Half-Day Workshops and Trainings November 5th, 2014

Schedule for Wednesday, November 5, 2014

9:00 am – Exhibitor set-up

10:00 am – Registration

12:00 pm – Opening Remarks

12:30 pm – 4:30 pm – Trainings & Workshops

5:30 pm – After-hours social event: Bowling at Paradise Bowl

Illicit Connection and Illicit Discharge (IDDE) Field Screening and Source Tracing Guidance Manual Training: Led by Rebecca Dugopolski (Herrera)

The Illicit Connection and Illicit Discharge (IC/ID) Field Screening and Source Tracing workshop is a highly interactive workshop for municipal staff who implement IC/ID field screening and source tracing. The workshop will provide a brief overview of the content of the Washington State Illicit Connection and Illicit Discharge (IC/ID) Field Screening and Source Tracing Guidance Manual. Following the guidance manual overview, you will work through a series of clues with a team to identify illicit discharges. The workshop will also include a series of field equipment demonstration stations where you will have the opportunity to try out several different types of test kits, field meters, and test strips that could be useful tools for your IC/ID field screening program. This popular training was offered at several locations around the state last year to provide hands-on demonstrations and manual training. To accommodate many who could not attend last year, we are offering it during the first half day of the conference. Half-Day Workshops and Trainings November 5th, 2014

LID Plan Review: Tools and Lessons From Ecology and Phase I Permittees: Led by Doug Howie (Washington Department of Ecology), Mark Wilgus (King County), Susie Larson (City of Seattle), Mieke Hoppin (City of Tacoma), and Corey Newton (City of Tacoma)

This will include an Ecology-led introduction to the details of revisions to Minimum Requirement #5, as well as overall submittal guidance from Ecology’s stormwater manual. Representatives from Phase I jurisdictions will then discuss lessons and tools regarding how they are approaching the new aspects of MR#5, and what they’re doing internally to facilitate associated development plan review. This may include general technical issues, communication issues, political issues, etc. related to the Phase I’s recent code/manual update processes (specific to MR#5), as well as any tools these Phase Is have developed that others may be able to use or mimic (e.g., checklists, submittal forms, templates, etc.). The workshop will not go into the details of specific BMP designs and plan review considerations, but rather focuses on larger internal challenges faced by municipal stormwater staff and plan review staff.
Successful Source Control through Behavior Change— Led by Tiffany Odell (Pierce County) and Dave Ward (Puget Sound Partnership).

Nonpoint pollution starts with people. Whether you’re a stormwater manager, engineer, program director or outreach professional, you need to understand what it takes to motivate source control among your residents. Like engineered solutions, source control through behavior change applies science and research to achieve desired outcomes. Successful behavior-change programs employ behavioral science, marketing, and rigorous evaluation. This session will focus on Social Marketing as a method to influence behaviors for pollution reduction. It will emphasize successful programs and will walk through eight specific criteria that managers can use to gauge the effectiveness of their programs. This session can be valuable for managers who oversee stormwater outreach programs; source control professionals; public outreach professionals; stormwater engineers who want to improve their understanding of a balanced treatment/source control program. Half-Day Workshops and Trainings November 5th, 2014

Roads and Highways – Led by Mark Mauer (WSDOT) with Aimee Navickis-Brasch (Gonzaga University) and Curtis M. Nickerson (CARDNO)

A 4-hour session focusing on stormwater management on roads and highways is scheduled for this day. The session grew out of the work started by the statewide Stormwater Working Group’s Roads and Highways Subgroup and will include presentations and discussions on high priority topics now facing roads and highways managers and staff. Topics and discussion points were developed through a group survey that helped to focus the content of the session.