RIVERSIDE COUNTY WATERSHED PROTECTION



WQMP Training for Municipal Staff

Prepared For: Santa Ana River Watershed Permittees Presented By: CASC Engineering and Consulting, Inc. Spring 2019



MS4 Permit Annual Training

Permittees are required to provide annual training

- Today's training is part of the formal WQMP review training
 - Stormwater Managers
 - Planners

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For those involved in WQMP reviews

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MS4 SAR Permittees



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- County of Riverside
- Beaumont
 - Calimesa
 - Canyon Lake
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- Murrieta
- Norco
- Perris
- Riverside
 - San Jacinto
 - Wildomar



WQMP Overview and Key Documents

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Development Program Summary

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 Local agencies are responsible for implementing development regulations within their jurisdictions and for compliance with the NPDES permit

The WQMP is a key element of development programs

Not requiring an appropriate and complete WQMP could cause agencies to be FINED by the State

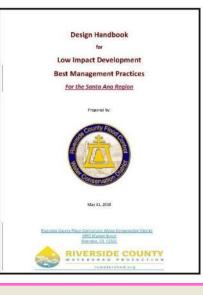


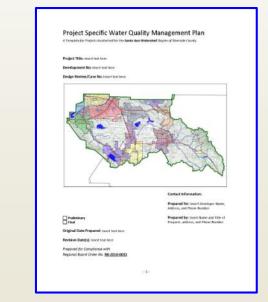
WQMP Guidance and Key Exhibits

A WQMP is a plan developed to mitigate the impacts of urban run-off from New Development and Significant Redevelopment Projects



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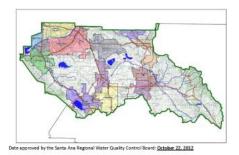


WQMP Guidance and Key Exhibits

- Guidance guides the preparation process and dictates type of information and analyses required
 - Template is Exhibit B
 - LID Handbook is Exhibit C
 - /Documents are available for download
 - **RC Flood NPDES website**
 - <u>http://rcflood.org/NPDES</u>
 - This presentation will also be available
 - http://rcflood.org/npdestraining/Presentations.aspx



WATER QUALITY MANAGEMENT PLAN A Guidance Document for the Santa Ana Region of Riverside County





Which Projects do WQMPs Apply to?

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- New Development and Redevelopment Priority Development Projects
- An incorrect determination of Project Category could create significant future headaches such as...
 - Permit enforcement actions against the agency or owner
 - Against the Agency under the Municipal NPDES permit
 - Against the Owner under the General Construction NPDES Permit



"Whole of an action"

• Page 5 of WQMP Guidance:

When determining whether WQMP requirements apply, a "project" should be defined consistent with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) definition of "project." That is, the "project" is the whole of an action which has the potential for adding or replacing or resulting in the addition or replacement of roofs, pavement, or other impervious surfaces. "Whole of an action" means the project may not be segmented or piecemealed into small parts if the effect is to reduce the quantity of impervious area for any part to below the applicable threshold.

Priority Development Categories



- New Development
- Automotive Repair Shops
- Restaurants
- **Hillside Development**
- Developments adjacent to/directly discharge to /ESA
- Parking Lots
- RGOs
- Significant Redevelopment

TABLE 1-1. Priority Development Categories

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Category	Threshold	Notes			
New Development Projects	10,000 SF	New developments that create 10,000 square feet or more of impervious surface (collectively over the entire project site) including commercial and industrial projects and residential housing subdivisions requiring a Final Map (i.e., detached single family home subdivisions, multi-family attached subdivisions, condominiums, apartments, etc.); mixed use and public projects (excluding Permittee road projects). This category includes development projects on public and private land, which fall under the planning and building authority of the Co-Permittees.			
Automotive Repair Shops	SIC CODE	Automotive repair shops (with SIC codes 5013, 5014, 5541, 7532-7534, 7536-7539).			
Restaurants	5,000 SF	Restaurants (with SIC code 5812) where the land area of development is 5,000 square feet or more.			
Hillside Developments	5,000 SF	Hillside developments disturbing 5,000 square feet or more which are located on areas with known erosive soil conditions or where the natural slope is twenty-five percent or more.			
Developments adjacent to, or that discharge directly into Environmentally Sensitive Areas	2,500 SF	Developments of 2,500 square feet of impervious surface or more adjacent to (within 200 feet) or discharging directly into ESAs.			
Parking Lots	5,000 SF	Parking lots of 5,000 square feet or more exposed to stormwater. Parking lot is defined as land area or facility for the temporary parking or storage of motor vehicles.			
Retail Gasoline Outlets (RGOs)	5,000 SF	Retail Gasoline Outlets (RGOs) that are 5,000 square feet or more with a projected average daily traffic of 100 or more vehicles per day.			
Significant Redevelopment Projects	5,000 SF	The addition or replacement of 5,000 square feet of impervious surface on an already developed site. See Section 1.1.2 below for applicability of the "50% Rule".			



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Other Projects – those projects that are not "Priority Development Projects"

WQMP generally not required

Local jurisdictions may require WQMP if deemed necessary to ensure mitigation of adverse impacts to water quality

Required to incorporate:

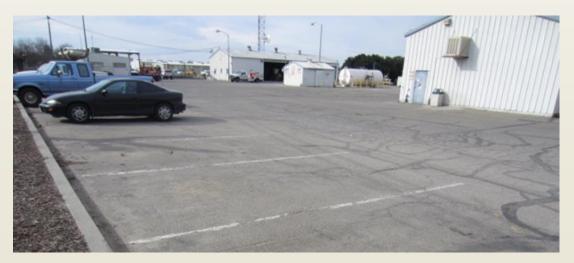
- Appropriate LID principles
- Source Control BMPs
- Other BMPs, which may or may not include treatment control BMPs

Public Works Projects

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- A Public Works project must have a WQMP if:
 - it has similar functions or characteristics of a Priority Development Project, or may conduct similar activities after construction
 - Examples Include:
 - A corporation yard with a vehicle and equipment maintenance facility is similar to an automotive repair shop
 - A civic center or library has characteristics similar to a commercial office building



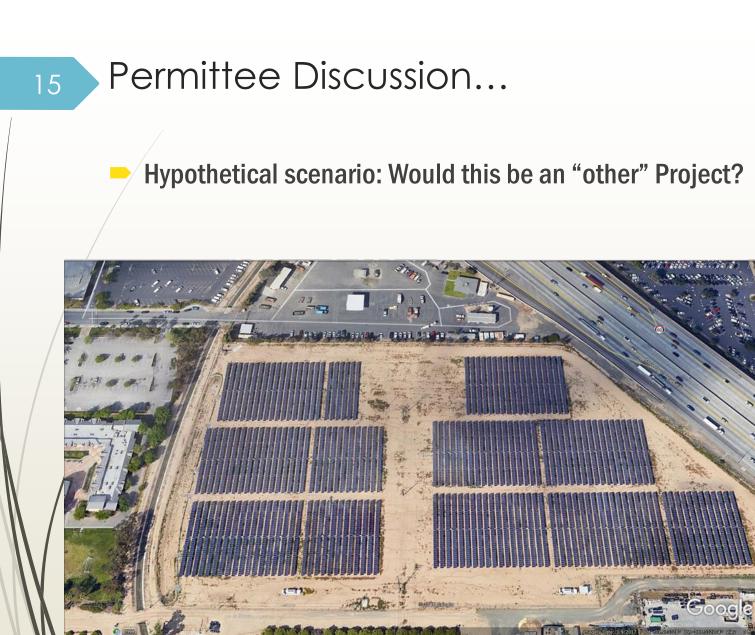
Permittee Discussion...



Hypothetical scenario: Would this be "redevelopment" Priority Development Project?

Proposes to remove the landscaping at back of sidewalk





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Let's review key terminology...

18 Key Terminology - BMPs



• What are BMPs?

BMPs are non-structural and structural source control measures that are required to be incorporated into all new development and significant redevelopment projects.

They are essential elements for effective water pollution control

WQMPs must include the following BMPs:

- Site Design BMP Concepts (LID Principles)

- Low Impact Development (LID) BMPs,
- Source Control BMPs, and
- Treatment Control BMPs (Potentially)



19 Key Terminology – BMPs



LID Principles:

- Site design concepts that eliminate causes (drivers) of negative impacts of development. Requires planning and forethought
 - Smart site layouts that preserve existing vegetation, preserve existing drainage patterns, and minimize areas of imperviousness.
 - Utilizing site design concepts can reduce costs by reducing or in some cases eliminating the need for additional structural BMPs.

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²⁰ Permittee Discussion...

LID Principle or pervious area or compacted area?





²¹ Key Terminology – BMPs

LID BMPs:

- Those BMPs that incorporate natural environmental and/or biological processes to treat pollutants and address hydromodification.
- Structural BMPs that primarily utilize some form of; infiltration, bio-filtration, evaporation, transpiration, or a combination thereof.





²² Permittee Discussion...

LID BMP or treatment control?



