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Good morning Municipal Stormwater Permittees,

This bi-weekly Municipal Stormwater Bulletin contains information to be shared, including a request for information from permittees, updates on workshops/trainings, and news. There is a lot of useful information please take a look and share with others who could use the information.

PERMITTEE HIGHLIGHTS

Pierce County Vehicle Adaptation during COVID-19

When Pierce County (PC) was first experiencing the restrictions of one person per vehicle due to Covid-19, they developed a way to adapt vehicles to accommodate 2 people. The power point information will be posted to the Washington Stormwater Center website later this week.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

MuniCon Call for Abstracts deadline EXTENDED Nov. 11, 2020:

<http://www.cvent.com/c/abstracts/3977fb4a-8b5e-498d-abad-52aa7521d6f8>

Washington Stormwater Center NEW WEBSITE is transitioning from the old to the new this week. The website maybe offline for a short period during the transition.

<https://www.wastormwatercenter.org/>

PERMITTEE REQUEST FOR INFORMATION If you have any information to share for the permittees requests below, please reach out! If you are looking for information from other permittees send the inquiry to Laurie Larson to be sent in the next bulletin.

Request from jurisdictions for Green Infrastructure O&M training opportunities

If you know of any online training materials, videos or opportunities please send them to Laurie Larson.

Permittee request for: Maintenance and Inspection check list

Does anyone has a more current electronic check list for property owners to report their own maintenance and inspection for the stormwater BMPs (features and treatment). An improved check list that matches features used today would really help. Send to laurie.larson-pugh@wsu.edu

Regional Permit Coordinator Meetings: Contact Laurie Larson for meeting information.

BIG (Business Inspection Group)

20 October 1:30-3:30pm

ROAD Map (Regional Operations and Maintenance Program)

21 October 1:00-3:30pm Meeting focus: Spill response and IDDE

STORM Symposium

18-19 November 2020

RESOURCES:

National Municipal Stormwater Alliance Webcasts

<http://nationalstormwateralliance.org/webinars/>

- Stormwater Pond Webcast Series Part 1 – The Problems with Ponds
- Introduction to the National MS4 Online Resource

WORKSHOP/TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES: *These dates are subject to change depending upon COVID-19 containment measures.

ICID Training Update:

There is no charge to attend, and each training session can accommodate up to 30 participants. Municipal staff from western Washington are given priority for registration (other attendees are welcome as space is available). Training dates and times are listed below. **Registration** is now live for the virtual trainings on the *2020 Illicit Connection and Illicit Discharge (IC-ID) Field Screening and Source Tracing Guidance Manual*: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/virtual-ic-id-field-screening-and-source-tracing-training-tickets-114987885862?>

ICID web page:

<https://www.wastormwatercenter.org/illicit-connection-illicit-discharge>

Date	Time
Thursday, Oct. 29	1:00-4:00pm
Tuesday, Nov. 3	1:00-4:00pm
Tuesday, Nov. 10	9:00am-12:00pm

Climate Change Impacts to Stormwater October 22

Join Forester University for this live, educational webinar as prolific speaker Douglas Beyerlein (PE, PH, D.WRE) discusses how climate change impacts stormwater runoff, how to account for these changes in the design of stormwater and flood control facilities, and how secondary effects—such as sea level rise—indirectly influence stormwater runoff as well. Fee: \$79.00
Registration: <https://www.foresteruniversity.com/ProductDetails.aspx?ProductID=2605>

Inclusive Public Engagement Strategies Oct. 28, 2020

Why do local government outreach efforts commonly result in public meetings attended by “the usual crowd”? The people who participate in council meetings or public hearings rarely reflect the full range of identities, ages, and perspectives within the community. This webinar will address more inclusive outreach strategies to build broad coalitions with all community members. Fee: \$35
Registration: <http://mrsc.org/Home/Training/Upcoming-Webinars/Inclusive-Public-Engagement-Strategies.aspx>

ECOSS 2020 Washington Stormwater Management Pre-Recorded Webinar Class Lineup:

Register: <https://ecoss.org/stormwater-e-learning/> Municipal Classes:

<https://ecoss.org/projects/municipal-stormwater/> Fee based

Industrial Workshops	Cost
Session 1 - The 2020 ISG Permit & How to Create a SWPPP	\$100
Session 2 - Sampling, Labs and Reporting	\$100
Session 3 - Spill Prevention and BMPs	\$100
Session 4 - Responding to Level 3 Actions and Lawsuits	\$100
All Sessions 1 – 4 Above*	\$350

Introduction to Economic Development during COVID and Beyond MRSC Webinar

November 10, 2020. This webinar will provide a solid introduction to economic development and identify the steps taken by successful organizations to assist local businesses and promote job retention/creation. A follow-up webinar in December will feature several case studies. Fee: \$35

Register: <http://mrsc.org/Home/Training/Upcoming-Webinars/Introduction-to-Economic-Development-for-Local-Gov.aspx>

Social Marketing SPARKS Conference: December 7th & 8th, 2020 Fee: Day 1-2 \$345 Day 1 \$195

Register at: <https://pnsma.org/SPARKS>

MuniCon 2021 April 5-8 Zoom On-line

The goal of this conference is to provide the Washington municipal stormwater community an opportunity to communicate, coordinate, and exchange approaches and tools for addressing priority issues and challenges faced by municipal stormwater permittees in Eastern and Western Washington. MuniCon 2021 is scheduled for April 5-8, 2021 as an on-line conference.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES: please share with anyone who may be interested in listed below:

Pierce County is recruiting for a new position (Water Quality specialist 3) in the Monitoring Unit within Pierce County’s surface Water Management division. A strong background in stream data collection, data analysis, and project management is highly desired. Please share with your contacts.

Recruitment closes **October 24th**.

<https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/piercecountywa/jobs/2874723/water-quality-specialist-3-planning-and-public-works-surface-water-management?page=3&pagetype=jobOpportunitiesJobs>

King County is seeking candidates for the position of Water quality Planner/Project Manager II (Stormwater) This Water Quality Planner/Project Manager II position investigates and troubleshoots surface water quality problems; identifies and traces illicit stormwater discharges to the conveyance system and surface waters; inspects business sites for compliance with King County stormwater pollution prevention requirements; and implements enforcement action as needed to resolve water quality code violations. This position provides support in the development of plans and reviews for the impacts of regulatory actions and implementation of operational projects that support the

infrastructure and operations and activities of stormwater efforts needed to protect and enhance water quality. The planner in this position generally works independently, executing their assigned projects and participating in components of more complex programs. Incumbent may serve on interdisciplinary and inter-jurisdictional teams addressing environmental and regulatory issues. Post link: <https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/kingcounty/jobs/2843027/water-quality-planner-project-manager-ii-stormwater>

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