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This bi-weekly Municipal Stormwater Bulletin contains information to be shared, including a request for information from permittees, updates on workshops/training, and news. There is a lot of informational tools and resources. Please share with others who could use the information. **By: Laurie Larson**

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## News

The Stormwater Strategic Initiative (SIL) will be releasing a new Request for Proposals on July 15. Up to \$1 million in funding will be available under this opportunity for pilot projects to test new or innovative pretreatment technologies to remove contaminants of emerging concern (CECs) from wastewater. The Stormwater SIL encourages people interested in applying or partnering on a project to contact RFP [Lead Frances Bothfeld](#) for support preparing a strong application, and to attend a pre-application workshop (dates will be announced soon).

Find more information about this upcoming opportunity on our [blog](#)

## News State, National & Legislative Update

### How MS4s Can Take an Integrated and Long-Term Planning Approach to Reduce Stormwater Impacts

**Wednesday July 10, 2024** 10 AM - 11:15 AM PDT. Free Event.

The National Municipal Stormwater Alliance (NMSA), in coordination with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), is hosting a webinar focusing on long-term and integrated planning for MS4s. This event provides background information on the integrated planning and long-term stormwater planning approaches. Specifically, this webinar will present information on how Municipal Storm Sewer System programs (MS4s) may use an integrated planning approach for stormwater assets, concepts, and resources. [Registration information.](#)

Questions that will be addressed during this webinar includes:

- What are the long-term and integrated planning approaches and how do they apply for MS4s?
- How are these approaches linked?
- What are the drivers that would compel a community to adopt a long-term stormwater plan?
- How can a community initiate the development of a long-term stormwater plan?

### [EPA Releases Information that States and Tribes Can Use to Protect Local Fish from Toxic Tire Chemicals](#)

Learn more about the EPA's [screening values for 6PPD and 6PPD-q](#) and [other work](#) on 6PPD-q.

# Peer to Peer Permittee Request for Information

**City of Sammamish** is looking to see if any jurisdiction has created a Stormwater Pond Maintenance Assessment to prioritize maintenance needs across publicly-owned stormwater ponds. Our assessment would be incorporated into our maintenance contracts. Please let me know if anyone has conducted a similar assessment or study. Contact: [Helena Gubbels](#), Associate Stormwater Engineer.

## Regional Permit Coordinator Meetings:

For information on Regional Stormwater Coordinator Groups, visit: <https://www.wastormwatercenter.org/permit-assistance/municipal/877-2/>

**APWA** July 19, 2024, 9:00am-12:00pm

**Central NPDES Permit Coordinators Forum** August 15, 2024, 1:00-3:30 pm

**ROAD Map** (Regional Operations and Maintenance Program) July 11, 2024, 1:00-3:30 pm Virtual

**South Sound Phase II Coordinator's Group** July 25, 2024, 9:00-11:00 am

**Business Inspection Group (BIG)** August 20, 2024, 1:30-3:30 pm

**STORM Quarterly** meeting Sept. 12, 2024 9 am - 12 pm, location: virtual

**WSC Municipal EJ Workgroup** August 14, 2024 3:00-4:00 PM Meeting topic: To attend the meeting contact [laurie.larson-pugh@wsu.edu](mailto:laurie.larson-pugh@wsu.edu).

## Resources

[Social Marketing Overview Training- Julie Colehour](#)

[PSEMP Dialogue Series - Indigenous Knowledge, Science, and Collaboration recorded session.](#)

[Urban Stormwater Control Measures for Nutrient Management article by Environmental Science and Engineering](#)

US Water Alliance webinar Race and Water: Tools and Strategies to Advance Racial Justice:

- [Webinar Recording](#)
- [US Water Alliance Racial Equity Toolkit](#)
- [Government Alliance on Race and Equity GARE Framework](#)

[U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service National Fish Passage Program. Due December 21.](#)

New Online Collection of Environmental Justice Resources by the EPA - Explore the [Environmental Justice Clearinghouse](#), the first of its kind online collection of environmental justice related resources. Directed by President Biden's [Executive Order on Revitalizing Our Nation's Commitment to Environmental Justice for All](#). This resource will help the public access federal and non-federal resources online as part of the Biden-Harris Administration's ambitious environmental justice agenda.

## Workshops/ Trainings/ Conferences

## Ecology Water Quality Grant and Loan Recipient Webinar Series:

- Stormwater Facility and Activity Projects: July 16, 2024, 8:30 am - 4 pm. Zoom. [Registration](#).
- Nonpoint Source Activity Projects: July 17, 2024 9 AM - 3 pm. Zoom. [Registration](#)
- Environmental Review for Loan Agreements: July 18, 2024, 10 AM - 11 pm. Zoom. [Registration](#)
- Cultural Resources Review for All Projects: July 118, 2024, 1 pm - 3 pm. [Registration](#)

[Washington ISGP Workshop Live In-Person August 1, 2024](#) \$275 per person at WSU Research & Extension Center. This one-day course will provide an overview of the ISGP which regulates industrial Stormwater in Washington. Topics covered include Plan writing, Inspections, Sampling, Reporting, and BMPs & new 2025 Permit Requirements. Coffee, snacks, and lunch provided. Instruction by CWT Academy. Hosted by WSC. Resister with [Jen Lee](#). Registration open until July 15, 2024.

## [Education Summit @ ESRI UC July 13-16, 2024 at San Diego, CA](#)

**StormCon** August 27-29, 2024 Reno, NV. [Lean more here](#).

[WEFTEC 2024 Conference October 5-9 in New Orleans](#)

# Online Courses

[CWT Academy](#) is pleased to announce the release of our industrial or multi-sector stormwater management series! [View courses here](#).

# Job Opportunities

## [City of Olympia is hiring a Program Specialist \(Stormwater\)](#)

[King County Stormwater Services Section Manager](#)

## [Pierce Conservation District Intern](#)

**Ecology is currently recruiting:**

- [Senior Water Quality General Permit Writer \(Environmental Specialist 5\)](#) This position is located in our Central Region Office (CRO) in Union Gap, WA. Upon hire, you must live within a commutable distance from the duty station.
- The Water Quality Program within the Department of Ecology is looking to fill an [Industrial Facility Management Engineer \(Environmental Engineer 5\) position](#). This position is located in our Central Region Office (CRO) in Union Gap, WA. Upon hire, you must live within a commutable distance from the duty station.

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