City of Tacoma

Thank you for the opportunity to comment. Tacoma appreciates Ecology's work together approach during this permit reissuance cycle. Our comments are within the spreadsheet. there are four comments within the spreadsheet that refer to the attachments. Please contact Merita Trohimovich 253-502-2103 if you have any questions or concerns regarding our comments. Thank You.

	Phase I, WW Phase II, and EWA PH II Formal Draft Comments						
Respon se #	Document	Section	Page	Comment			
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				Throughout the Permit cycle, ensure the Primary Contact person listed in item D. of the "Duty to Reapply-Notice of Intent for Coverage" submitted by each			
	All Three Permits	General	NA	permittee receives written notification of any new Permit requirements, guidance documents or other pertinent information.			
	Phase I	Authorized Discharges		S2.A - Provide a definition for surface waters.			
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		Permit Coverage Area and		S1.D - The concept of Co-Permittee is confusing. Is this a necessary Permittee type - considering Secondary Permittees and Phase II Permittees? What is an			
	Phase I	Permittees	6	example?			
	Phase I	Authorized Discharges	7	S2.A - For those non-authorized discharges (such as UIC) state the permit under which they are authorized in Washington.			
		Compliance with					
	Phase I	Standards	8	S4.A - RCW 90.48.520 does not appear to be the appropriate reference. Verify and revise as necessary.			
		Compliance with	_	Ensure consistency amongst all Permit sections with the use of "Waters of the State". Consider always using "Waters of the State" which has a definition.			
	Phase I	Standards	9	Section S4. E uses waters of the State of Washington.			
	Phase I	Compliance with Standards	٥	Consider changing S4.F.1 to state "is potentially causing or contributing" The inclusion of potentially is necessary because according to S4.F.2, Ecology make the determination if the discharge is causing or contributing not the Permittee.			
	Flidsel	Mapping and		the determination in the discharge is causing of contributing not the reminitee.			
	Phase I	Documentation (WWA)	13	Consider revising the Title to say MS4 Asset Management			
		Mapping and					
	Phase I	Documentation (WWA)	13	Consider revising the Ongoing and New Mapping to be one section with specific dates called out for items that have a specific start date.			
		Mapping and		S5.C.2.a: Consider changing the language to: "maintain and update as needed an asset management program that can display on a map the following features			
	Phase I	Documentation (WWA)	13	listed below"			
		Mapping and		S5.C.2.a - Define "surface water"; it is included in the definition of receiving waters and is required to be a mapped feature. Consider using waters of the state			
	Phase I	Documentation (WWA)	13	receiving waters instead of surface water.			
	Dhasa I	Mapping and	10	S5.C.2.a.iii - Define "stormwater treatment and flow control facilities owned or operated by the Permittee".			
	Phase I	Documentation (WWA) Mapping and	15	35.C.2.a.in - Denne - storniwater treatment and now control racinties owned or operated by the Perintete .			
	Phase I	Documentation (WWA)	13	SS.C.2.a.iii - Define "associated emergency overflows".			
				S5.C.2.a.iv - Define "geographic areas served by the Permittee's MS4 that do not discharge stormwater to surface water". Does this include discharge from are			
		Mapping and		that utilize infiltration and dispersion and areas that discharge to the wastewater system? What about those facilities that infiltrate through a UIC - since those			
	Phase I	Documentation (WWA)	13	discharges are not covered by the Permit are the areas discharging to a UIC required to be mapped?			
		Mapping and					
	Phase I	Documentation (WWA)	13	S5.C.2.a.v - Define "equivalent cross-sectional area".			
		Mapping and	10				
	Phase I	Documentation (WWA)	13	S5.C.2.a.v - Define "associated drainage areas" and "land uses".			
	Phase I	Mapping and Documentation (WWA)	13	S5.C.2.a.vi - Define "public entities".			
	1110301	Mapping and	15	SS.C.2.b.i - Clarify if this means to retroactively go back and map size and material for known mapped outfalls or if it is a requirement for new or newly			
	Phase I	Documentation (WWA)	13	discovered outfalls only.			
		Mapping and					
	Phase I	Documentation (WWA)	13	S5.C.2.b.i - Clarify if size is meant to be nominal pipe diameter.			
