the location of the end of all outfall pipe which discharge to a surface water body.</p>	<p>IV.B.6.a.i</p>	<p>Certify in each annual report following the implementation deadline that the outfall pipe map is current at the end of the calendar year.</p>	<p>EDPA + 36 months</p>
<p>Show the location (and name where known) of all surface water bodies receiving discharges from those outfall pipes.</p>	<p>IV.B.6.a.ii</p>	<p>Certify in each annual report following the implementation deadline that the surface water bodies associated with each outfall pipe end is located on the map.</p>	<p>EDPA + 36 months</p>
<p>Include Outfall Pipe map in the SPPP</p>	<p>IV.B.6.a.iii</p>	<p>Certify in each annual report following the implementation deadline that the Outfall Pipe Map is included in the SPPP.</p>	<p>EDPA + 36 months</p>
<p>Provide Outfall Pipe Map to the Department</p>	<p>IV.B.6.a.iv</p>	<p>Certify in each annual report following the implementation deadline that the Outfall Pipe Map and any new data points subsequently added to the map have been provided to the Department.</p>	<p>EDPA + 36 months</p>
<p>Submitted the Outfall Pipe Map information to the Department electronically by December 21, 2020</p>	<p>IV.B.6.a.v</p>	<p>Submit the Outfall Pipe Map information to the Department using Department's designated electronic submission service by December 21, 2020.</p>	<p>12/21/2020</p>

<p>Develop, update and implement a program to detect, investigate and control localized stream scouring from stormwater outfall pipes.</p>	<p>IV.B.6.b</p>	<p>Certify in each annual report that municipally owned outfall pipes have received the required visual inspection at least once every five years and maintain a log indicating the number and location of outfall pipes inspected, repairs prioritized, and repairs scheduled or performed. Certify in the annual report that a repair schedule has been prepared for those that have not been completed. Keep records required by Part IV.B.6.b in the SPPP.</p>	<p>EDPA + 60 months</p>
<p>Develop, update, implement and enforce an ongoing Illicit Discharge Detection and Elimination Program.</p>	<p>IV.B.6.c</p>	<p>Certify in each annual report that the municipality has developed a program to detect and eliminate illicit discharges and has conducted inspections required at Part IV.B.6.c at least once every five years. Document all investigations and actions taken on the Department's Illicit Connection Inspection Report Form. Keep records required by Part IV.B.6.c in the SPPP.</p>	<p>EDPA + 60 months</p>
<p>Adopt and enforce an ordinance that prohibits illicit connections to the MS4 operated by the Tier A Municipality.</p>	<p>IV.B.6.d</p>	<p>Certify in each annual report that the ordinance is being maintained and the date it was adopted. A log of enforcement actions shall be kept in the SPPP.</p>	<p>EDPA + 12 months</p>
<p>Stormwater Facilities Maintenance</p>			
<p>Develop, update and implement a program to ensure adequate long-term cleaning, operation and maintenance of all stormwater facilities owned or operated by the Tier A Municipality.</p>	<p>IV.C.1.a</p>	<p>Certify in each annual report that the municipality has developed, updated and implemented a program to ensure adequate long-term cleaning, operation and maintenance of all municipally owned stormwater facilities. Records required by Part IV.C.1.a, a.i, a.ii, a.iii and a.iv shall be kept, or their location shall be referenced, in the SPPP.</p>	<p>EDPA + 18 months</p>