23 Key Terminology – BMPs



Source Control BMPs:

BMPs that attempt to reduce or eliminate pollution at the source (stop it before it starts).

- May be either structural or procedural
 - Structural Source Controls are permanent BMP structures built into the site.
 - Procedural Source Controls are prescribed methods of performing actions or operations.

Good Housekeeping practices is classic example

24 Key Terminology – BMPs



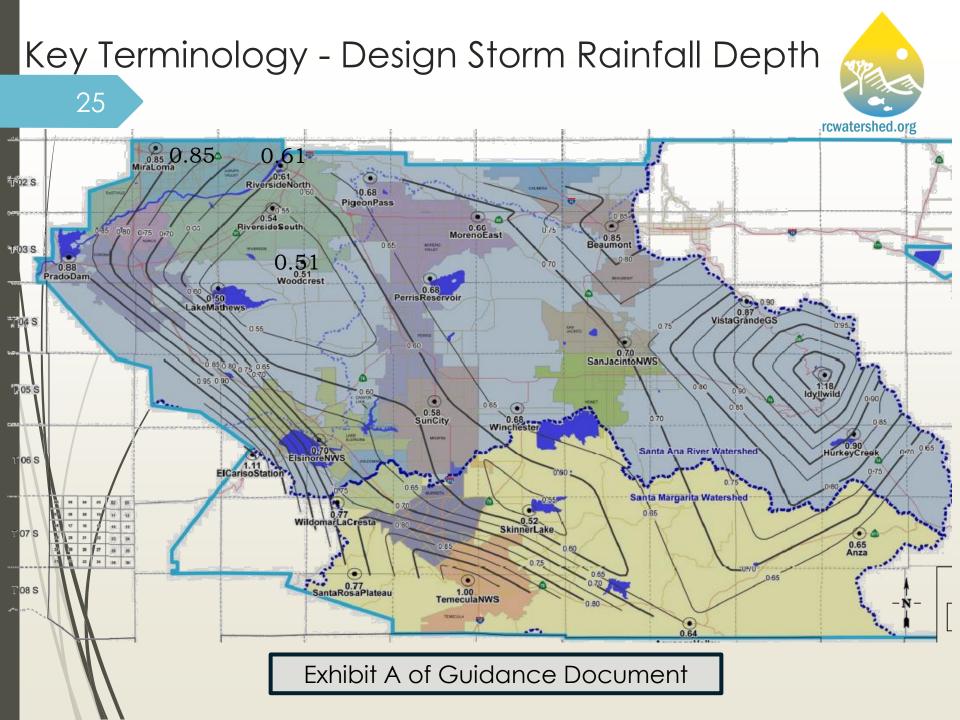
Treatment Control BMPs

Traditional BMPs (as opposed to LID BMPs) that focus on efficient and effective removal of pollutants with less concern for mimicking predevelopment hydrology.



3.7 Sand Filter Basin

	Type of BMP	Treatment
	Treatment Mechanisms	Filtration, Biofiltration
	Maximum Tributary Area	25 acres
	Other Names	Sand Filter, Media Filter, Pocket Filte





Key Terminology - Design Capture Volume

What is the Design Capture Volume (DCV)?

- The maximized water quality capture volume
- Equivalent to the 85th percentile 24-hour storm event
 - Computation of the DCV is covered in the Guidance (Page 23)

DCV can be calculated based on the following equation:

$$DCV = \frac{D_{85} \cdot C \cdot A_{TRIB}}{12} =$$

Where:

 $DCV = (ft^3)$

 D_{85} = the Design Storm rainfall depth (from Exhibit A) (inches)

C = composite rational method runoff factor for the Drainage Management Area (unitless)

 A_{TRIB} = area tributary to the BMP (ft²)





The minimum area, based on a percentage of a project site, that is necessary to demonstrate MEP implementation of on-site retention and infiltration and biotreatment of the DCV using LID BMPs

- Must meet the following requirements:
 - Is suitable for a BMP (Example: If infiltration is potentially feasible for the site then infiltration must be allowed over this area)
 - This area receives runoff from impervious areas



28 Key Terminology – Effective Area

If the minimum effective area is not provided for LID BMPs and the full DCV is not managed on-site, the reviewer shall request that additional area be made available for BMPs in the site design until either the percentage of the site in Table 2-5 is provided, or the entire DCV is managed, whichever percentage is less

If the percentage of the site made available for LID BMPs equals or exceeds a Project's minimum effective area criteria for BMPs and still does not achieve the DCV, then the unmet portion of the DCV must be addressed with other T_{BMPs} , credits, urban runoff fund contributions, or waivers.

Let's look at Table 2-5...

Table 2-5. Recommended Effective Area

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Priority Development Project Type	New Development	Redevelopment
SF/MF Residential < 7 du/ac	10%	5%
SF/MF Residential 7 – 18 du/ac	7%	3.5%
SF/MF Residential > 18 du/ac	5%	2.5%
Mixed Use, Commercial/Industrial w/ FAR < 1.0	10%	5%
Mixed Use, Commercial/Industrial w/ FAR 1.0 – 2.0	7%	3.5%
Mixed Use, Commercial/Industrial w/ FAR > 2.0	5%	2.5%
Podium (parking under > 75% of project)	3%	1.5%
Zoning allowing development to property lines	2%	1%
Transit Oriented Development ³	5%	2.5%
Parking	5%	2.5%

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¹ "Effective area" is defined as area which 1) is suitable for a BMP (for example, if infiltration is potentially feasible for the site based on infeasibility criteria, infiltration must be allowed over this area) and 2) receives runoff from impervious areas.

² See San Bernardino County Stormwater Program Technical Guidance Document for Water Quality Management Plans (WQMP) for more information regarding this table.

³Transit oriented development is defined as a development with development center within one half mile of a mass transit center.

Key: du/ac = dwelling units per acre, FAR = Floor Area Ratio = ratio of gross floor area of building to gross lot area, MF = Multi Family, SF = Single Family



30 Key Terminology – Drainage Management Area (DMA)

DMA – Outlines each LID BMP tributary area and is:

- Subdivided into smaller areas based on land cover and Hydrologic Soil Group (HSG).
 - Sample: If the Project site has two or more <u>discharge locations</u>, the Project has a minimum of two DMAs and the proponent must complete the HCOC and DCV analysis for each corresponding DMA
- Effective Area (EA) An area which is suitable for a BMP, and receives runoff from impervious areas.



31 Understanding DMA Types

• There are four types of DMAs:

DMA	DMA Type			
LID PRINCIPLES – Site design planning areas				
Self Treating Areas	А			
Self Retaining Areas	В			
Areas that drain to Self-Retaining Areas	С			
LID BMPS – Structural Mitigation				
Areas that drain to BMPs	D			

Let's take a closer look at each of these types...



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<u>Self-Treating Area</u> Natural areas that do not drain to stormwater BMPs, but rather drain directly off site to the MS4, rather than having its runoff comingle with runoff from the project's impervious surfaces.

Self-treating areas can be removed from the total tributary drainage area used to size BMPs.

- /Self-Treating Areas (if not comingling with project flows):
 - Conserved natural spaces
 - Undeveloped areas
 - Landscaped areas requires vegetation of low water use species
 - Note: May only include <5% impervious area (with mild slope areas) to ensure flows will be absorbed into vegetation</p>



33 DMA Type B – Self-Retaining Area

<u>Self-Retaining Area</u>

An area that has been designed to capture and retain the volume of runoff requiring treatment from that area. The self-retaining area must have the capability to restore its retention capacity within 72 hours in order to ready itself to capture subsequent runoff events.

Self-retaining areas can be removed from the total tributary drainage area used to size BMPs. They can also provide dual-use functionality as stormwater retention areas and also project amenities.

Self-Retaining Areas

- Landscape Areas
- Pervious pavement
- Ponds, fountains

- Harvest and Use Areas
- Green Roofs
- Parking islands



34 DMA Type B – Self-Retaining Area



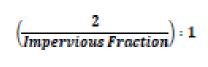


DMA Type C – Draining to Self-Retaining

Areas Draining to Self-Retaining Areas

Runoff from impervious surfaces can be routed to Type "B" (self-retaining) areas, thereby removing the impervious area from total tributary areas used to size required LID Treatment Control BMPs

Must not exceed required 2:1 ratio for impervious to perviousness. Attached self-retaining area must be able to retain entire DCV for all associated areas.



(Tributary Area : Self-Retaining Area)

Examples:

- Roof downspouts directed to lawn areas
- Portions of parking lot directed to landscaped areas





Areas Draining to BMP

Runoff from impervious surfaces that cannot be dealt with via non-structural preventative measures or LID Principles must be mitigated by a separate specifically designed BMP.

Whenever possible these should consist only of completely impervious surfaces such as roofs and parking lot pavements.

