



Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection
Bureau of Resource Protection - Watershed Management

BRP WM 08A NPDES Stormwater General Permit

**Notice of Intent for Discharges from Small Municipal Separate
Storm Sewer Systems (MS4s)**

1228

W036204

Transmittal Number

Facility ID (if known)

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computer, use
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A. Instructions

Submission of this Notice of Intent constitutes notice that the entity named at item B1. of this form intends to be authorized by the DEP General Permit issued jointly with EPA for stormwater discharges from the small municipal separate storm sewer system (MS4), in the location identified at item B2. of this form. Submission of the Notice of Intent also constitutes notice that the party identified at item B1. has read, understands and meets the eligibility conditions of Part I.B. of the NPDES Small MS4 General Permit, agrees to comply with all applicable terms and conditions of the NPDES Small MS4 General Permit, and understands that continued authorization to discharge is contingent on maintaining eligibility for coverage. **In order to be granted coverage, all information required on BRP WM 08A, including the Stormwater Management Program Summary and Time Frames form, must be completed. Please read the permit and make sure you comply with all requirements, including the requirement to develop and implement a stormwater management program.**

B. Applicant Information

1. Small MS4 Operator/Owner Information:

Kathy Araujo, Land Use Coordinator

Name

Memorial Hall, 272 Main Street

Mailing Address

Townsend

City/Town

(978) 597-1703

Telephone Number

MA

State

Kathya@townsend.ma.us

Email (if available)

2. Municipality Name

Townsend

City/Town

3. Legal Status:

☐ Federal

☒ City/Town

☐ State

☐ Tribal

☐ Private

☐ Other public entity:

Specify Public Entity

4. Other regulated MS4(s) within municipal boundaries:

Mass State Highways (Rte. 119)

5. Based on the instructions provided in Part I of the NPDES Small MS4 General Permit, have the eligibility criteria for "listed species" and critical habitat been met?

☐ yes

☒ pending

☐ no

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B. Applicant Information (cont.)

6. Based on the instructions provided in Part I of the NPDES Small MS4 General Permit, have the eligibility criteria for protection of historic properties been met?

☒ yes ☐ pending ☐ no

Note:
Section C may
be duplicated to
accommodate a
larger list of
receiving waters

C. Names of (Presently Known) Receiving Waters

Receiving Water:	No. of Outfalls	Listed as Impaired?	Impairment
Name _____	Number _____	☐ Yes ☐ No	Specify _____
Name _____	Number _____	☐ Yes ☐ No	Specify _____
Name _____	Number _____	☐ Yes ☐ No	Specify _____
Name _____	Number _____	☐ Yes ☐ No	Specify _____
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D. Stormwater Management Program Summary

1. Public Education:

1a

BMP ID #

Distribute/Post Nonpoint Source
Pollution Posters

Specify Best Management Practice

Land Use Coordinator

Responsible Dept./Person Name

Post in all schools and town
buildings

Specify Measurable Goal

1b

BMP ID #

Air Stormwater Message on
Local Cable Access Channel

Specify Best Management Practice

Land Use Coordinator

Responsible Dept./Person Name

Post one message every month

Specify Measurable Goal

1c

BMP ID #

Obtain and Distribute Auto Repair
Shop Brochures

Specify Best Management Practice

Land Use Coordinator

Responsible Dept./Person Name

Distribute to all impacted local
businesses

Specify Measurable Goal

1d

BMP ID #

Add Stormwater Information to
Town's Website

Specify Best Management Practice

Land Use Coordinator

Responsible Dept./Person Name

Update information quarterly to
address seasonal concerns

Specify Measurable Goal

BMP ID #

Specify Best Management Practice

Responsible Dept./Person Name

Specify Measurable Goal

2. Public Participation:

2a

BMP ID #

Form Stormwater Advisory
Committee

Specify Best Management Practice

Land Use Coordinator

Responsible Dept./Person Name

Hold quarterly meetings

Specify Measurable Goal

2b

BMP ID #

Adopt-A-Highway Program

Specify Best Management Practice

Highway Department

Responsible Dept./Person Name

Mail fliers with excise tax bills to
residents & businesses

Specify Measurable Goal

2c

BMP ID #

Hazardous Waste Collection

Specify Best Management Practice

Fire Department

Responsible Dept./Person Name

Hold waste collection annually

Specify Measurable Goal

2d

BMP ID #

Continue Waste Oil Collection &
Recycling

Specify Best Management Practice

Fire Department

Responsible Dept./Person Name

Collect waste oil from residents on
a monthly basis

Specify Measurable Goal

2e

BMP ID #

Have Volunteers Hold an Annual
Stream Clean-up Day

Specify Best Management Practice

Land Use Coordinator

Responsible Dept./Person Name

Hold one clean-up day every
spring

Specify Measurable Goal



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D. Stormwater Management Program Summary (Cont.)

3. Illicit Discharge Detection and Elimination:

3a BMP ID # Map Outfalls and Receiving Waters Specify Best Management Practice	Land Use Coordinator Responsible Dept./Person Name	Map 25% of outfalls that drain urbanized areas each year Specify Measurable Goal
3b BMP ID # Review Existing Bylaws and Regulations Specify Best Management Practice	Land Use Coordinator Responsible Dept./Person Name	Determine if existing bylaws & regs fulfill EPA requirements Specify Measurable Goal
3c BMP ID # Develop Illicit Discharge Detection & Elimination Plan Specify Best Management Practice	Land Use Coordinator Responsible Dept./Person Name	Make recommendations for inclusion into proposed plan Specify Measurable Goal
3d BMP ID # Develop/Modify General Illicit Discharge Bylaw Specify Best Management Practice	Land Use Coordinator Responsible Dept./Person Name	Propose recommendations for modifying/developing bylaw Specify Measurable Goal
3e BMP ID # Present Bylaw for Town Meeting Action Specify Best Management Practice	Land Use Coordinator Responsible Dept./Person Name	Make Presentations for Town Meeting Action Specify Measurable Goal

4. Construction Site Runoff Control:

4a BMP ID # Review Existing Site Inspection Practices Specify Best Management Practice	Land Use Coordinator Responsible Dept./Person Name	Determine if existing practices fulfill EPA requirements Specify Measurable Goal
4b BMP ID # Develop/Modify Site Inspection Program Specify Best Management Practice	Land Use Coordinator Responsible Dept./Person Name	Make recommendations for modifying existing program Specify Measurable Goal
4c BMP ID # Review Existing Bylaws and Regulations Specify Best Management Practice	Land Use Coordinator Responsible Dept./Person Name	Determine if existing bylaws & regs fulfill EPA requirements Specify Measurable Goal
4d BMP ID # Develop/Modify Bylaw for Construction Site Runoff Specify Best Management Practice	Land Use Coordinator Responsible Dept./Person Name	Propose recommendations for modifying/developing bylaw Specify Measurable Goal
4e BMP ID # Present Bylaw for Town Meeting Action Specify Best Management Practice	Land Use Coordinator Responsible Dept./Person Name	Make Presentations for Town Meeting Action Specify Measurable Goal



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5. Post Construction Runoff Control:

5a

BMP ID #

Review Existing Site Inspection
Practices

Specify Best Management Practice

Highway Department

Responsible Dept./Person Name

Determine if existing practices
fulfill EPA requirements

Specify Measurable Goal

5b

BMP ID #

Develop/Modify Inspection &
Maintenance Practices

Specify Best Management Practice

Highway Department

Responsible Dept./Person Name

Make recommendations for
modifying existing practices

Specify Measurable Goal

5c

BMP ID #

Review Existing Bylaws and
Regulations

Specify Best Management Practice

Land Use Coordinator

Responsible Dept./Person Name

Determine if existing bylaws &
regs fulfill EPA requirements

Specify Measurable Goal

5d

BMP ID #

Develop/Modify Bylaws for Post-
Construction Site Runoff

Specify Best Management Practice

Land Use Coordinator

Responsible Dept./Person Name

Propose recommendations for
modifying/developing bylaw

Specify Measurable Goal

5e

BMP ID #

Present Bylaw for Town Meeting
Action

Specify Best Management Practice

Land Use Coordinator

Responsible Dept./Person Name

Make Presentations for Town
Meeting Action

Specify Measurable Goal

6. Municipal Good Housekeeping:

6a

BMP ID #

Street Sweeping Program

Specify Best Management Practice

Highway Department

Responsible Dept./Person Name

Sweep all streets once per year

Specify Measurable Goal

6b

BMP ID #

Catch Basin Cleaning Program

Specify Best Management Practice

Highway Department

Responsible Dept./Person Name

Clean catch basins once every
two years

Specify Measurable Goal

6c

BMP ID #

Perform Site Visits to Examine
Existing Practices at Facilities

Specify Best Management Practice

Land Use Coordinator

Responsible Dept./Person Name

Target all applicable municipal
facilities

Specify Measurable Goal

6d

BMP ID #

Train Municipal Employees at
Each Town Facility

Specify Best Management Practice

Land Use Coordinator

Responsible Dept./Person Name

Target all applicable municipal
facilities

Specify Measurable Goal

6e

BMP ID #

Perform Follow-ups to Ensure
Required Practices are Met

Specify Best Management Practice

Land Use Coordinator

Responsible Dept./Person Name

Target all applicable municipal
facilities

Specify Measurable Goal



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7. BMPs for Meeting TMDL:

BMP ID #		
Specify Best Management Practice	Responsible Dept./Person Name	Specify Measurable Goal
BMP ID #		
Specify Best Management Practice	Responsible Dept./Person Name	Specify Measurable Goal
BMP ID #		
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BMP ID #		
Specify Best Management Practice	Responsible Dept./Person Name	Specify Measurable Goal
BMP ID #		
Specify Best Management Practice	Responsible Dept./Person Name	Specify Measurable Goal

E. Certification

I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, I certify that the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations.

James A. Johnson, Town Administrator
Printed Name
Signature
Date 7/29/03