<p>Inspect and maintain stormwater facilities pursuant to any maintenance plans, or more frequently as needed, to ensure proper function and operation of each stormwater facility.</p> <p>Maintain a log sufficient to demonstrate compliance with this section; including but not limited a list of inspections and preventative and corrective maintenance performed, and a schedule for repairs to be made.</p>	<p>IV.C.1.a.i</p>	<p>Certify in each annual report that inspections and maintenance was performed pursuant to any maintenance plans, or more frequently as needed, to ensure proper function and operation of stormwater facilities.</p>	<p>EDPA + 18 months</p>
<p>Maintain a log sufficient to demonstrate compliance with this section; including but not limited a list of inspections and preventative and corrective maintenance performed, and a schedule for repairs to be made.</p>	<p>IV.C.1.a.ii</p>	<p>Certify in each annual report that a maintenance log is kept that, at a minimum, records the stormwater facility inspected, location information of the facility inspected (location information must be specific enough to locate and identify the stormwater facility in the field; e.g. geographic coordinates), name of inspector, date of inspection, findings, and any preventative and corrective maintenance performed.</p>	<p>EDPA + 18 months</p>
<p>Certify annually that municipally owned or operated stormwater facilities are properly functioning.</p>	<p>IV.C.1.a.iii</p>	<p>Certify in each annual report that all municipally owned or operated stormwater facilities are properly functioning.</p>	<p>EDPA + 18 months</p>
<p>If stormwater facilities were found not to be functioning properly and repairs not made, then necessary preventative and corrective maintenance shall be documented and prioritized and a schedule for maintenance shall be maintained.</p>	<p>IV.C.1.a.iv</p>	<p>Certify in each annual report that a prioritized schedule of necessary preventive and corrective maintenance exists for stormwater facilities inspected and found not to be functioning properly. The municipality shall prioritize this schedule as specified in Part IV.C.1.iv.</p>	<p>EDPA + 18 months</p>
<p>Develop, update, implement and enforce a program to ensure adequate long-term cleaning, operation and maintenance of stormwater facilities not owned or operated by the Tier A Municipality, not subject to the conditions of another NJPDES stormwater permit and constructed after February 7, 1984.</p>	<p>IV.C.1.b</p>	<p>Certify in each annual report that the municipality has developed, updated, implemented and enforced a program to ensure adequate long-term cleaning, operation and maintenance of stormwater facilities not owned and operated by the municipality, not subject to the conditions of another NJPDES stormwater permit and constructed after February 7, 1984.</p> <p>Records required by Part IV.C.1.b, b.i and b.ii shall be kept, or their location shall be referenced, in the SPPP.</p>	<p>EDPA + 18 months</p>

<p>Ensure that stormwater facility inspection and maintenance is performed pursuant to any maintenance plans, or more frequently as needed to ensure proper function and operation of each stormwater facility.</p>	<p>IV.C.1.b.i</p>	<p>Certify in each annual report that maintenance was performed pursuant to any maintenance plans, or more frequently, to ensure proper function and operation of stormwater facilities not owned and operated by the municipality.</p>	<p>EDPA + 18 months</p>
<p>Maintain a log sufficient to demonstrate compliance with this section; including but not limited actions taken by the municipality to enforce compliance with the long-term cleaning, operation and maintenance program.</p>	<p>IV.C.1.b.ii</p>	<p>Certify in each annual report that a log is being kept that, at a minimum, records the actions taken by the municipality to enforce compliance with the long-term cleaning, operation and maintenance program; the stormwater facility that was the subject of the action; location information of the facility that was the subject of the action (location information must be specific enough to locate and identify the stormwater facility in the field; e.g. geographic coordinates); the name of person taking the action; the date of the action; and the findings.</p>	<p>EDPA + 18 months</p>
<p>Maintain copies of all maintenance plans for stormwater facilities approved by the municipality, and make them available to the Department upon request.</p>	<p>IV.C.1.c</p>	<p>Certify in each annual report that copies of all maintenance plans are kept on file. Records required by Part IV.C.1.c shall be kept, or their location shall be referenced, in the SPPP.</p>	<p>EDPA + 12 months</p>
<p>Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) Info.</p>			
<p>Annually review approved or adopted TMDL reports to identify stormwater related pollutants listed therein and associated with any segment of surface water wholly or partially within or bordering the Tier A Municipality.</p>	<p>IV.C.2.a.i</p>	<p>Certify in each annual report that approved or adopted TMDLs have been identified and reviewed and stormwater related pollutants identified. Records required by Part IV.C.2.a.i, a.ii and a.iii shall be kept in the SPPP.</p>	<p>EDPA + 12 months</p>

