

EPA Storm Water Permit for Construction Projects

RESOURCES B New Hampshire edition

EPA New England's NPDES Storm Water Permit Program Web Site features information specific to New England and connects with EPA Headquarters' storm water web sites. www.epa.gov/ne/npdes/stormwater/index.html

EPA Headquarters' NPDES Storm Water Permit Program Web Site for Construction: http://cfpub.epa.gov/npdes/stormwater/application_coverage.cfm
Contains the permit, guidance, forms, links, the electronic application system, and a database where you can see and check the status of applications submitted.

EPA's Storm Water Phase II Menu of Best Management Practices. Select Topics 4 and 5 to see fact sheets on techniques for erosion/sediment & storm water control. www.epa.gov/npdes/menuofbmps/menu.htm

New Hampshire DES' Federal Storm Water Program web site. Puts the federal program in the NH context. www.des.state.nh.us/StormWater/

New Hampshire DES Site Specific / Alteration of Terrain program. Includes information on the permitting process and best practices for construction. www.des.state.nh.us/SiteSpecific/

New Hampshire DES Wetlands program. www.des.state.nh.us/wetlands/

New Hampshire DES Shoreland Protection program. www.des.state.nh.us/cspa/

New Hampshire Department of Transportation Guidelines for Temporary Erosion and Sediment Control and Storm Water Management at www.nh.gov/dot/business/engineers.htm under "Materials and Procedures" and Best Management Practices for Routine Road Maintenance Activities in New Hampshire at www.nh.gov/dot/business/municipalities.htm under "Road and Street Information."

Rockingham County's "Green Book": Storm Water Management and Erosion and Sediment Control for Developing Areas in New Hampshire
Order from NH DES— see Water Quality - Storm Water section of www.des.state.nh.us/desguid.htm

BMPs for Erosion Control on Timber Harvesting Operations in NH
<http://nh.gov/dred/divisions/forestandlands/reference/documents/WaterQualityBMPs.pdf>

Construction Industry Compliance Assistance Center (EPA/industry website). **Example SWPPPs** are located under the Stormwater tab. **Managing Your Environmental Responsibilities: A Planning Guide for Construction and Development**, which includes checklists for assigning responsibility and assessing compliance with a comprehensive range of issues including storm water, and **Federal**

Environmental Requirements for Construction: What Do You Need to Consider?, a briefer overview, are located under the Compliance Summary tab. www.cicacenter.org

International Erosion Control Association. www.ieca.org

Offers NPDES Phase II: How to Select, Install and Inspect Construction Site Erosion and Sediment Control BMPs for NPDES Storm Water Permit Compliance, related training, and the **Certified Professional in Erosion and Sediment Control** program. For Northeast IECA offerings: www.ieca.org/Chapter/northeast/northeasthome.asp

EPA=s Office of Regulatory Enforcement has developed a checklist entitled **NPDES Industrial Storm Water Worksheet (Construction)**. Scroll down at www.epa.gov/Compliance/resources/policies/civil/cwa/esoprogstormwater.pdf

EPA=s NPDES Compliance Inspection Manual includes storm water at construction sites in Chapter 11C and Appendix S. www.epa.gov/compliance/resources/publications/monitoring/inspections/npdesinspect/

EPA=s Environmental Technology Verification program has arranged for field testing of various storm water technologies. One report, on the **Tommy Silt Fence Slicing Method**, is viewable at www.epa.gov/etv/verifications/vcenter8-1.html

Slide show by The Center for Watershed Protection: **Keeping Soil in Its Place: A Presentation on Erosion and Sediment Control (ESC)**. www.stormwatercenter.net/Slideshows/ESC.htm

Hold Onto Your Dirt: Best Management Practices for Construction Sites and **Keep It Clean: Preventing Pollution from Construction Sites** are videos showing good and bad site practices, available from California EPA. www.waterboards.ca.gov/stormwtr/training.html

Kentucky Erosion Prevention and Sediment Control Field Guide

Very readable and full of great photos and illustrations. <http://www.water.ky.gov/sw/nps/Publications.htm>

2002 Connecticut Guidelines for Soil Erosion and Sediment Control. Detailed, richly illustrated guide to 46 E&SC measures and how to meet site challenges. Available at CT DEP=s web store <http://dep.state.ct.us/store/index.htm> for \$90.

Construction Handbook by the California Stormwater Quality Association includes dozens of fact sheets on specific storm water controls and BMPs for controlling wastes and materials. www.cabmphandbooks.org/construction.asp#SWPPP

Compost is receiving increasing attention as a means to control erosion, enrich soil post-construction, and reuse organic wastes. See www.epa.gov/epaoswer/non-hw/compost/erosion.pdf and www.epa.gov/epaoswer/non-hw/green/projects/filtrexx.htm