- Type D areas are other areas that could not be addressed through site design infiltration, or Harvest and Use.
 - Types A, B, C are considered self-mitigating
- Includes areas mitigated by treatment control and source control BMPs
- Note: Must follow BMP implementation hierarchy

37 DMA Types - Review



Self Treating = Type "A"

- Self Retaining = Type "B"
- Areas draining to Self Retaining = Type "C"

Areas draining to BMP = Type "D"



The first three types of DMAs - Self-Treating, Self-Retaining, and draining to Self-Retaining - are methods to account for successful implementation of LID Principles. As more LID Principles are implemented on the site, more of the site will become self-mitigating, resulting in less area that must be mitigated through structural LID BMPs. Further, these areas will not require specialized Operation and Maintenance procedures, and can typically be maintained with normal landscape maintenance. The fourth type of DMA is a method to document the specific areas within the site layout that require additional mitigation measures through LID BMPs. Document your delineated DMA classifications in Table C.1 in Section C of the WQMP template .

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DMA Misconceptions

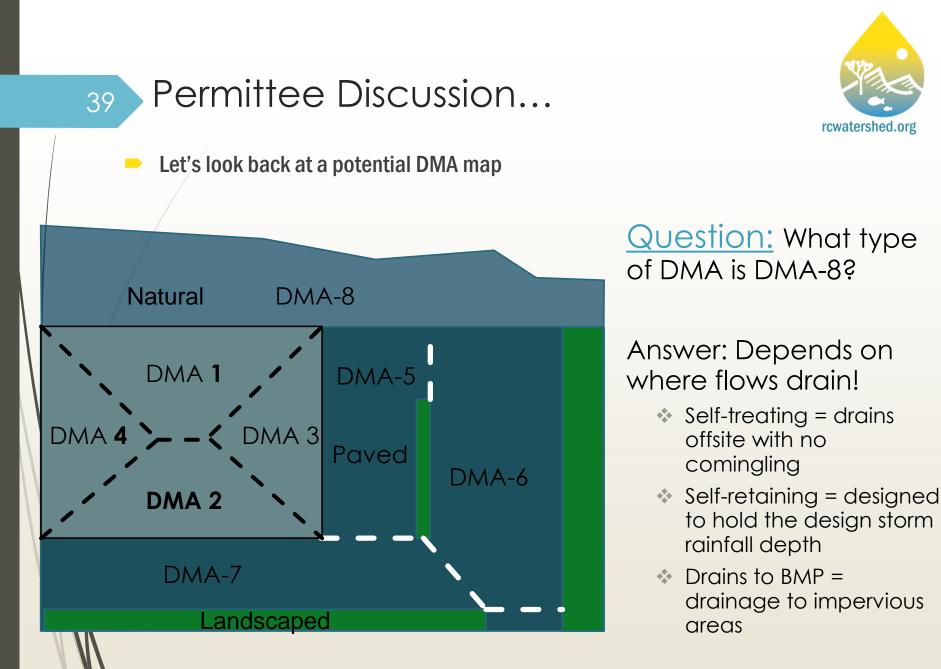


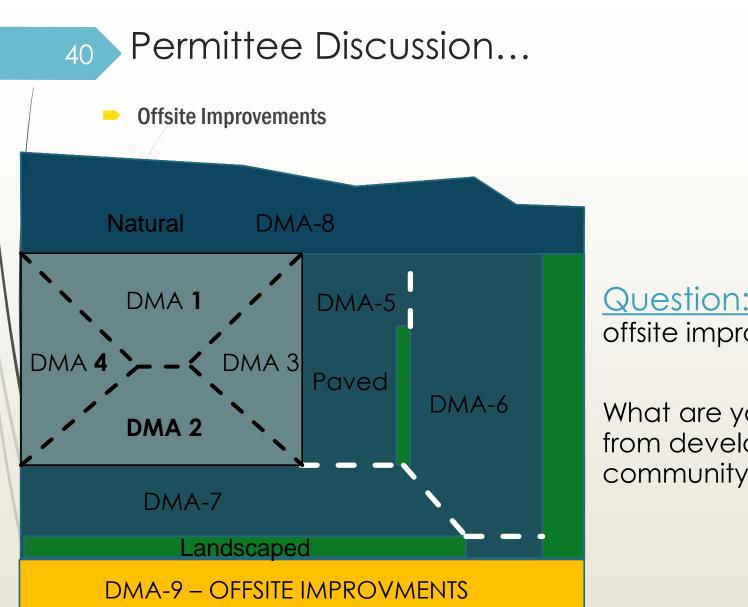
Understanding Type "A" vs Type "B"
 Can't have Type "C" without Type "B"
 Infiltration Basins are Structural BMPs
 Not Type "A" areas
 Type "D" areas are only those areas not addressed by LID Principles.

Types A, B, C are LID Principles









Question: What about offsite improvements?

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What are you seeing from development community?





Énsure there is...

- Consistency with grading, paving, and architectural plans
- Sufficient head to ensure drainage across the DMA, and from the DMA to the receiving LID BMP
- Follow-through in final design and during construction

⁴² Permittee Discussion...



Self-Treating Area or Self-Retaining Area?





⁴³ Permittee Discussion...

Self-Treating Area or Self-Retaining Area?





44 Permittee Discussion...

Self-Retaining Area or LID BMP?

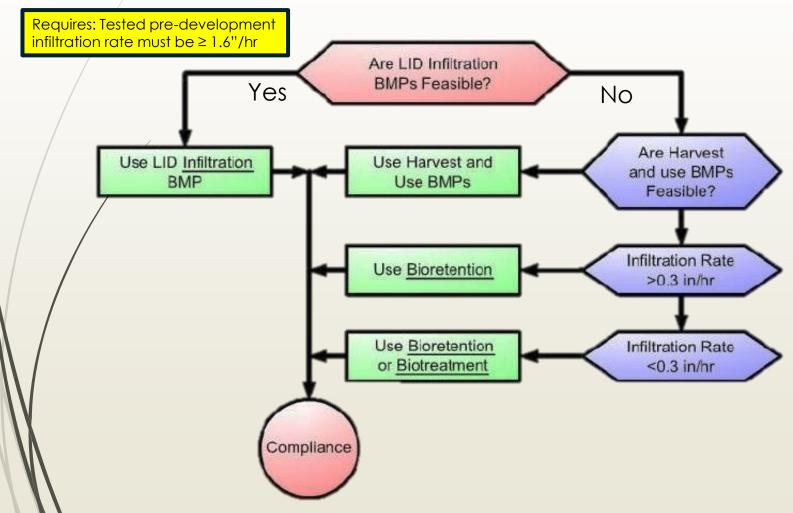




LID BMP Hierarchy



46 Implement LID BMPs -Hierarchy





Implement LID BMPs - Hierarchy

- **<u>First Tier BMP</u> Infiltration BMPs**
 - Dependent on infiltration applicability
 - Required for use unless determined not to be feasible on site
 - Only where soils are highly permeable testing required with some area exemptions (e.g. historical use)
 - **BMPs include:**
 - Infiltration basins
 - Infiltration trenches
 - Permeable pavement
 - Can also include bioretention facilities with no underdrains

Remember: Tested predevelopment infiltration rate must be ≥ 1.6 "/hr





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Implement LID BMPs - Hierarchy

Second Tier BMP - Harvest and Use

- Capture stormwater for reuse on the site
 - Complete the assessment in section D.2 of template to document feasibility for the project





Implement LID BMPs - Hierarchy

<u>Third Tier BMP</u> - Bioretention

- Vegetative basin underlain by an engineered soil media
- Feasible on all soil types due to underdrains
- May be free form areas or planter areas
- Designed to process the entire DCV





50 Implement LID BMPs - Hierarchy

Fourth Tier BMP - Biotreatment

Only where impermeable soils preclude the use of previous tier BMPs

 $K_{SAT} = <0.3"/hr$

 Distinguished from bioretention in that they do not process the entire DCV through a soil media

BMPs include (requires verification with local jurisdiction for approved biotreatment BMPs):

- Extended detention basins
- Bioswales
- Constructed wetlands

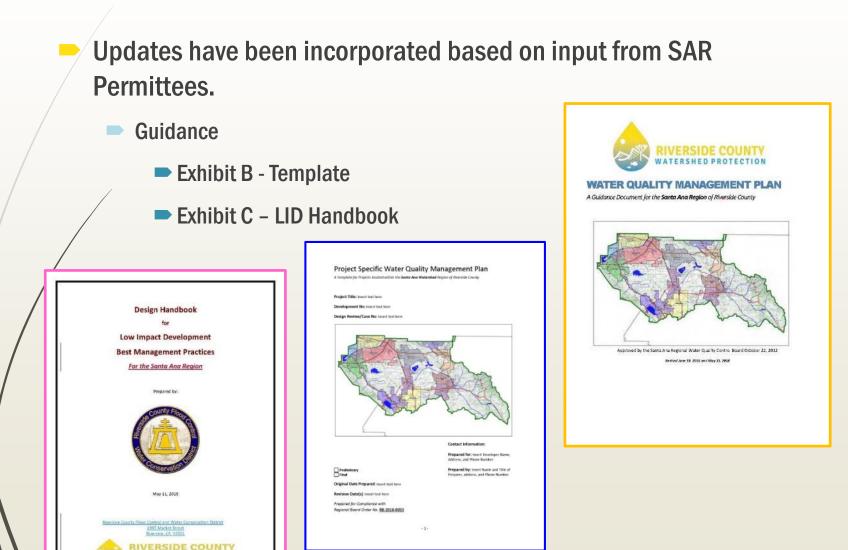




Updates to Documents



52 Updates added in to key documents



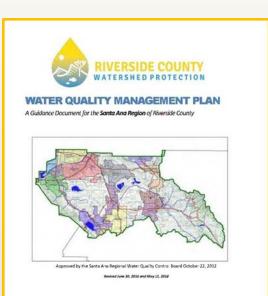


WQMP Guidance Updates



Will be posted in both redline and final versions

- Highlights changes made to Guidance
- Dated May 11, 2018





54 Overview of Guidance Updates

- Updates made to incorporate WAP
 - Exhibit H WAP Appendix A
 - Hydromodification Susceptibility Documentation Report
 - Exhibit I WAP Appendix E
 - Hydromodification Plan

Hydromodification Susceptibility Documentation Report and Mapping: Santa Ana Region

January 18, 2017

55 Introduction – Page 2

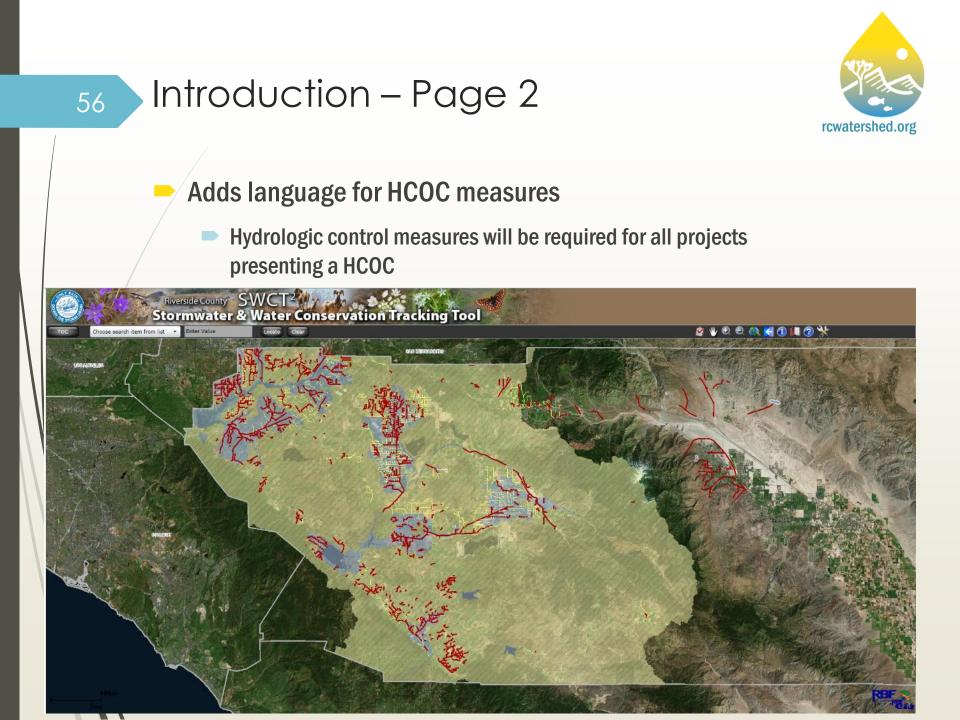


Adds language for "highest and best use"

- Exemption for highest and best use applies to:
 - "Projects discharging directly to Lake Elsinore



City of Lake Elsinore. (2018). Lake Opening Day. News. Retrieved from http://www.lake-elsinore.org/Home/Components/News/News/2439/26





WQMP Template Updates



58 Section A

Added new information

- Total Project Area
- Narrative description of complete project
 - Proposed hydrology
 - LID BMPs
 - Special uses or design needs

Section A: Project and Site Information

PROJECT INFORMATION		
Type of Project:	Insert text here (e.g., commercial, residential, etc.)	
Planning Area:	Insert text here	
Community Name:	Insert text here	
Development Name:	Insert Planning Area / Community Name/ Development Name, if known	
PROJECT LOCATION		
Latitude & Longitude (DM	15 or in Dedmai Degrees): Insert coordinates here	
Project Watershed and Si	ub-Watershed: Insert text here	
Gross Acres: Insert text h APN(s): Insert text here	are.	
Map Book and Page No.:	insert text here	
PROJECT CHARACTERISTICS		
Proposed or Potential Land Use(s)		Insert text here
Proposed or Potential SIC Code(s)		Insert text here
Total Area of Project Footprint (SF)		Insert text here
Total Area of proposed In	pervious Surfaces within the Project Footprint (SF)/or Replacement	Insert text here
Does the project consist of	of offsite road improvements?	DY DN
Does the project propose	to construct unpaved roads?	Y N
is the project part of a larger common plan of development (phased project)?		DY DN
EXISTING SITE CHARACTERISTIC	3	
Total area of existing Impervious Surfaces within the Project limits Footprint (SF)		Insert text here.
is the project located within any MSHCP Criteria Cell?		UY UN
If so, identify the Cell number:		Insert text here,
Are there any natural hydrologic features on the project site?		DY DN
Is a Geotechnical Report attached?		UY UN
If no Geotach. Report, list the NRCS solls type(s) present on the site (A, B, C and/or D)		Insert text here.
What is the Water Quality Design Storm Depth for the project?		insert text here.
Tributary Area for BMPs		insert text here.

A.1 Project Description

In the space provided below, please provide an overview and description of the proposed project. Include proposed hydrology, LID, 8MPs to be used, and any special uses or design needs.

Insert narrative here

Details

A.2 Maps and Site Plans

When completing your Project-Specific WQMP, include a map of the local vicinity and existing site. In addition, include all grading, drainage, landscape/plant palette and other pertiment construction plans in Appendix 2. At a minimum, your WQMP Site Plan should include the following:

- Drainage Management Areas
 Proposed Structural BMPs and Design
- Source Control BMPs (from Appendix 8)
- Buildings, Roof Lines, Downspouts
 Table of Impervious, Pervious and Total
- Orainage Path
- Project Site Areas



59 Section F - Hydromodification

 This section updated to reflect the approved Watershed Action Plan

The remaining template changes are related to hydromodification...



Hydromodification Updates



Section 2.2.3 Hydromodification Impacts

2.2.3. Hydromodification Impacts

The changes in the magnitude and frequency of stream flows and the associated sediment load resulting from urbanization are referred to as hydromodification. In some stream systems, hydromodification can cause erosion or aggradation of stream banks and beds, alter the transport of bed and wash load sediments, and degrade the in-stream habitat.

Once altered, natural streams and their ecosystems may have diminished beneficial uses. However, the stream may reach a new geomorphic equilibrium if proper management measures are implemented, and beneficial uses may be partially or fully recovered. Managing runoff from a single development site may seem inconsequential, but by changing the way most sites are developed (and redeveloped), we may be able to protect and ultimately rehabilitate stream ecosystems downstream of urban and urbanizing areas.



Section 2.2.3 Hydromodification Impacts

A project does not cause a HCOC if any of the following are met:

Disturbs less than 1 acre

Drains to channel that conveys stormwater to engineered and stable channel – Figures 3.8 & 3.9

- Conveys stormwater to Controlled Release Point Figure 10
- Considered a Watershed Protection Project stormwater context



Section 2.2.3 Hydromodification Impacts continued...

A project does not cause a HCOC if any of the following are met:

Prado Dam beneficial uses will benefit from project

Conveys stormwater to Natural Resistant Features or Stable Channels – Exhibit I

Project demonstrates that HCOC impacts are negligible or will be controlled



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Section 2.2.3 Hydromodification Impacts continued...

A project does not cause a HCOC if any of the following are met:

- Project is routine roadway maintenance that maintains original line and grade, hydraulic capacity, original purpose or
 - Emergency roadway maintenance activities that are required to protect public health and safety
- If volume and time of concentration of runoff is not significantly different 5% or less is considered insignificant



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Section 2.2.3 Hydromodification Impacts continued...



A project does not cause a HCOC if any of the following are met:

- If volume and time of concentration of runoff is not significantly different 5% or less is considered insignificant
 - Projects must demonstrate:
 - Post-development condition TOC of 95% or more of the pre-development TOC
 - Post development condition runoff volume of 105% or less of the predevelopment runoff volume



Section 2.2.3 Hydromodification Impacts continued...