<p>Use TMDL information identified in compliance with Part IV.C.2.a.i to: (1) assist in the prioritization of stormwater facility maintenance including schedules for repairs related to Stream Scouring and Stormwater Facilities Maintenance; and (2) identify and develop strategies to address specific sources of stormwater related pollutants contributing to discharges authorized under this Tier A MS4 NJPDES permit.</p>	<p>IV.C.2.a.ii</p>	<p>Certify in each annual report that the municipality has used information identified in compliance with Part VI.C.2.a.i to (1) assist in the prioritization of repairs as required at Part IV.B.6.b.iv (Stream Scouring) and IV.C.3.1.a.iv (Stormwater Facilities Maintenance); and (2) identify and develop strategies to address specific sources of stormwater related pollutants contributing to discharges authorized under this Tier A MS4 NJPDES permit.</p>	<p>EDPA + 12 months</p>
<p>Update SPPP to list information identified in Part VI.C.2.a.i and ii.</p>	<p>IV.C.2.a.iii</p>	<p>Certify in each annual report that the municipality has updated its SPPP to list information identified in Part VI.C.2.a.i and ii.</p>	<p>EDPA + 12 months</p>
<p>Incorporate any strategies identified in Part VI.C.2.a.ii(2) as an Optional Measure</p>	<p>IV.C.2.a.iv</p>	<p>Certify in each annual report that the municipality has incorporated any strategies identified in Part VI.C.2.a.ii(2) as an Optional Measure.</p>	<p>EDPA + 12 months</p>

Attachment B – Points System for Public Education and Outreach Activities

The Tier A Municipality shall implement a Public Education and Outreach Program that focuses on educational and pollution prevention activities about the impacts of stormwater discharges on surface water and groundwater and to involve the public in reducing pollutants in stormwater runoff and mitigating flow.

The Tier A Municipality shall **annually** conduct educational activities that total at least **12 points** and include activities from at least three of the five categories found below. At a minimum, at least one of the activities shall involve educating businesses and the general public of hazards associated with illicit connections and improper disposal of waste. Each approved activity is listed below with an assigned point value. Additional information on how to conduct these Public Education and Outreach activities can be found under Notes and Definitions Part IV.A.3 and 4 of this Tier A MS4 NJPDES permit. Records shall be kept necessary to demonstrate compliance with this requirement, including date of activities and any other relevant documentation.

Category 1: General Public Outreach		
Activity	Description	Points
Website and Social Media	Maintain a stormwater related page on the municipal website or on a municipal social media site. The web page may include links to other stormwater related resources, including the NJDEP stormwater website (www.njstormwater.org).	1
Newspaper Ad	Use Department created and approved stormwater education materials available on www.cleanwaternj.org to publish an ad in a newspaper or newsletter that serves the municipality.	1
Radio/Television	Broadcast a radio or television public service announcement from www.cleanwaternj.org on a local radio or municipal public service channel.	1
Green Infrastructure Signage	Post signs at municipally-owned green infrastructure sites that describe the function and importance of the infrastructure, contact phone number, municipal identification number, and/or website for more information. *New signs receive 0.5 credits per sign. Existing signs that are maintained or upgraded receive 0.25 credits per sign. A maximum of 5 credits are allowed.	5*
Billboard/Sign	Produce and maintain (for credit in subsequent years) a billboard or sign which can be displayed on a bus, bus stop shelter, recreation field (outfield sign), or other similar public venue.	2
Mural	Produce and maintain (for credit in subsequent years) the planning and painting of a stormwater pollution themed mural, storm drain art or other artwork at a local downtown/commercial area or other similar public venue.	2
Stormwater Facility Signage	Post signs at municipally-owned stormwater management basins or other structural stormwater related facilities that describe the function and importance of the facility, contact phone number, municipal identification number, and/or website for more information. *New signs receive 0.5 credits per sign. Existing signs that are maintained or upgraded receive 0.25 credits per sign. A maximum of 5 credits are allowed.	5*

