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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 REQUEST FOR INFORMATION: If you are looking for information from other permittees send the inquiry to Laurie Larson to be sent in the next bulletin.

Permittee request:

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

City of Gig Harbor

Is looking for “maintenance standards” for outfalls. Either a maintenance standard or a maintenance checklist for outfalls. If you have information to share please contact: EllisB@cityofgigharbor.net

Business Inspection Group

Is interested in hearing from jurisdictions on Commercial Private Drainage Maintenance Programs. Topics of interest: Incentive/technical assistance for facility inspections. How you anticipate coupling this with source control. Has this changed during COVID-19? Send information to laurie.larson-pugh@wsu.edu.

RESOURCES:

Puget Sound Starts Here Month! September officially launches PSSH digital ad campaign run by Rich Marketing. See the attached handout on other ways to get involved in PSSH Month, and don't forget to post your events on pugetsoundstartshere.org! A how-to guide is attached. STORM Coordinator Mary Eidmann Mary.Eidmann@seattle.gov

Western Washington Plan Reviewer Training: Focusing on review of stormwater site development plans. Materials available at: <https://www.wastormwatercenter.org/plan-reviewer-training/>

Stormwater Action Monitoring (more information in newsletter #10 attached)

Register for the September 16, 2020 SAM Study Selection Workshop

The Round 3 workshop is the opportunity to hear study proponents to present on their final study proposal for permittees and stakeholders. Please register and mark your calendar for this virtual event. Be an informed voter on which SAM study to fund, materials will be available on the SAM website a week before. Nine full proposals were reviewed over the summer by city, county, university, private sector, and Ecology. Presentations are now being prepared for the workshop. The 16 LOIs and 9 FPs are listed on the SAM effectiveness studies webpage.

Register now: <https://register.gotowebinar.com/register/5113644271270655245>

National Municipal Stormwater Alliance (NMSA) announces the launch of the National MS4 Online Resource, which is located at: <http://ms4resource.nationalstormwateralliance.org/>. This resource was funded by EPA and is being overseen and maintained by NMSA.

NMSA invites you to provide feedback at:

<http://ms4resource.nationalstormwateralliance.org/index.php/feedback/>. If you have a resource you'd

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like NMSA to consider for inclusion in the Online Resource, please submit this information at:

<http://ms4resource.nationalstormwateralliance.org/index.php/submit-a-resource/>

To learn more about the Online Resource please view a recording of the webinar titled, "National Municipal Stormwater Alliance: An Introduction to the National MS4 Online Resource" that was held on August 12, 2020 at: <http://nationalstormwateralliance.org/webinars/>

U of W Tribal Climate Tool

This visualization tool enables users to explore and download climate change projections and climate change summaries for priority geographies at the scale of tribal decision-making.

<https://cig.uw.edu/resources/tribal-vulnerability-assessment-resources/tribal-climate-tool/>

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

MuniCon 2021 April 5-8 Zoom On-line

MuniCon 2021 Workshop Survey

The MuniCon planning team would like you to take the three question survey to provide information on the interest in workshop topics. **Please complete the survey by Sept. 17, 2020.**

https://wsu.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_0Bq7wUAX6BuW5Lf

MuniCon Call for Abstracts deadline Oct. 21, 2020: <http://www.cvent.com/c/abstracts/3977fb4a-8b5e-498d-abad-52aa7521d6f8>

CESCL Certification at Northwest Environmental Training Center Course Offerings

Sept. 23-24, October 7-8 and 21-22. Fee based training.

Register at: [https://nwetc.org/chronological-course-](https://nwetc.org/chronological-course-offerings/cescl?utm_source=sendinblue&utm_campaign=CESCL_831&utm_medium=email)

[offerings/cescl?utm_source=sendinblue&utm_campaign=CESCL_831&utm_medium=email](https://nwetc.org/chronological-course-offerings/cescl?utm_source=sendinblue&utm_campaign=CESCL_831&utm_medium=email)

WSDOT Highway Runoff Manual Training Workshop 2020 4-day Live Webinar

WSDOT is providing two opportunities to take the Highway Runoff Manual Training (HRM) Workshop via GoToWebinar in October 2020. Upon successful completion of this training, each participant will receive a unique 2019 HRM certificate number. This number is required on hydraulic reports created for WSDOT projects. *Registration Fee of \$20. Fee can be waived for WSDOT, local agency, and other government staff.* Details for how to register for this 4-day course are at:

Session #1 October 5 – October 8, 2020 from 8am – 12pm each day

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/3567109698985448971>

Session #2 October 19 – October 22, 2020 from 8am – 12pm each day

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/5268260895341219851>

ICID Training Update:

A total of eight (8) virtual IC-ID Training sessions will be offered from September through November 2020. 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). The project is funded by the Ecology SAM program and western Washington municipal stormwater permittees. Training dates and times are listed below. Click the link above for more information and to register for one of the IC-ID Training sessions!

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 page:

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

Date	Time
Tuesday, Sept. 22	1:00-4:00pm
Thursday, Oct. 1	1:00-4:00pm
Tuesday, Oct. 6	9:00am-12:00pm
Tuesday, Oct. 13	9:00am-12:00pm
Tuesday, Oct. 20	9:00am-12:00pm
Thursday, Oct. 29	1:00-4:00pm
Tuesday, Nov. 3	1:00-4:00pm
Tuesday, Nov. 10	9:00am-12:00pm

International Social Marketing Association (iSMA) registration is now open for the *Introduction to Social Marketing* 12-week online course Sept. 28-Dec. 18, 2020. You can earn a professional certificate of completion. Space is limited and will be on a first come, first serve basis.

Register: <https://isocialmarketing.org/trainings/> iSMA will then follow up with your confirmation and instructions for payment of the US\$800 course. **Scholarship?** iSMA is pleased to cover the full cost of the course for one student. The scholarship application form is available [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdh6u8DLueiadzuTfYHffw2HXshpsYlrBxVnoC9Q3cuz7Juw/v](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdh6u8DLueiadzuTfYHffw2HXshpsYlrBxVnoC9Q3cuz7Juw/viewform)
[iewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdh6u8DLueiadzuTfYHffw2HXshpsYlrBxVnoC9Q3cuz7Juw/v)

Pacific Northwest Social Marketing Association “Using Research to help tackle COVID-19 Behaviors Among Less Receptive Audiences” Sept. 16, 2020 Zoom call-on line 11:30am register at: <https://www.pnsma.org/event-3947063>

Social Marketing SPARKS Conference: December 7th & 8th, 2020 Fee: Day 1-2 \$345 Day 1 \$195 Register at: <https://pnsma.org/SPARKS>

NEBC Brownfields & Infrastructure Summit October 5-6, 2020 <https://theoregonsummit.com/>

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

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

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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>

Thurston County is seeking candidates to fill **two (2) vacancies** within the Water Resources Division's Technical Services Group. This team consists of a group of engineers/planners who provide planning, development review, and capital projects management for the County's stormwater, water, and sewer utilities. The group also leads public outreach for projects, management of utility advisory committees, and County code updates.

The ideal candidate will join the group ready to learn and work collaboratively with internal and external stakeholders to ensure capital project delivery, and planning project compliance with regulatory requirements. Primary tasks will include management of consultant design and planning contracts, capital project scoping, and review of development applications (stormwater scoping reports, and new water and sewer connections).

While the Technical Services Group does not currently perform engineering design services, the group is especially interested in candidates who will bring a design skill set to the team

Link to Posting : <https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/thurstonwa/jobs/2847203/water-resources-utility-planner>