



Stormwater Management

6 minimum control measures

- Public education and outreach
- Public participation and involvement
- Illicit discharge detection and elimination (IDDE)
- Construction site runoff control
- Post-construction stormwater management (PCSM)
- Pollution prevention/good housekeeping

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MS4

Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System

What is this, MS4 and what is required?

- Untreated stormwater runoff that discharges to our streams
- Comprised of ditches, man-made channels, anything that transport flow of our water
- The National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) phase II new permit regulations require coverage for discharges from MS4s
- Our Borough is required to comply with the new program effective in 2018
- Programs are intended to improve our Nation's waters by reducing quantities of pollutants that are picked up by runoff and transported through MS4s during rain events
- Our program must implement and maintain six elements termed "minimum control measures."



When to start implementing good practices?

TODAY

Things you can do to help your community?

- ❖ Never dump anything down storm drains or in streams
- ❖ Take your car to the car wash instead of washing it in your driveway
- ❖ Recycle motor oil and check your car for leaks regularly
- ❖ Pick up after your pet
- ❖ Vegetate bare spots in yard so water won't run off as quickly