If a Project does not meet any of those conditions, then:

- Projects must compare the 2-year, 24-hour volumes in pre- and postdevelopment conditions
- Calculations include:
 - Modified runoff curve number method
 - Short-cut synthetic unit hydrograph method on a 24-hour storm duration and a 15-minute unit time
 - Other acceptable method to the Permittee



Properly designed energy dissipation systems are required for all development project outfalls to unlined channels

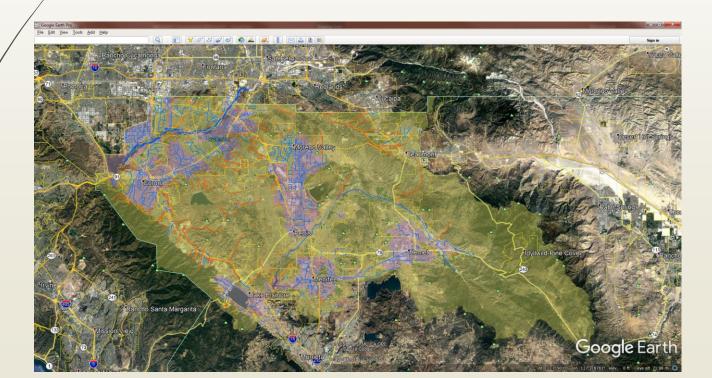
Designed based on engineered acceptable methods to reduce impacts from concentrated outfalls



68 HCOC Exhibits – Compiled In One Location

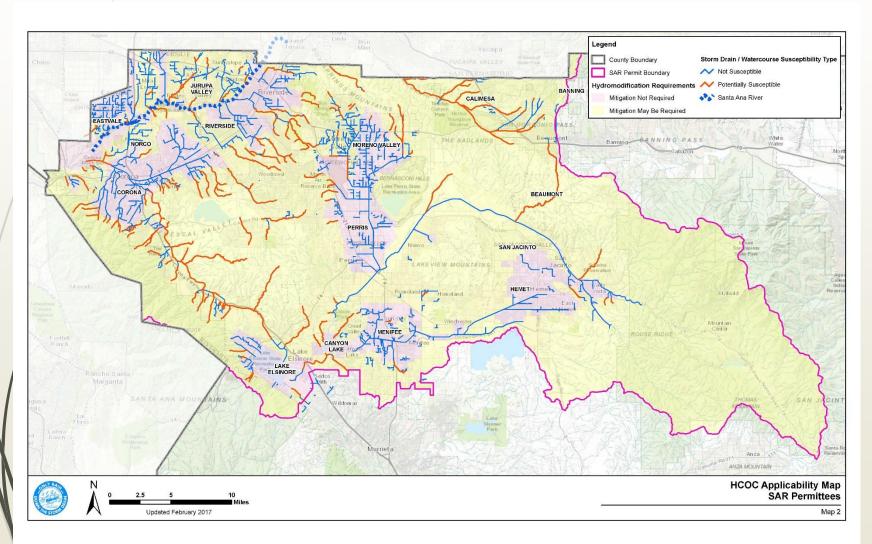
Guidance Document Exhibit J:

- HCOC Exemption Exhibits
- KMZ files are also available for Google Earth





69 Example Exhibit – HCOC Applicability Map





70 Example Exhibit - Controlled Release Points

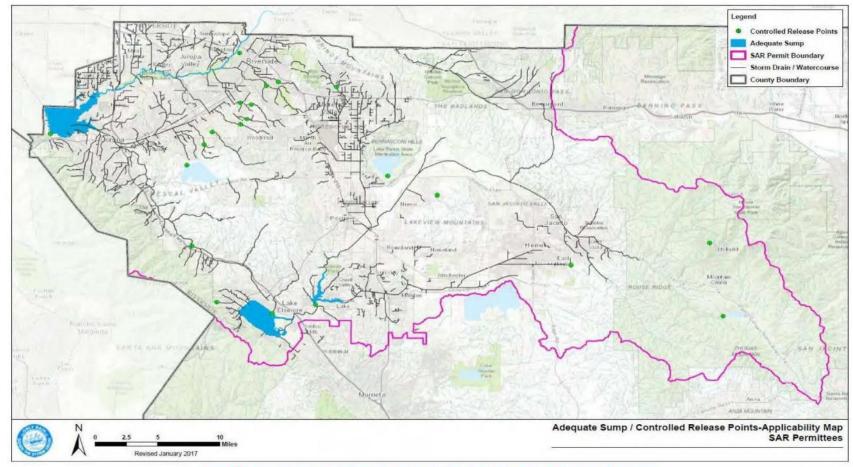


Figure 3-10. Adequate Sumps/Control Release Points Applicability Map-Figure 2 in Appendix E of the Watershed Action Plan



Example Exhibit – Prado Basin Beneficial Uses

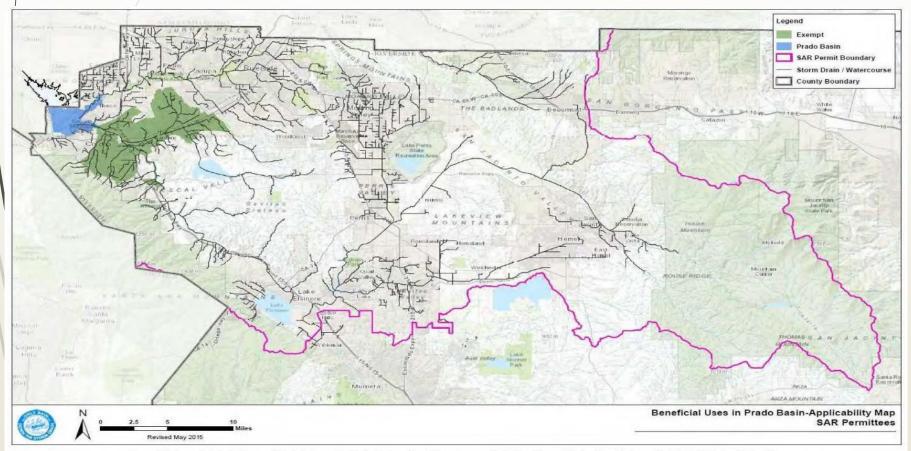


Figure 3-11. Areas draining to Temescal Wash between the Prado Basin and the U/S confluence with Bedford Canyon Wash—Map 3 in Appendix E of the Watershed Action Plan



LID BMP Handbook Updates



73 LID BMP Handbook Update

• County LID BMP Handbooks have all been revised so that there is now a single design handbook for each watershed:

Santa Ana River

- Whitewater River
- Santa Margarita River
- Santa Ana River LID BMP Design Handbook
 - Dated May 11, 2018



Let's take a look at some common BMPs...

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BMP NAME Porous Pavement









BMP NAME Porous Pavement







BMP NAME Porous Pavement







BMP NAME Infiltration Trench









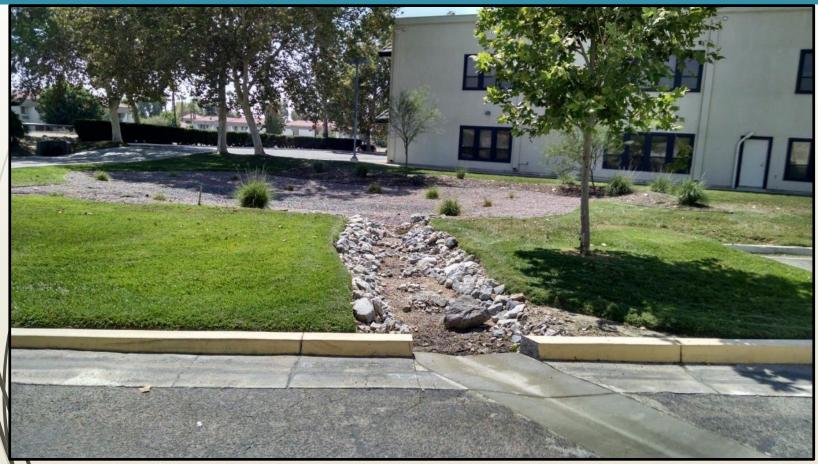
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BMP NAME Shallow Infiltration Basin