		Mapping and					
		Documentation (WWA)	14	S5.C.2.b.ii - Define "privately-owned stormwater systems".			
		Mapping and		S5.C.2.c - Include the example electronic standards as an appendix or describe the exact location on the Ecology's website where the electronic standards are			
	Phase I	Documentation (WWA)	14	found.			

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			It appears to be Ecology's intent to publish the "Draft Mapping Guidance for Phase I and Western Washington Phase II NPDES Municipal Stormwater Permittees"
			without a formal public comment period. This was affirmed in an email from Emma Trewhitt dated 9/25/18. The City would like to reiterate comments made as
			follows related to the Guidance:
			a. Under additional guidance for tributary conveyances note that catch basin leads are not required to be mapped.
			b. Under Figure 5 update the language about the stormwater treatment and flow control BMPs because previous language states that all permeable pavement
			would be mapped even if it was used to meet MR#6 or MR#7. In this figure, would the area contributing to the bioretention facility and the area contributing to
			the permeable pavement be mapped as geographic areas not discharging to surface water or would just the bioretention area be mapped because the
			permeable pavement (from the picture) does not infiltrate 100% of the stormwater?
		Mapping and	c. Under Figure 7, it appears that the private outfall is required to be mapped as an outfall, is that correct?
	Phase I	Documentation (WWA)	NA d. In Figure 11 is the Permittee required to map the geographic area because this is considered to be a UIC and would not be covered under the Permit?
			S5.C.3.b the 2013 permit contained the statement at the end of this section which stated, "Failure to effectively coordinate is not a permit violation provided
	Phase I	Coordination	15 other entities, whose actions the Permittee has no or limitied control over, refuse to cooperate." Reinstate this provision.
	i nase i	Public Involvement and	St. C. 4. a Provide additional guidance to describe opportunities where public input could direct SWMP implementation. SWMP elements are highly prescriptive
	Phase I	Participation	15 and so it would be helpful for Ecology to provide ideas of where they anticipate public input might be incorporated in a meaningful way.
	Phase I	Controlling Runoff (WWA)	15 ISS.C5 - The title should be bold.
	Phase I	Controlling Runoff (WWA)	15 S5.C.5 - Define "redevelopment" and "construction activities" in the definitions section.
	i nuse i		It is unclear what happens from November 24, 2020 (the date where the existing program must end - S5.a.iv) to July 1, 2021(date of adoption of new standards -
			55.C.5.b.iv)? Revise so there is no gap in compliance. By giving each permittee a distinct compliance date there are gaps in the compliance deadlines for each
			jurisdiction. It is recommended to follow a compliance schedule similar to that set out in the 2013 Permit and apply to all jurisdictions.
			It is not clear how the exisitng program and the new program are applied and the associted dates. Suggest reorganizing this section for clarity. The statements
	Phase I	Controlling Runoff (WWA)	16 under S5.C.5.a seem to contradict S5.C.5.a.i through vi. Plese Clarify.
	Phase I	Controlling Runoff (WWA)	16 Define "site scale" and "subdivision scale".
	Phase I	Controlling Runoff (WWA)	16 Reorganize S5.C.5.b.i into a bulleted list that says each thing that must be included in ordinances as separate line items.
	Phase I	Controlling Runoff (WWA)	16 S5.C.S.b.i - Define "Ecology approved basin plans or other similar water quality and quantity planning efforts".
	Phase I	Controlling Runoff (WWA)	17 SS.C.S.b.ii.(f) - Remove BMP limitations as these are inherently part of the BMP design criteria.
	Phase I	Controlling Runoff (WWA)	17 SS.C.S.b.iii - Revise language to state that this section is only necessary if the Permittee intends to utilize an equivalent manual.
	Phase I	Controlling Runoff (WWA)	17 S5.C.5.b.iii.(a).typo SWMWW should be SWMMWW
			S5.C.5.b.iii.(a).(i) - This section needs very clear guidance. The term "section" is ambiguous. It is unclear if Ecology will be approving new sections or if the
			applicant must just submit the rationale. It is unclear why Ecology requires review and approval of this section of the Permit but not other Permit sections that
	Phase I	Controlling Runoff (WWA)	17 require Ecology approval. Consider making this process not part of the Permit because in the end it is the Permittee's responsibility to ensure AKART.
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	Phase I	Controlling Runoff (WWA)	17 The second paragraph of S5.C.5.b.iv, appears to be redundant with or possibly in conflict with S5.C.5.b.iii. Please clarify and revise as needed.
			SS.C.S.b.iv.(a) "Permittees shall provide detailed, written justification of any of the requirements which differ from those contained in Appendix 1 and Appendix
			10, Part 2". Is the written justification required to be submitted to Ecology for review and approval. If so, is G19 certification required. In the Permit whenever
	Phase I	Controlling Runoff (WWA)	17 it states to provide anything written describe it these items require submission to Ecology and G19 certification.
1	Phase I	Controlling Runoff (WWA)	18 S5.C.5.b.v - Define "private stormwater facilities".

		S5.C.5.b.vi - Consider revising language to make the intent more clear (suggested language follows): : The program shall include a mechanism to ensure all n
		development, redevelopment and construction projects that meet the thresholds in Appendix 1 have a review, inspection, and enforcement process that
		ensures compliance with the Minimum Requirements in Appendix 1. At a minimum, the program shall be administered by qualified personnel and include t
Phase I	Controlling Runoff (WWA)	18 following standards for compliance:"
		S5.C.5.b.vi.(b). Define "permitted development sites". Define "construction sites". Alternatively, for clarity, consider revising the language to state: Inspect,
Phase I	Controlling Runoff (WWA)	18 prior to start of work, all new development, redevelopment, and/or construction sites that meet that thresholds"
Phase I	Controlling Runoff (WWA)	18 S5.C.5.b.vi.(b) - Consider revising this section to just be TESC BMP installation. vi.(c) could then be maintenance inspections and (d) would be final inspection
Phase I	Controlling Runoff (WWA)	18 S5.C.5.b.vi.(c). Define "permitted development sites".
Phase I	Controlling Runoff (WWA)	18 S5.C.5.b.vi(d). Define "permanent stormwater facilities".
		S5.C.5.b.vi.(a & e). It is possible to meet the threshold for new development and redevelopment without being a land disturbing activity. Is the intent to on
Phase I	Controlling Runoff (WWA)	18 require inspection of those projects that alter the soil cover conditions?
Phase I	Controlling Runoff (WWA)	18 S5.C.5.b.vi.(f) - Define "scheduled inspection". Alternatively, state required inspections.
		S5.C.5.b.vii - Describe "make available". Ecology requires electronic submission of NOIs - it is unclear how a municipality makes Ecology's website available t
Phase I	Controlling Runoff (WWA)	19 the public. Suggest removing this paragraph.
		S5.C.5.b.viii - Consider removing this section as Section S5.C.5.b.vi states that qualified personnel must conduct the activities. The definition for qualified
		personnel states that it is someone who has professional training. This section seems redundant. If this section will remain remove "As determined necess
Phase I	Controlling Runoff (WWA)	19 by the Permittee,"
	Comprehensive	
	Stormwater Planning	S5.C.6. The first sentence is unclear, there is a grammatical error and the words used in the introduction paragraph are not the same as those in a.i which is
Phase I	(WWA)	19 confusing and unclear. Revise for consistency.
	Comprehensive	
	Stormwater Planning	
Phase I	(WWA)	19 Provide a deadline for when the interdisciplinary team must be convened. The City suggests August 2020.
	Comprehensive	
	Stormwater Planning	
Phase I	(WWA)	19 S5.C.6.a.i - It makes more sense to include the description of S5.C.6 in the SWMP Plan as opposed to the Annual Report each year. Revise language.
	Comprehensive Stormwater Planning	In S5.C.6.a.i it states to describe certain items in the Annual Report. In S5.C.6.a.i.(a) and a.i.(b) deadlines are provided for different but similar items. It us unclear if Ecology is requesting two separate reports that are separate from the SWMP Plan and Annual Report. If this is the case, call the reports by a separate distinct name so the Permittee knows which documents they are required to create. Update the Permit language to clarify the relationship between the reporting requirements and deadlines.
Phase I	(WWA)	19
Phase I	Comprehensive Stormwater Planning (WWA)	S5.C.6.b.i.(a) The requirement for the LID report to include "mechanisms adopted to encourage or require implementation of LID Principles or LID BMPs" appears to be an additional behavior change program requirement that may or may not be the one program selected by the Permittee to pursue under Sec S5.C.11. This appears to be a "hidden" additional behavior change requirement and should be revised to avoid conflict with Section S5.C.11. Suggest adding applicable" to the end of the last sentence.
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<u> </u>			S5.C.7.c The first sentence should be modified as:
	Structural Stormwater		With each annual report, each Permittee shall provide a list of planned, individual projects scheduled for implementation during this permit term for the purpos
Phase I	Controls (PH I)	22	of meeting SS.C.7.d.
Filase I	Structural Stormwater	22	It is recommended that retrofit incentive points only apply to complete/maintenance stage projects. Planning stage projects may never be constructed so will
Phase I	Controls (PH I)	22	not provide a water quality benefit. Recommend complete and maintenance projects only and lowering the overall total of incentive points needed.
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Phase I	Controls (PH I)	22	S5.C.7.d - Consider changing the name retrofit incentive points to SSC Program Points to avoid confusion with other terminology.
	Structural Stormwater		
Phase I	Controls (PH I)	22	SS.C.7.d - Any occurrences of incentive points should say retrofit incentive points.
			SS.C.8.a - In general the way this section is written is confusing. The intent is to have a program to inspect and enforce upon (by requiring the application of
	Source Control Program		BMPs) public and private entities that are causing water quality problems. S5.C.8.a.i could be construed to require that the Permittee apply BMPs to private
Phase I	(WWA)	22	properties which is likely not the intent. Consider revising all language in this section to clearly convey the program intent.
			S5.C.8.b - Commercial and industrial properties are in a constant state of change as businesses are created, changed, and close. The effort to maintain a list of
			potential pollutant generating sources involves a large amount of time. Although the permit states that the inventory list is only required to be updated once
			every 5 years, it is unclear if the Permittee is required to maintain that list continually or just utilize the list as a one time compliance matrix. The City also
	Source Control Program		recommends changing the frequency from once every five years to once per permit term in order to clarify required frequency. See our comments to Annual
Phase I	(WWA)	23	Report Question 34.
	Source Control Program		S5.C.8.b.ii - Define "commercial and industrial properties which have the potential to generate pollutants to the Permittee's MS4". It is unclear if this definition
Phase I	(WWA)	23	is meant to be defined by (a) and (b).
	Source Control Program		S5.C.8.b.ii.(b) - Define "other pollutant generating sources", "mobile business", "home-based businesses", and "multifamily properties". Consider removing
Phase I	(WWA)	23	examples and such as.
	Source Control Program		S5.C.8.b.i - It is stated that the source control requirements are those contained within Volume IV of the SWMMWW (which is the 2019 SWMM). Is an existing
Phase I	(WWA)	23	business meant to be held to the standards of each new SWMMWW and its new requirements for Source Control if it is already meeting the current standards
			S5.C.8.b.iii.(c) - Define "legitimate complaint. Define "sites" - the term is not used in the inventory creation but appears to be called out in the compliance
	Source Control Program		metric. Alternatively, do not use the term "sites" and rewrite this item to state "Each Permittee shall investigate and inspect as appropriate 100% of legitimate
Phase I	(WWA)	24	complaints."
	Source Control Program		55.C.8.b.iv - Define "sites". This term is not used in the inventory creation but is used in the compliance metric. Ensure consistent use of terms throughout
Phase I	(WWA)	24	Permit to avoid confusion.
Phase I	IDDE		S.C.9.a - Define "spills".
i nase i	1992	20	55.C.9.b.i(b) - The second sentence sets defined activity requirements. This is not appropriate at this location in the permit. Public education activities related
			Location by the second second second activities requestions into a horizontal propried a time beaution in the perimet. France activities from this paragraph to lawn watering and water conservation do not appear to be one of the BMPs covered in Section 55.C.1. Remove the required activities from this paragraph
Phase I	IDDE	26	and if needed add to S5.C.11.
Filase i	IDDE	20	and it meeded and (0.22-C-11.
			S5.C.9.c.i.(a) - It has been stated by Ecology staff that for purposes of this section the known conveyance system does not include catch basin leads or ditches.
			State this in the Permit. Consider limiting the conveyance system to a certain pipe size or some other metric that can reliably be inspected. In one sentence of
			this section it uses the term "conveyance system" and in the next sentence it uses the term "MS4". Please use consistent terms and clarify if this requirement is the term "MS4".
			applicable to the entire conveyance system or if it is limited as has been the policy of Ecology Staff.
			Clarify what "on average, 12% of the Permittee's known conveyance system each year means" does this mean a permittee could do 8 percent one year and 16%
Phase I	IDDE	27	the next?
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			SEC. Q. e_i (a) the normit section states to "track the total normentage." Clarify the request and permit language. Would this he unique sections of the MC4 as if
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				states that this request for information was added to allow for analysis and interpretation for adaptive management purposes. Is it Ecology's intent to utilize the
				information obtained from the database to inform future Permits? The Permit itself does not appear to require an adaptive management approach that utilizes
				the data. In addition, Tacoma has been monitoring the types of spill material/source etc. since the early 2000's and the data we are collecting is not new or
				ground breaking and will not really help to steer the future of source control in the Puget Sound Region. The information requested by Ecology should be
Phas		IDDE	20	significantly reduced. Also see comments to Appendix 14 and the Ecology Focus Sheet.
Pilds	se i	IDDE	29	Also see comments to Appendix 14 and the Ecology Pocus Sheet. S5.C.9.g - Permittee will need time to incorporate all the new fields into their tracking systems, make their tracking systems compatible with the new download
				requirements and train staff. This requirement needs a ramp up period of one year.
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		Operations and		have the Maintenance Standards in their SWMM reviewed for equivalency (per Appendix 10 Table 10.1). It is unclear if Ecology intends that Permittees adopt
Phas	se I	Maintenance	29	the maintenance standards in the SWMMWW only or if Maintenance Standards from equivalent manuals can be used.
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Phas	se I	Maintenance	30	S5.C.10.b.iii - define "new residential developments".
				S5.C.10.b.iii - Consider removing this requirement because it is already covered under S5.C.5 maintenance of TESC facilities. If this section will remain, require
				yearly inspection to coincide with the annual inspection requirements for stormwater treatment and flow control facilities/BMPS. This will help Permittees
				manage their workload if all inspection types are on a similar timeline. The effort to track new developments is an interdisciplinary effort and requires a distinct
				tracking program that includes land use planners and the development community which is cumbersome and hard to manage and does not appear to
		Operations and		coordinate with the benefit. It may be more appropriate to just require that sites be fully stabilized if they have not had active construction for 6 months or
Phas	se l	Maintenance	30	more.
				S5.C.10.b.iv - The program requires the annual inspection of all stormwater treatment and flow control BMPs/facilities regulated by the Permittee (see
				S5.C.10.b.ii). The compliance goal of 80% applies to achieving inspection of 80% of all sites. The compliance metric of "sites" does not clearly correspond to the
		Operations and		inspection requirements described in S5.C.10.b.ii and iii. Define "sites" or revise the compliance metric to match the inspection requirements of stormwater
Phas	se l	Maintenance	30	treatment and flow control BMPs/facilities and catch basins. It is recommended however to remove catch basins - see Tacoma's comment on S5.C.10.b.iii.
				S5.C.10.b.iv and S5.C.10.c.iii Consider revising the compliance goals of 80% and 95% to lower percentages. With the current staff numbers, there is insufficient
		Operations and		time to provide sufficient enforcement and education to "trouble site owners" because the Permittee is trying to meet their inspection percentage goals. Credit
Phas	se I	Maintenance		should be given for each inspection as it is an opportunity to get someone into full compliance.
				S5.C.10.d - Remove all references to inlets from this section. The title of this section is specific to catch basins. In addition, the compliance metric is specific to
Phas		Operations and Maintenance	31	catch basins and there is no Ecology maintenance standard for inlets and no required timeline for maintenance of inlets. Define catch basins applicable to this section.
Filds	sei	Operations and	51	S5.C.10.d.i - Revise to state; "Each Permittee shall annually inspect all catch basins owned or operated" It appears that the "all" was inadvertently left out since
Phas	se l	Maintenance	31	alternatives that describe less than all are included within the section. Also, removing inlets will align with the section title and intent.
THUS	501		51	Sc.10.d.(b) - Clarify the language to state that the inspection of catch basins immediately upstream of any MS4 outfall, discharge point, or connection to
				public or private storm system is only intended to take place within circuits that are included in the circuit approach. Additionally, clarify the "if applicable".
				This paragraph also seems to imply that catch basins are installed inline with the conveyance system and that sediment would travel through the conveyance
				system and the catch basins and transfer and fill the downstream catch basins. This is not typically how systems are designed. "Extra" inspection of the catch
				basin upstream of an outfall or other discharge location is not particularly valuable based upon how systems are designed.
				Additionally, clarify if by "connections to public or private storm systems, it is intended to mean where the MS4 would flow into another public or private
				system, not just anytime a private system connects into the permittees MS4. Revise to state, "connections from the MS4 to a public or private system".
		Operations and		Additionally, the requirement to map connections from the MS4 to privately owned stormwater systems (S5.C.2.b.ii) has a completion date of August 1, 2021; it
Phas	se I	Maintenance	32	is unclear how the timing of that mapping requirement relates to the inspection requirements of this section.
				S5.C.10.d.i.(b) - Clarify this option, add language to the permit to clearly state that additional data analysis is needed and actions may be required based upon
		Operations and		the results of the data analysis, or if that is not Ecology's intent, clarify that. It may be advisable to transfer some of the language from the guidance document
Phas	se I	Maintenance	32	to the permit section to clarify the requirements.
		Operations and		S5.C.10.d.iii - The compliance metric only makes sense if the Permittee is using the standard requirement. A compliance metric must be defined for each
Phas	se I	Maintenance	32	alternative. Include compliance standards for each of the alternative programs (a), (b) and (c).
1				S5.C.10.d.i. The City of Tacoma recommends adding an additional alternate compliance option. The option would be to inspect and clean all catch basins in a
				Permittee's system, twice within a permit term. Inspection and cleaning would be required once between the start of the permit term and December 31, 2021
				and once between Jan 2022 and end of permit term. Compliance would be achieved by inspecting and cleaning 95% of the required catch basins within each
		Operations and		cleaning cycle.
Phas	se I	Maintenance	32	The City of Tacoma would be happy to meet with Ecology to further discuss and suggest final permit language for this proposal.
		Operations and		
Phas	se I	Maintenance	33	S5.C.10.f - After functions in the first sentence of this paragraph, add the word "that".

Phase I	Education and Outreach	35	S.5.C.11.a.i and ii. Consider revising these sections to a table format to clarify which audiences are applicable to which messages. This will ensure even implementation of the requirements for all permittees. See the City's suggested separate document: Matrix Education and Outreach S5.C.11
Phase I	Education and Outreach	35	S.5.C.11.a.i(a); When specifying "overburdened communities" clarify how to identify this audience. There is no clear path from the definition to actually identifying "overburdened communities" within a jurisdiction. The City of Tacoma is committed to equity and helping "overburdened communities". However as written, this permit section appears to require permittees "single out" overburdened communities for extra emphasis. The definition of the term "overburdened communities" indicates that these communities are already over their ability to cope and are burdened with issues more than the general public. Why should overburdened communities be further singled out to do stormwater activities? We should instead make sure that all non-burdened populations are doing everything right first before we make a push at those that are already clearly working harder to just meet their basic needs. Additionally, "overburdened communities" may already be doing more then the general public for water quality if, for example, they cannot afford a car and so utilize public transportation. The City of Tacoma supports translation of materials into languages outside of English, we also support programs which would help increase water quality while providing specific services to overburdened populations, however, the permit language only seems to focus on targeting overburdened communities not increasing access or dual benefit programs for both stormwater benefit and decreasing the load on overburdened communities. Remove this specific audience from the permit.
Phase I	Education and Outreach	35	S5.C.11.a.i.(a) and ii.(a) