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NPDES PII Small MS4 General Permit Annual Report (Due: May 1, 2008)

Part I. General Information

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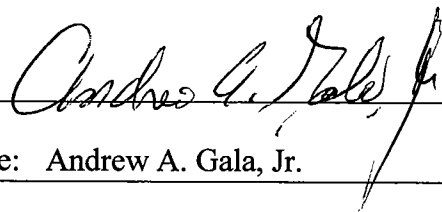
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Signature:



Printed Name: Andrew A. Gala, Jr.

Title: Town Manager

Date: April 30, 2008

Part II. Self-Assessment

The Town of Foxborough, MA has completed the required self-assessment and has determined that our municipality is in compliance with all permit conditions, except for the provisions shown below. The exceptions shown below refer to our Form BRP WM 08A and the BMP ID #'s in Part D. Stormwater Management Program Summary.

Part D.1 BMP ID #5 Educate Students & Adults. The present members of the S/W Committee worked with the Town's Recycling Coordinator to design and print a Household Hazardous Waste brochure. School Department handed out this brochure to every student in the school system (preschool, K through 12). We also hope to have the Neponset River Watershed Association aid us for classroom presentations. Need to mail brochure to all residents.

Part D.2 BMP ID #10 Stencil CB's. We have been working with the Boy Scouts Organizers and are awaiting selection of an Eagle Scout Candidate to perform the stenciling.

Part D.2 BMP ID #12 Train staff in outfall inspection. Still looking for seminar to provide expertise in this area for our employees to attend. The Neponset River Watershed Association has performed testing in Foxborough and this BMP should be evaluated and possibly revised to include their testing for adherence to the permit.

Part III. Summary of Minimum Control Measures

1. Public Education and Outreach

BMP ID #	BMP Description	Responsible Dept./Person Name	Measurable Goal(s)	Progress on Goal(s) – Permit Year 4 (Reliance on non-municipal partners indicated, if any)	Planned Activities – Permit Year 5
1	Initial public awareness	S/W MGR. & Highway Super.	Newspaper article, CATV bulletin, stencil CB's.	Media articles completed.	Continue with progress.
Revised					
2	Form S/W Committee	S/W MGR.	Committee formed.	Local Committee formed.	Continue with progress of regional committee.
Revised	<i>Form Local S/W Committee & Form Regional Committee</i>				
3	Formulate education plan	S/W Committee	All school students handed HHW brochure.	Worked with Town's Recycling Coordinator to design Household Hazardous Waste Brochure for schools. Hold annual HHW Day.	Formulate education plan with S/W Committee and Neponset River Watershed Association.
Revised					
4	Design & distribute brochures	S/W Committee	Regional committee designed and mailed brochures to all residences, businesses, & P.O. mail boxes.	Hand out HHW brochure to all students. Mail brochure to all residences	Continue with progress. Mail to residents.
Revised					
5	Educate students & adults	S/W Committee	HHW brochures to all students. Brochure mailed to all residences, businesses, & P.O. boxes.	Education plan to include classroom presentations, media articles and presentations, brochure distribution.	Formulate education plan with S/W Committee and Neponset River Watershed Association.
Revised					
Revised					

1a. Additions

2. Public Involvement and Participation

BMP ID #	BMP Description	Responsible Dept./Person Name	Measurable Goal(s)	Progress on Goal(s) – Permit Year 4 (Reliance on non-municipal partners indicated, if any)	Planned Activities – Permit Year 5
6 Revised	S/W Comm. Reviews permit & sets goals	S/W Comm.	Goals set	Formulating goals.	Set Goals with S/W comm.
7 Revised	S/W Comm. drafts S/W Bylaw	S/W Comm.	Bylaw for Illicit Discharge drafted.	Completed.	Review Bylaw, update as necessary.
8 Revised	Selectmen, Planning Bd, & ConComm review draft Bylaw	S/W Comm, Selectmen, Planning Bd., ConComm.	S/W Bylaw finalized	Completed.	Review Bylaw, update as necessary.
9 Revised	S/W Bylaw on Annual Town Meeting warrant	S/W Comm	Town Meeting approves S/W Bylaw	Accepted at 5/8/06 Annual Town Meeting. Completed	Review Bylaw, update as necessary.
10 Revised	Residents assist w/ Bylaw enforcement, Stencil CB's	Residents	Discourage violations, scofflaws apprehended	Ongoing. Letter sent to violator.	Eagle Scout candidate to stencil CB's
Revised					

2a. Additions

3. Illicit Discharge Detection and Elimination

BMP ID #	BMP Description	Responsible Dept./Person Name	Measurable Goal(s)	Progress on Goal(s) – Permit Year 4 (Reliance on non-municipal partners indicated, if any)	Planned Activities – Permit Year 5
11 Revised	Map outfalls and MS4	Highway Dept / Consultant	Map of MS4	Continued with Map. Engineering student updated.	Continue updating mapping as new sources are constructed.
12 Revised	Train staff in outfall inspection	Highway Dept.	Develop detection plan	Plan to attend seminar on illicit discharges.	Get staff trained.
13 Revised	S/W Comm. drafts Illicit Discharge Bylaw	S/W Comm.	Town Meeting adopts Bylaw	Completed. Accepted at 5/8/06 Annual Town Meeting.	Review Bylaw, update as necessary.
14 Revised	Sump Pump & Downspout Connection Permit	S/W Comm.	Register & track potential pollution sources	Included in Illicit Discharge Bylaw.	Issue permits.
15 Revised	Enforcement of Bylaw	Town Staff	Discourage violations & map sump pumps & downspouts	Letter sent out.	Continue w/ enforcement.
Revised					

3a. Additions

4. Construction Site Stormwater Runoff Control

BMP ID #	BMP Description	Responsible Dept./Person Name	Measurable Goal(s)	Progress on Goal(s) – Permit Year 4 (Reliance on non-municipal partners indicated, if any)	Planned Activities – Permit Year 5
16	S/W Comm., Planning Bd., ConComm. Set goals	S/W Comm., Planning Bd., ConComm. Set goals.	Goals set	Use existing bylaws. Completed	Review Bylaw, update as necessary.
Revised					
17	Formulate standards for erosion & sedimentation	S/W Comm., Planning Bd., ConComm.	Standards set	Use existing bylaws. Completed	Review Bylaw, update as necessary.
Revised					
18	Select BMP's	S/W Comm., Planning Bd., ConComm.	BMP's selected	Use existing bylaws. Completed	Review Bylaw, update as necessary.
Revised					
19	Draft regulations/revisions to Wetland & Subdiv. Regs.	S/W Comm., Planning Bd., ConComm.	Regulations/revisions adopted	Use existing bylaws. Completed	Review Bylaw, update as necessary.
Revised					
20	Enforcement of regulations/revisions	S/W Comm., Planning Bd., ConComm.	Discourage violations, rectify violations	Use existing bylaws. Completed. Violations issued.	Review Bylaw, update as necessary. Issue violation notices as necessary.
Revised					
Revised					

4a. Additions

5. Post-Construction Stormwater Management in New Development and Redevelopment

BMP ID #	BMP Description	Responsible Dept./Person Name	Measurable Goal(s)	Progress on Goal(s) – Permit Year 4 (Reliance on non-municipal partners indicated, if any)	Planned Activities – Permit Year 5
21 Revised	Final inspection @ end of construction	Town inspector	Ensure project built to plans & regulations	Use existing bylaws. Completed	Review Bylaw, update as necessary.
22 Revised	Review BMP performance	Town Inspector	Long & short term maint. & performance identified	Use existing bylaws. Ongoing.	Ongoing.
23 Revised	Propose improved BMP's to Planning Bd. & ConComm.	S/W Comm.	Improved BMP performance	Review performance, ongoing.	Ongoing.
24 Revised	Propose revisions to regulations as appropriate	S/W Comm.	Revisions adopted	Review performance, ongoing.	Ongoing.
25 Revised	Require deed restrictions	Planning Bd. & ConComm.	Require private long term maintenance	Review performance, ongoing.	Ongoing.
Revised					

5a. Additions

6. Pollution Prevention and Good Housekeeping in Municipal Operations

BMP ID #	BMP Description	Responsible Dept./Person Name	Measurable Goal(s)	Progress on Goal(s) – Permit Year 4 (Reliance on non-municipal partners indicated, if any)	Planned Activities – Permit Year 5
26	Clean CB's regularly	Highway Dept.	Prevent debris from entering MS4	Clean all catch CB's annually.	Continue with cleaning CB's annually
Revised					
27	Sweep streets regularly	Highway Dept.	Prevent sand & debris from entering MS4	Sweep all streets annually, downtown area monthly	Continue with street sweeping program
Revised					
28	Use construction site BMP's for road repairs	Highway Dept.	Prevent erosion & sediment runoff	Evaluate existing control and BMP's installed by developers. Install hoods on new catch basins.	Employ BMP's if economically and environmentally feasible
Revised					
29	Store & dispose of excavation byproduct properly	Highway Dept.	Prevent erosion & sediment runoff	Dispose of byproducts at recycling plants	Continue with proper disposal
Revised					
30	Install BMP's to new and existing projects	Highway Dept.	Improve S/W quality	Install hoods on new catch basins	Continue with installing hoods
Revised					
Revised					

6a. Additions

7. BMPs for Meeting Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) Waste Load Allocations (WLA) <<if applicable>>

BMP ID #	BMP Description	Responsible Dept./Person Name	Measurable Goal(s)	Progress on Goal(s) – Permit Year 4 (Reliance on non-municipal partners indicated, if any)	Planned Activities – Permit Year 5
31	Map MS4 outfalls	Highway Dept. & GPS Consultant	Updated map for MS4 outfalls	Continue to locate outfalls and existing drainage system	Continue to locate outfalls and existing drainage system
Revised					
32	Identify pollutants from MS4	Highway Dept. & Consultant	Test outfalls	Set up training seminar for testing	Attend seminar, use Neponset River Watershed Assoc.
Revised					
33	Identify source of pollutants into MS4	Highway Dept. & Consultant	Test MS4	Ongoing.	Training, use Neponset River Watershed Assoc.
Revised					
34	Eliminate source of pollutants in MS4	Highway Dept. & Consultant	Enforce Illicit Discharge Bylaw	Evaluate pollutant sources, determine method to eliminate.	Continue evaluation.
Revised					
35	Evaluate BMP's/Install BMP's	Highway Dept. & Consultant	Track performance of BMP's & install BMP's if required	Installing hoods in CB's, evaluate pollutant sources.	Evaluate BMP's installed by developers and hoods.
Revised					
Revised					

7a. Additions

Basin Cleaning Costs		
• Annual budget/expenditure (labor & equipment)**	(\$)	\$12,000
• Hourly or per basin contract rate **	(\$/hr or \$ per basin)	N.A.
• Disposal cost**	(\$)	\$2,000
Cleaning Equipment		
• Clam shell truck(s) owned/leased	(#)	1 Owned
• Vacuum truck(s) owned/leased	(#)	0
• Vacuum trucks specified in contracts	(y/n)	N
• % Structures cleaned with clam shells **	(%)	100%
• % Structures cleaned with vactor **	(%)	0%

	(Preferred Units)	Response
Average frequency of street sweeping (non-commercial/non-arterial streets) **	(times/yr)	Once/Yr
Average frequency of street sweeping (commercial/arterial or other critical streets) **	(times/yr)	6 Times/Yr
Qty. of sand/debris collected by sweeping **	(lbs. or tons)	20 Tons
Disposal of sweepings (landfill, POTW, compost, beneficial use, etc.) **	(location)	Landfill & Compost
Annual Sweeping Costs		
• Annual budget/expenditure (labor & equipment)**	(\$)	\$25,000
• Hourly or lane mile contract rate **	(\$/hr. or ln mi.)	\$75/Hr
• Disposal cost**	(\$)	\$2,000
Sweeping Equipment		
• Rotary brush street sweepers owned/leased	(#)	1 Own/1 Lease
• Vacuum street sweepers owned/leased	(#)	0
• Vacuum street sweepers specified in contracts	(y/n)	0
• % Roads swept with rotary brush sweepers **	%	100%
• % Roads swept with vacuum sweepers **	%	0%

Reduction (since beginning of permit coverage) in application on public land of: ("N/A" = never used; "100%" = elimination)		
▪ Fertilizers	(lbs. or %)	0%
▪ Herbicides	(lbs. or %)	100%
▪ Pesticides	(lbs. or %)	0%
Integrated Pest Management (IPM) Practices Implemented	(y/n)	

	(Preferred Units)	Response
Average Ratio of Anti-/De-Icing products used ** (also identify chemicals and ratios used in specific areas, e.g., water supply protection areas)	% NaCl % CaCl ₂ % MgCl ₂ % CMA % Kac % KCl % Sand	48% 2% 0% 0% 0% 0% 50%
Pre-wetting techniques utilized **	(y/n or %)	Y
Manual control spreaders used **	(y/n or %)	Y
Zero-velocity spreaders used **	(y/n or %)	N
Estimated net reduction or increase in typical year salt/chemical application rate	(±lbs/l _n mi. or %)	0%
Estimated net reduction or increase in typical year sand application rate **	(±lbs/l _n mi. or %)	0%
% of salt/chemical pile(s) covered in storage shed(s)	(%)	100%
Storage shed(s) in design or under construction	(y/n or #)	0
100% of salt/chemical pile(s) covered in storage shed(s) by May 2008	(y/n)	Yes

Water Supply Protection

Storm water outfalls to public water supplies eliminated or relocated	# or y/n	N
Installed or planned treatment BMPs for public drinking water supplies and their protection areas	# or y/n	N
Treatment units induce infiltration within 500-feet of a wellhead protection area	# or y/n	N