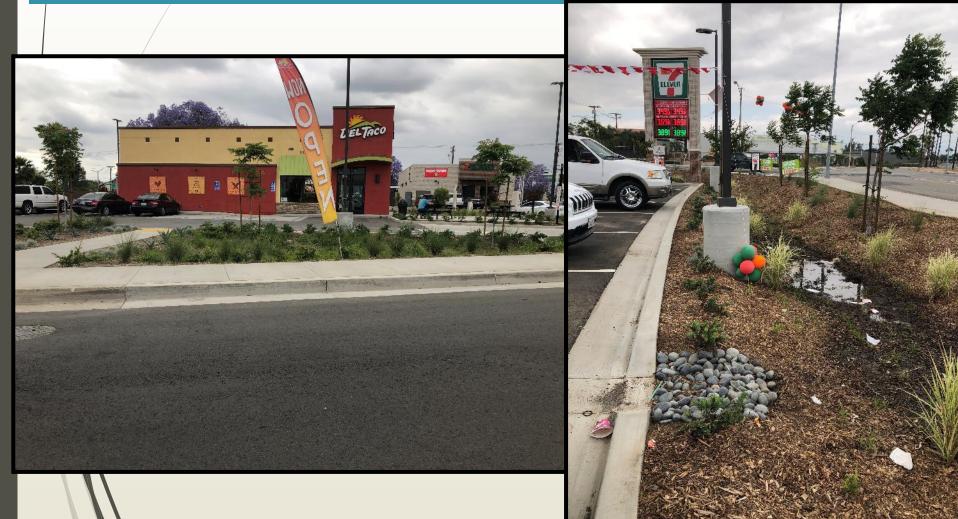




BMP NAME Shallow Infiltration Basin













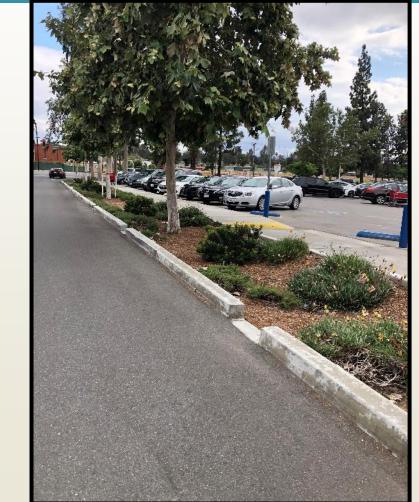










































BMP NAME Extended Detention Basin/Sand Filter







BMP NAME Non-Structural Source Control - Education







BMP NAME Source Control – Material Storage







BMP NAME Source Control - MS4 Stenciling and Signage







O&M Plans & Resources

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- Chapter 5 of WQMP guidance document contains detailed requirements and procedures for the O&M Plan (see pages 89-92 of Guidance Document)
 - LID BMPs require detailed O&M information
 - LID Principle areas will not require specialized O&M procedures and can typically be maintained with normal landscape maintenance
- /Intent is to create a living document that will require periodic updates
 - Updates to the O&M plan must be maintained and implemented and made available to local jurisdiction's inspectors
- Must include local jurisdictions Access and Maintenance Transfer Agreement mechanism



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Operation and Maintenance Details to Include in the WQMP

- Responsible parties
- Identify each BMP that requires O&M
- Frequency of O&M
- Description of O&M activities and process including the handling and placement of wastes
- Access controls (keys to facility)
- Describe self-inspections and record keeping requirements
- Describe any required monitoring
- As-Built drawings for structural BMPs
- Figures outlining areas with respect to perviousness

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California Stormwater Quality Association Infiltration Basin TC-11 (CASQA) Maintenance gular maintenance is critical to the successful operation of infiltration basins. Recommended ration and maintenance guidelines include: New Development Handbook Inspections and maintenance to ensure that water infiltrates into the subsurface completely (recommended infiltration rate of 72 hours or less) and that vegetation is carefully managed to prevent creating mosquito and other vector habitats. Excellent Resource for BMP 0&M Observe drain time for the design storm after completion or modification of the facility to confirm that the desired drain time has been obtained. Information Schedule semiannual inspections for beginning and end of the wet season to identify potential proglems such as erosion of the basin side slopes and invert, standing water, trash and debris, and sediment accumulation. Remove accumu Maintenance Inspect for standi

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Inspect for standing water at the end of the wet season.

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INFILTRATION BASIN BMP FACT SHEET

Landscaping Requirements

Basin vegetation provides erosion protection, improves sediment removal and assists in allowing infiltration to occur. The basin surface and side slopes shall be planted with native grasses. Proper landscape management is also required to ensure that the vegetation does not contribute to water pollution through pesticides, herbicides, or fertilizers. Landscaping shall be in accordance with County of Riverside Ordinance 859 and the District's *Basin Guidelines* (Appendix C), or other guidelines issued by the Engineering Authority.

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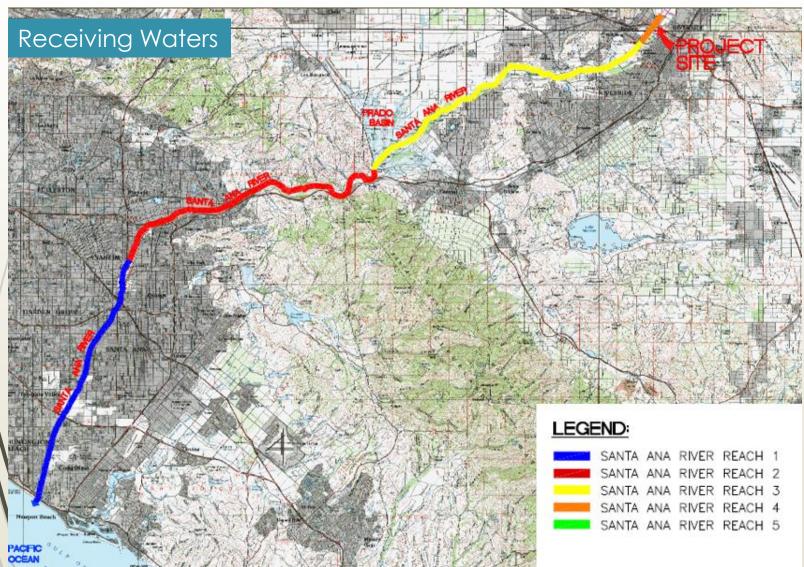
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River's County - Low Impact Development BMP Design Hawlbook	schedule these inspections	-				
Page 4		rate. Replant basin vegetation.				
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		needed.				
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WQMP Plans and Appendices

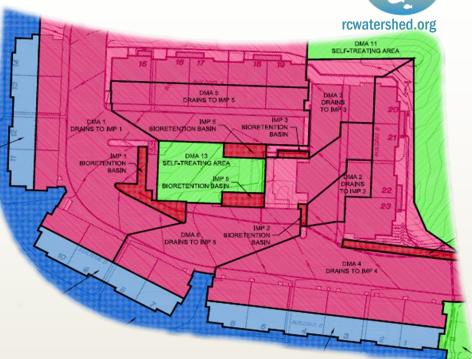


102 Appendix 1- Maps and Site Plans



Appendix 1 - Maps and Site Plans

- Standard sized engineering drawings are required by most agencies
 - Multiple drawings are appropriate for all but the most basic projects
 - The WQMP is for Postconstruction
 - Do Not include SWPPP details on the WQMP Site Plan

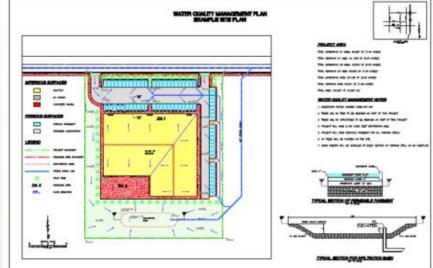






Appendix 1 – Maps and Site Plans

- Site Plan should provide:
 - Vicinity Map
 - Project boundary
 - Pervious area
 - Í Impervious area
 - Building area
 - Land uses and land covers
 - DMA boundaries and flow arrows (may be a separate exhibit) for each DCV
 - Design elevations and benchmark utilized
 - Pre- and Post-topography



- All source control BMPs identified
- LID BMP details and x-sections
- Drainage connections
- Standard site labeling



105 Appendix 2 – Construction Plans

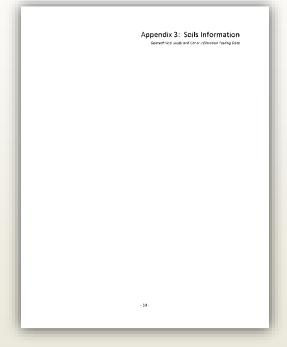
- **Provide Project Construction Plans**
 - Grading Plans
 - Drainage plans
 - Landscape plans
 - Utility Plans





Appendix 3 – Soils Information

- Geotechnical Study
- **Infiltration Testing Data**
 - Soils report must be included
 - Must be in compliance with Appendix A of County LID BMP Design Handbook
 - Borings or exploration pits to document soil conditions below infiltration BMPs, and the presence of groundwater
 - Infiltration tests to determine the steadystate infiltration rate of the soils.





107 Appendix 3 – Soils Information

Appendix A – Table 1 Infiltration Testing Requirements

- Provides 4 test regime options and their corresponding factors of safety
 - Broken down by specific Infiltration LID BMPs
 - Infiltration trench
 - Infiltration basin
 - Infiltration bioretention
 - Permeable pavement

LID BMP Design Handbook Appendix A – Infiltration Testing Table 1

	_		filtration Testin		ts		
Infiltration BMP	Testing Options	Ring Infiltrometer Tests ⁽¹⁾	Percolation Test ⁽²⁾	Test Pits or Boring Logs ⁽³⁾	Final Report ⁽⁴⁾	Hydrology Manual ⁽⁵⁾	Facto of Safet
Infiltration Trench	Option 1	2 tests min. with at least 1 per trench	not used	1 boring or test pit per trench	Required	not used	FS = 3
	Option 2►	not used	with at least two per trench	1 boring or test pit per trench	Required	not used	FS = 3
	Option 3 ⁽⁷⁾ ►	not used	not used	1 boring or test pit per trench	Required	not used	FS = (
	Option 4►	not used	not used	1 boring or test pit per site	not used	only	FS = :
Infiltration Basin	Option 1	2 tests min. with at least 1 per basin ⁽⁶⁾	not used	1 boring or test pit per basin	Required	not used	FS = 3
	Option 2►	not used	4 tests min. with at least 2 per basin ⁽⁶⁾	1 boring or test pit per trench	Required	not used	FS =
	Option 3 ⁽⁷⁾ ►	not used	not used	1 boring or test pit per basin	Required	not used	FS =
	Option 4►	not used	not used	1 boring or test pit per site	not used	only	FS =
Permeable Pavement	Option 1	2 tests min. with at least 1 every 10,000 ft ²	not used	1 boring or test pit every 10,000 ft ²	Required	not used	FS =
	Option 2►	not used	4 tests min. with at least 2 every 10,000 ft ²	1 boring or test pit every 10,000 ft ²	Required	not used	FS =



108 Appendix 6 – BMP Design Details

BMP Sizing Calculations and Design Details

- Include calculations for:
 - DCV Worksheets
 - One worksheet for each BMP
 - Volume of each BMP
 - Flow of each BMP, if applicable
 - Specific design features of each BMP
- Worksheets located in the County LID BMP Design Handbook



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Appendix 4 & 5

Site Assessments

LID Infeasibility information

Alternative compliance information

Historical site conditions information

Appendix 4

Appendix 5



Appendix 4: Historical Site Conditions Phase I Environmental Site Assessment or Other Information on Past Site Use Appendix 5: LID Infeasibility UD Technical Infeasibility Analysis - 30 -



110 Appendix 6 – DCV Worksheets

- There are separate workbooks for each watershed
 - Ensure correct workbook
 - Worksheets to be used for determining:
 - Design Capture Volume (V_{BMP})
 - Design Flow Rate (Q_{BMP}) (used only by Lower tier BMPs)
 - Excel Format

	В	С	D)	E	F	G	Н	1			
<u>Santa Ana Watershed</u>												
	V _{BMP} and Q _{BMP} worksheets											
These worksheets are to be used to determine the required												
Design Capture Volume (V _{RMP})												
or the												
Design Flow Rate (Q _{BMP})												
for BMPs in the Santa Ana Watershed												
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and use the 'Locate my Watershed' tool												
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to access the worksheets for the Santa Ana Watershed												
	Main	VBMP	QBMP	Impe	ervious Fracti	on 🕒						



Appendix 6 – BMP Design Worksheets

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g) D₁ is the sn Depth t Depth t h) DMAX is the a) Basin side s b) Proposed 1 c) Minimum b d) Proposed D a) Forebay volb) Forebay dep c) Forebay surf d) Full height r Notes:

- Appendix 6 should also include a BMP desig for every proposed LID BMP
 - Design worksheets included in County LID B Handbook:
 - Infiltration basin
 - Infiltration trench
 - **Permeable pavement**
 - **Bioretention**
 - **Extended detention**

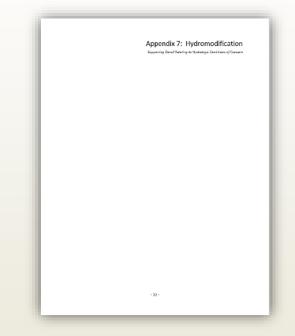
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	Ent	ter V _{BMP} d	letermined from Section 2	1 of this Handbook		V _{BMP} =	ft3			
			Type of E	lioretention Facility	Design					
DBMP		Side slopes required (parallel to parking spaces or adjacent to walkways) No side slopes required (perspecticular to parking space or Ratter Boxes)								
				tion Facility Surface	Area					
	Dep	pth of Soi	l Filter Media Layer			d _S =	ft			
	Tor	o Width o	f Bioretention Facility, ex	cluding curb		w _T =	ft			
	101	al Effecti	<u>ve Denth. d</u> x 1 - (0.7/w _T)	+ 0.5		$d_E =$	ft			
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Tributary area (BMP subarea)	A _T =	acres	Bioreta	ntion Facility Prope	rtiae					
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Maximum Depth						-				
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Factor of Safety (See Table 1, Appendix A: "Infiltration Testing" from this BMP Handbook)	F8 -		le (3% maxim	um)		_	%			
Calculate $D_1 = 1 (in/hr) \times 72 hrs$ $12 (in/ff) \times FS$	D ₁ =	Ĥ				_	feet			
Enter the depth of freeboard (at least 1 ft)		ft								
Enter depth to historic high ground water (measured from top of basin)		ft								
Enter depth to top of bedrock or impermeable layer (measured from top of basi	in)	ft								
D ₂ is the smaller of:			t Practice Desi	gn Handbook						
Depth to groundwater - $(10 \text{ fh} + \text{freeboard})$ and Depth to impermeable layer - $(5 \text{ fh} + \text{freeboard})$	D ₂ =	Ĥ								
$D_{\rm MAX}$ is the smaller value of \mathbf{D}_1 and \mathbf{D}_2 but shall not exceed 5 feet	D _{MAX} -	ft								
Basin Geometry										
Basin side slopes (no steeper than 4:1)	z -	:1								
Proposed basin depth (excluding freeboard)	d _B =	Ĥ								
Minimum bottom surface area of basin $(A_S = V_{BMP}/d_B)$	A ₈ =	ñ²								
Proposed Design Surface Area	A _D =	ft ²								
Forebay orebay volume (minimum 0.5% ∇ _{BMP})	Volume =	ft,								
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orebay surface area (minimum)	Area -	ft ²								
	Width (W) =	in								
s;										



Appendix 7 - Hydromodification

Hydromodification Substantiation may include:

- Substantiated hydraulic analysis for HCOC /exemption 2
- Riverside County Hydrology manual
- Technical Release 55
- Written confirmation of adequate sump for HCOC exemption 3
- Hydrographs and other pertinent supporting documents addressing HCOC mitigation (if necessary)





Appendix 8 – Source Control

STORMWATER POLLUTANT SOURCES/SOURCE CONTROL CHECKLIST

How to use this worksheet (also see instructions in Section G of the WQMP Template):

1. Review Column 1 and identify which of these potential sources of stormwater pollutants apply to your site. Check each box that applies.

- 2. Review Column 2 and incorporate all of the corresponding applicable BMPs in your WQMP Exhibit.
- 3. Review Columns 3 and 4 and incorporate all of the corresponding applicable permanent controls and operational BMPs in your WQMP. Use the format shown in Table G.1on page 23 of this WQMP Template. Describe your specific BMPs in an accompanying narrative, and explain any special conditions or situations that required omitting BMPs or substituting alternative BMPs for those shown here.

IF THESE SOURCES WILL BE ON THE PROJECT SITE		THEN YOUR WOMP SHO	THEN YOUR WQMP SHOULD INCLUDE THESE SOURCE CONTROL BMPS, AS APPLICABLE						
1 Potential Sources of Runoff Pollutants		2 Permanent Controls—Show on WQMP Drawings		3 Permanent Controls—List in WQMP Table and Narrative		4 Operational BMPs—Include in WQMP Table and Narrative			
	A. On-site storm drain inlets	Locations of inlets.		Mark all inlets with the words "Only Rain Down the Storm Drain" or similar. Catch Basin Markers may be available from the Riverside County Flood Control and Water Conservation District, call 951.955.1200 to verify.		Maintain and periodically repaint or replace inlet markings. Provide stormwater pollution prevention information to new site owners, lessees, or operators. See applicable operational BMPs in Fact Sheet SC-44, "Drainage System Maintenance," in the CASQA Stormwater Quality Handbooks at <u>www.cabmphandbooks.com</u> Include the following in lease agreements: "Tenant shall not allow anyone to discharge anything to storm drains or to store or deposit materials so as to create a potential discharge to storm drains."			
	B. Interior floor drains and elevator shaft sump pumps			State that interior floor drains and elevator shaft sump pumps will be plumbed to sanitary sewer.		Inspect and maintain drains to prevent blockages and overflow.			
	C. Interior parking garages			State that parking garage floor drains will be plumbed to the sanitary sewer.		Inspect and maintain drains to prevent blockages and overflow.			

Appendix 9 – O&M

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- I. Inspection and Maintenance Log
- II. Updates, Revisions and Errata

III. Introduction

A. Narrative overview describing the site; drainage areas, routing and discharge points; and Stormwater BMPs

IV. Responsibility for Maintenance

- A. General
 - 1. Name and contact information for responsible individual(s)
 - 2. Organization chart or charts showing organization of the maintenance function and location within the overall organization
 - 3. Reference to Operation and Maintenance Agreement (if any). A copy of the agreement should be attached
 - 4. Maintenance Funding
 - a) Sources of funds for maintenance
 - b) Budget category or line item
 - c) Description of procedure and process for ensuring adequate funding for maintenance
- B. Staff Training Program
 - C. Records
- D. Safety
- V. Summary of Drainage Management Areas and Stormwater BMPs

A. Drainage Areas

- 1. Drawings showing pervious and impervious areas (copied or adapted from Project-Specific WQMP)
- 2. Designation and description of each Drainage Management Area and how flow is routed to the corresponding Stormwater BMP
- B. Structural Post-Construction BMPs
 - 1. Drawings showing location and type of each Structural Post-Construction BMP
 - 2. General description of each facility (consider a table if more than two BMPs)
 - a) Drainage Management Area and routing of discharge
 - b) Stormwater BMP type and size
- C. Self-Retaining Areas or Other (e.g. LID Principles)

1. Drawings showing the location of self-retaining areas or areas addressed by LID Principles that do not require specialized maintenance beyond that of typical landscape maintenance

VI. Stormwater BMP Design Documentation

- A. "As-built" drawings of each Stormwater BMP (design drawings in the draft Plan)
- B. Manufacturer's data, manuals, and maintenance requirements for pumps, mechanical or electrical equipment and proprietary facilities
- (include a "placeholder" in the draft Operations and Maintenance plan for information not yet available)
- C. Specific operation and maintenance concerns and troubleshooting
- VII. Maintenance Schedule or Matrix
 - A. Maintenance Schedule for each facility with specific requirements for:
 - 1. Routine inspection and maintenance
 - 2. Annual inspection and maintenance
 - Inspection and maintenance after major storms
 - B. Service Agreement Information

O&M Report Required Outline



115 Appendix 10 – Educational Materials

- BMP Fact sheets
 - Maintenance Guidelines
 - Other End-User BMP Info
 - Include water pollution control educational materials for educating:
 - **Owners**
 - Operators
 - Employees
 - Residents, etc.
 - Source Control BMP educational materials are to be included in this Appendix.





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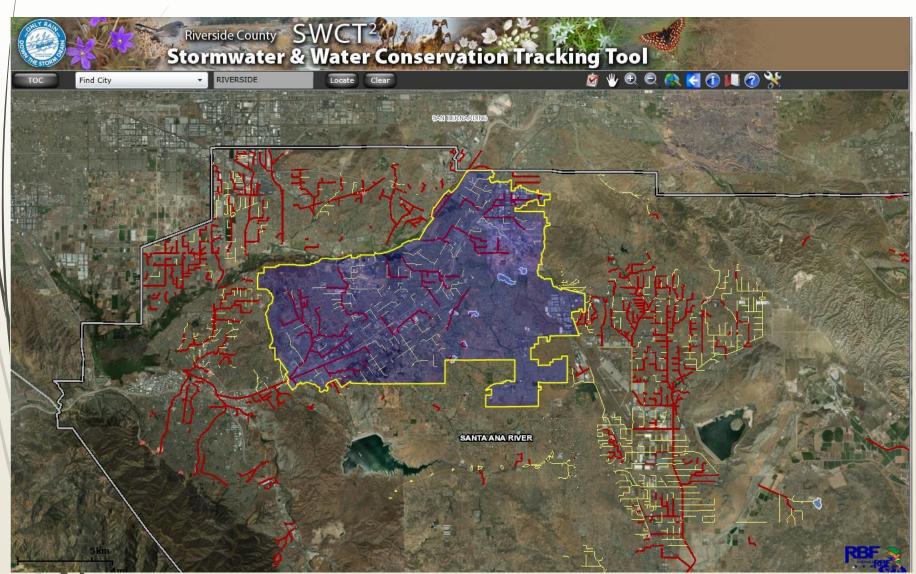
Water Conservation

Tracking Tool (a.k.a. The Regional Geodatabase)

A Useful Tool for Preparing and Plan Checking WQMPs

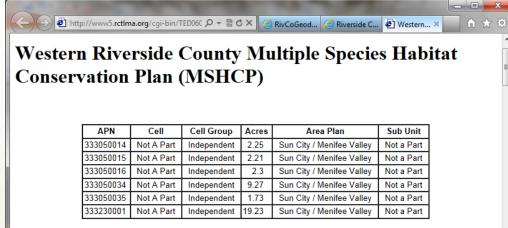
Site Specific Assessments Outline Project Site or Select Parcels







118 MSHCP Report for Parcels



HABITAT ASSESSMENTS

Habitat assessment shall be required and should address at a minimum potential habitat for the following species:

APN	Amphibia Species	Burrowing Owl	Criteria Area Species	Mammalian Species	Narrow Endemic Plant Species	Special Linkage Area
333050014	NO	YES	NO	NO	YES	NO
333050015	NO	YES	NO	NO	YES	NO
333050016	NO	YES	NO	NO	YES	NO
333050034	NO	YES	NO	NO	YES	NO
333050035	NO	YES	NO	NO	YES	NO
333230001	NO	YES	NO	NO	YES	NO

Burrowing Owl

Burrowing owl.

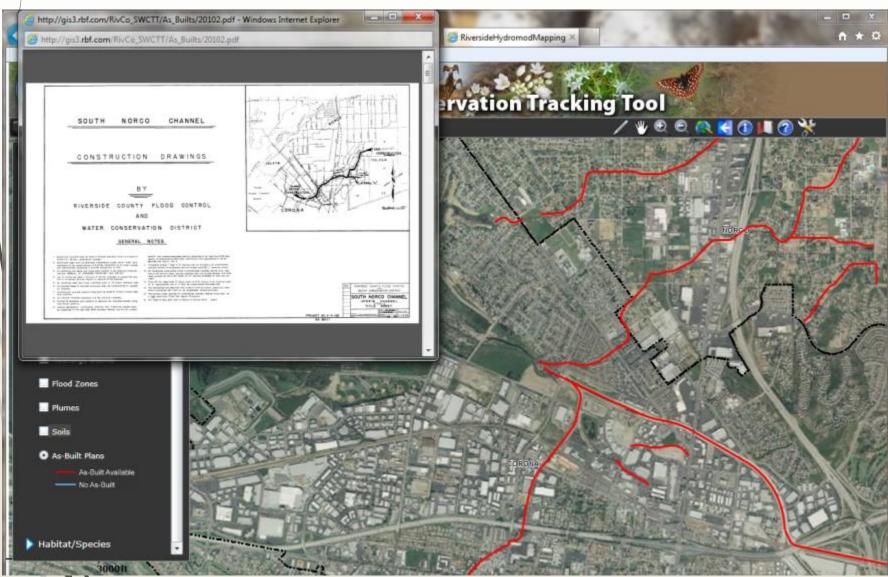
Narrow Endemic Plant Species

3) Munz's onion, San Diego ambrosia, Many-stemmed dudleya, Spreading navarretia, California Orcutt grass, Wright's trichocoronis

If potential habitat for these species is determined to be located on the property, focused surveys may be required during the appropriate season.



119 Storm Drain As-Built Information





120 Available Resources Continued...

Remember...

Watershed Mapping Tool is available - information must be verified

- Location: http://rivco.permitrack.com/
- LID BMP Design Handbook and Outreach materials available at:
 - http://rcflood.org/npdes/
- Informational pamphlets available in main lobby at Riverside County
 Flood Control and Water Conservation District



Discussion Questions?

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BMP Projects Harvest and Use

Permittee Highlights

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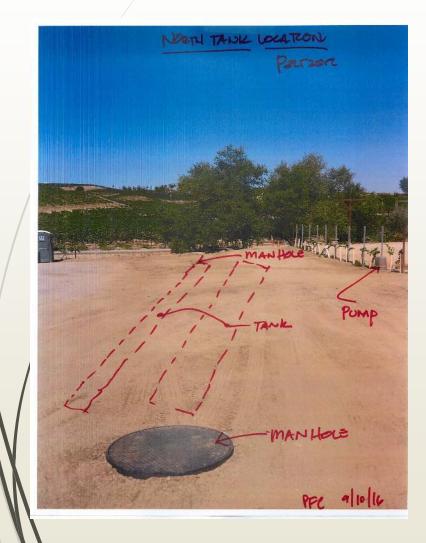


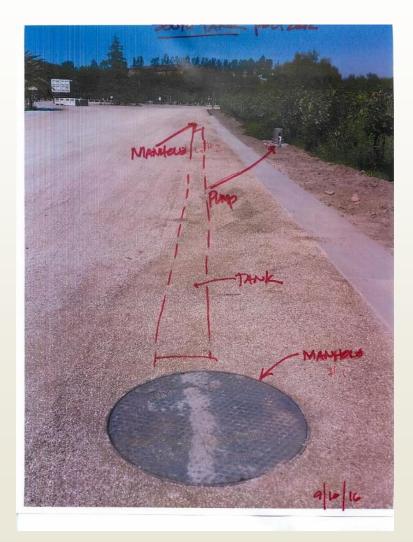
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124 Winery – Harvest and Use BMP







Winery – Harvest and Use BMP



Peltzer Rainwater Harvesting Tanks

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Corona Self-Storage Project

Permittee Highlight

127 Self-Storage Before Photo





128 Self-Storage After Photo







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Porous Pavers

Permittee Highlight



130 Porous Pavers





Things to Consider in Construction

Permittee Highlight

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132 Verification Against Approved Plans





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Verification Against Approved Plans at All Stages





Questions?

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