



# Controlling Construction Site Runoff: Are your Ordinances and Enforceable Policies Making the Grade?

Thursday, Aug. 27, 2009

8:30 am - 12:30 pm

URI Kingston Campus, Library, Galanti Lounge (3rd Floor)

## AGENDA

Registration from 8:30 am - 9:00 am

**9:00 Welcome and Introduction**

**9:10 Do you know your SWMPP from your SWPPP?**

Overview of the Phase II 2003 MS4 general permit requirements, including state and local permitting and inspections, definition of a qualified local program, and re-issuance of the MS4 general permit.

*Eric Beck, Supervising Engineer, RI DEM RIPDES Stormwater Program*

**9:30 Ordinances and Enforceable Policies**

Does your construction site runoff control program meet minimum Phase II requirements? This session covers the basics, with suggestions incorporated into an annotated version of the RI Soil Erosion and Sediment Control model ordinance.

*Kristine Stuart, Stormwater Specialist, Southern Rhode Island Conservation District*

**10:15 Break**

**10:30 Using SWPPP Templates to Simplify, Standardize and Strengthen Your Program**

RI DOT has created time-saving templates for preparing Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plans, with supporting inspection and report forms. This session will describe how MS4s can use these materials to simplify plan review, track inspections and aid enforcement.

*Allison LeBlanc, Environmental Scientist, RI DOT Natural Resources Unit*

**11:15 Self Inspection for Voluntary Compliance - Can It Work?**

This introduction to the Environmental Results Program (ERP) for construction site runoff control, now in development, will describe how self-evaluation and certification can promote compliance with MS4 erosion and sediment control measures while making effective use of limited resources.

*Ron Gagnon, Chief, RI DEM Office of Customer and Technical Assistance*

**11:45 Questions and Discussion with Panel**

**12:15 Wrap up and Evaluations**

**12:30 Adjourn**

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