



- AGENDA -

NH Lower Merrimack Valley Stormwater Coalition Meeting

Remote Meeting via Zoom (check your email and Outlook invitation from Deb Loiselle for details)

Thursday, December 10, 2020

1:00 – 3:00 p.m.

1. Introductions

- Roll call will be done alphabetically by municipality or affiliation

2. Approve Meeting Minutes

- November 12, 2020

3. Overview of the Holiday Meeting and Events

- Virtual snacks and holiday fun with peers
- Stormwater Bingo
- Stormwater jokes
- “Wait, wait, don’t tell me”
- Ugly sweater contest (Categories: Best Overall Ugly and Best Stormwater)
- Virtual escape room

Joke Time!

4. EPA NH MS4 Audit Overview

- Dawn Tuomala (Merrimack) and Lyndsay Butler (Salem) will present and provide an overview of the written comments received relative to their recent NH MS4 audit by EPA Region 1 and PG Environmental (EPA Contractor)
- Comparison of comments – similarities and differences
- Areas identified as agenda items for future meetings and to assist all NH MS4 permittees
- Q&A

Joke Time!

5. Pollutant Load Mapping (aka Hotspot Maps) and Voting

- Vote on using NHLMV pooled money to complete the maps for the NHLMV municipalities
- Summary:
 - Estimated at \$5,500-6,500 to complete the maps for the NHLMV municipalities
 - Maps can be used to meet ranking of permittee-owned properties due in year 4 (Section 2.3.6.e)
 - Maps can be used to meet the requirement for Nitrogen Source Identification Report (Appendix H)
 - For those communities with lake or pond TMDLs (Appendix F) they can be used to develop Lake Phosphorus Control Plans
 - They can be used to track and account for BMP installations (Appendix H) and develop load reduction estimates for grants and fundraising efforts

Wait, wait, don’t tell me

6. NH Stormwater Coalition Chairpersons & NHDES meeting with EPA

- Overview

Joke Time!

7. Ugly Sweater Competition

- Best overall ugly
- Best ugly stormwater

8. Holiday Virtual Escape Room

Individuals will break out into virtual rooms and compete with their fellow peers. Teams will be selected randomly.

9. Updates and Other Business

- **2020 Asset Management Workshop for Water Infrastructure Webinar**

Tuesday, January 19, 2021

10:00 AM - 12:00 PM EST

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- **New NHDES Website – Coming December 8th**

The New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services (NHDES) is pleased to announce the launch of a completely redesigned and reimagined website on December 8th. The new site provides users with information organized by environmental topic, with the goal of creating multiple pathways to find the right content. Some of the exciting new features include:

- Looking for certain documents? The site includes a searchable document library for all NHDES publications, filterable by document type, category and keyword.
- Looking for someone to contact? There will be a searchable employee directory, filtered by topic or keyword.
- Looking for funding opportunities? A full list of loan and grant opportunities through NHDES programs in one place.
- One-click action: A selection of popular user requests a click away in our “How Can We Help You Today?” section on the homepage.

Upcoming meeting dates for 2021 – Mark your calendars! Following are the dates for 2021 and topics that are proposed. We will continue working on Year 3 requirements. Please note that topics may change dependent on priorities identified during the year.

2021 Meeting Dates

January 14th: Year 3 summary table

February 11th:

March 11th:

April 8th:

May 13th:

June 10th:

July 15th: Note this date is not during the regular monthly scheduled time

August 12th:

September 9th:

October 14th:

November 18th: Note this date is not during the regular monthly scheduled time

December 9th: 🎄 Holiday meeting

Please email potential agenda items and/or presentations to Deb Loiselle at deborah.loiselle@des.nh.gov. These will be considered for upcoming meetings and very helpful in the development of the monthly agendas.

10. Sign-in Sheet – Your names will be documented during roll call.