Category 2: Targeted Audiences Outreach		
Activity	Description	Points
Stormwater Display	Present a stormwater related display or materials at any municipal event (e.g., Earth Day, town picnic), at the municipal building or other similar public venue.	1
Promotional Item	Distribute an item or items with a stormwater related message (e.g., refrigerator magnets, temporary tattoos, key chains, bookmarks, pet waste bag dispensers, coloring books, and pens or pencils). Municipality must initially have available a minimum number of the items equal to 10% of the municipal population.	2
Mailing or e-Mailing Campaign	Provide information to all known owners of stormwater facilities not owned or operated by the municipality (i.e., privately owned) highlighting the importance of proper maintenance of stormwater measures. For assistance, see information at www.nj.gov/dep/stormwater/maintenance_guidance.htm .	3
Mailing or e-Mailing Campaign	Distribute any of the Department's educational brochures, tip cards, or a municipally produced equivalent (e.g., community calendar, newsletter, or recycling schedule) via a mailing to every resident and business in the municipality.	2
Ordinance Education	Distribute a letter or e-mail from the mayor or municipal official to every resident and business in the municipality highlighting the requirements and environmental benefits of the Pet Waste, Wildlife Feeding, Litter Control, Improper Disposal of Waste, Containerized Waste/Yard Waste Collection, Private Storm Drain Inlet Retrofitting and Illicit Connection ordinances. Provide a link to the municipal website where subject ordinances are posted.	3

Category 3: School / Youth Education and Activities		
Activity	Description	Points
School Presentations	Provide water-related educational presentation(s) and/or activities to local preschool, elementary, middle, and/or high school classes using municipal staff or local partner organizations. Topics could include stormwater, nonpoint source pollution, watersheds, water conservation and water quality. For ideas, see information at www.nj.gov/dep/seeds . *Presentations receive 1 credit per presentation, with a maximum of 5 credits allowed.	5*
Water Education Workshops	Provide water-related professional development workshops for local teachers from a registered NJ Department of Education Professional Development Provider.	2
Storm Drain Labeling	Organize a project to label and/or maintain storm drain labels (that are not already precast with a message) with a scout troop, local school district, or faith based group, or other community youth group for a minimum of 40 labels. This project could also include stenciling over precast labels to improve legibility.	3
Educational Contest for Schools	Organize an educational contest with a local school district or a local community organization serving youth to design a poster, magnet, rain stick, rain barrel or other craft/art object. Contest themes shall have an appropriate stormwater message. Winning entries are to be displayed at publicly accessible locations within the municipality such as at the town hall, library, post office, or school. The winning design should be shown on the municipality's website or social media site, if practical.	3
AmeriCorps Event	Coordinate an event (e.g. volunteer stream monitoring, educational presentations, or stormwater awareness project) through AmeriCorps NJ Watershed Ambassador Program	4
Clean-up	Sponsor or organize a litter clean up for a scout troop, local school district, faith based group or other community youth group along a local waterway, public park, stormwater facility, or in an area with storm drains that discharge to a local lake or waterway.	3

Category 4: Watershed/Regional Collaboration		
Activity	Description	Points
Regional Stormwater Collaboration	Participate in a regional stormwater, community collaborative or other watershed-based group on a regular basis to discuss impaired waterbodies, TMDLs, regional stormwater related issues, or watershed restoration plans that address those waterbodies. Evaluate, develop and implement remedies that resolve stormwater-related issues within the affected waterbody or watershed.	3
Green Infrastructure Workshop	Organize or participate in a rain barrel, rain garden or other green infrastructure workshop on a regional or watershed basis. This could be a partnership exercise with a local watershed organization, utility, university, school, youth/faith based group, and/or other organization.	3
Community Activity	Organize or participate in the organization of a regional or watershed based event to carry out stormwater activities such as stormwater facility maintenance or litter clean-up. The municipality may identify and enter into a partnership agreement with a local group such as a watershed organization, utility, university, school, youth/faith based group, and/or other organization to carry out these activities.	3

Category 5: Community Involvement Activities		
Activity	Description	Points
Volunteer Stormwater Assessment or Stream Monitoring	Establish a volunteer stormwater facility assessment (inspection, inventory and/or mapping) or stream monitoring program for a waterbody within the municipality in order to gauge the health of the waterway through chemical, biological or visual monitoring protocols. Contact NJDEP's <u>AmeriCorps NJ Watershed Ambassador Program</u> or review <u>USEPA National Directory of Volunteer Monitoring Programs</u> .	3
Rain Barrel Workshop	Organize or participate in a rain barrel workshop. This could be a partnership exercise with a local watershed organization, university, school, youth/faith based group, and/or other nonprofit.	3
Rain Garden Workshop	Organize or participate in a rain garden training or installation workshop. This could be a partnership exercise with a local watershed organization, university, school, youth/faith based group, and/or other nonprofit.	3
Community Event	Organize or participate in the organization of a community event to carry out stormwater activities such as stormwater measure maintenance or a stream buffer restoration. The municipality may identify and enter into a partnership agreement with a local group such as a watershed organization, university, utility, school, youth/faith based group, and/or other nonprofit to carry out these activities.	3
Community Involvement	Organize a project with a local organization to create and post signs at either green and/or gray stormwater infrastructure sites or facilities that describe the function and importance of the facility, contact phone number, municipal identification number, and/or website for more information. *Signs receive 0.5 credits per sign. A maximum of 5 credits are allowed.	5*

Attachment C - Design Standards for Storm Drain Inlets

Application of Design Standard

The below design standard applies to the following types of storm drain inlet installation or retrofit projects unless a more stringent standard is specified by the municipality's stormwater control ordinance:

- Storm drain inlets installed as part of new development and redevelopment (public or private) that disturb one acre or more;
 - Storm drain inlets installed as part of new development and redevelopment (public or private) that disturb less than one acre that are part of a larger common plan of development or sale (e.g. phased residential development) that ultimately disturbs one acre or more;
- Tier A Municipality owned or operated storm drain inlets must be retrofitted where the storm drains are (1) in direct contact with any repaving, repairing (excluding individual pothole repair), or resurfacing (including top coating or chip sealing with asphalt emulsion or a thin base of hot bitumen); or (2) in direct contact with any reconstruction or alteration of facilities; and
- Privately owned or operated storm drain inlets (e.g. condominium association) must be retrofitted where the storm drains are (1) in direct contact with any repaving, repairing (excluding individual pothole repair), or resurfacing (including top coating or chip sealing with asphalt emulsion or a thin base of hot bitumen); or (2) in direct contact with any reconstruction or alteration of facilities. This does not include single family homes.

Design Standard

Grates in pavement or other ground surfaces shall meet either of the following standards:

- The New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) bicycle safe grate standards described in Chapter 2.4 of the NJDOT Bicycle Compatible Roadways and Bikeways Planning and Design Guidelines (see www.nj.gov/transportation/publicat/pdf/BikeComp/introtofac.pdf); or
- A grate where each individual clear space in that grate has an area of no more than seven (7.0) square inches, or is not greater than 0.5 inches across the smallest dimension. Note that the Residential Site Improvement Standards at N.J.A.C. 5:21 include requirements for bicycle safe grates.

Examples of grates subject to this standard include grates in grate inlets; the grate portion (non-curb opening portion) of combination inlets; grates on storm sewer manholes; ditch grates; trench grates; and grates of spacer bars in slotted drains. Examples of ground surfaces include surfaces of roads, (including bridges), driveways, parking areas, bikeways, plazas, sidewalks, lawns, fields, open channels, and stormwater basin floors used to collect stormwater from the surface into a storm drain or surface water body.

For curb-openings inlets, including curb-opening inlets in combination inlets, the clear space in the curb opening, or each individual clear space if the curb opening has two or more clear spaces, shall have an area of no more than seven (7.0) square inches or be no greater than two (2.0) inches across the smallest dimension.

Exemptions from the Design Standard

- Where each individual clear space in the curb opening in existing curb-opening inlets does not have an area of more than nine (9.0) square inches;
- Where the review agency determines that the standards would cause inadequate hydraulic performance that could not practicably be overcome by using additional or larger storm drain inlets;
- Where flows from the water quality design storm as specified in N.J.A.C. 7:8 are conveyed through any device (e.g., end of pipe netting facility, manufactured treatment device, or a catch basin hood) that is designed, at a minimum, to prevent delivery of all solid and floatable materials that could not pass through one of the following:

A rectangular space four and five-eighths inches long and one and one-half inches wide (this option does not apply for outfall netting facilities); or

A bar screen having a bar spacing of 0.5 inches;

Note that these exemptions do not authorize any infringement of requirements in the Residential Site Improvement Standards for bicycle safe grates in new residential development (N.J.A.C. 5:21-4.18(b)2 and 7.4(b)1).

- Where flows are conveyed through a trash rack that has parallel bars with one inch (1") spacing between the bars, to the elevation of the water quality design storm as specified in N.J.A.C. 7:8; or
- Where the Department determines, pursuant to the New Jersey Register of Historic Places Rules at N.J.A.C. 7:4-7.2(c), that action to meet the standard is an undertaking that constitutes an encroachment or will damage or destroy the New Jersey Register listed historic property.

Attachment D – Major Development Stormwater Summary

General Information			
1. Project Name: _____			
2. Municipality: _____	County: _____	Block(s): _____	Lot(s): _____
3. Site Location (State Plane Coordinates – NAD83): _____		E: _____	N: _____
4. Date of Final Approval for Construction by Municipality: _____ Date of Certificate of Occupancy: _____			
5. Project Type (circle all that apply): Residential Commercial Industrial Other (please specify) _____			
6. Soil Conservation District Project Number: _____			
7. Did project require NJDEP Land Use Permit? Yes No Land Use Permit #: _____			
8. Did project require the use of any mitigation measures? Yes No If yes, which standard was mitigated? _____			

Site Design Specifications	
1. Area of Disturbance (acres): _____	Area of Proposed Impervious (acres): _____
2. List all Hydrologic Soil Groups: _____	
3. Please Identify the Amount of Each Best Management Practices (BMPs) Utilized in Design Below: Bioretention Systems ___ Constructed Wetlands ___ Dry Wells ___ Extended Detention Basins ___ Infiltration Basins ___ Combination Infiltration/Detention Basins ___ Manufactured Treatment Devices ___ Pervious Paving Systems ___ Sand Filters ___ Vegetative Filter Strips ___ Wet Ponds ___ Grass Swales ___ Subsurface Gravel Wetlands ___ Other _____	

Storm Event Information	
Storm Event: Rainfall (inches and duration) _____	2 yr.: _____ 10 yr.: _____ 100 yr.: _____ WQ DS: _____
Runoff Computation Method (circle one): NRCS: Dimensionless Unit Hydrograph NRCS: Delmarva Unit Hydrograph Rational Modified Rational Other: _____	

Basin Specifications (answer all that apply) *If more than one basin, attach multiple sheets*	
1. Type of Basin: _____	Surface/Subsurface (circle one)
2. Owner (circle one): Public Private: If so, Name: _____ Phone number: _____	
3. Basin Construction Completion Date: _____	
4. Drain Down Time (hr.): _____	
5. Design Soil Permeability (in./hr.): _____	
6. Seasonal High Water Table Depth from Bottom of Basin (ft.): _____ Date Obtained: _____	
7. Groundwater Recharge Methodology (circle one): 2 Year Difference NJGRS Other NA	
8. Groundwater Mounding Analysis (circle one): Yes No If, Yes Methodology Used: _____	
9. Maintenance Plan Submitted: Yes No Is the Basin Deed Restricted: Yes No	

Comments: _____

Name of Person Filling Out This Form: _____

Signature: _____

Title: _____

Date: _____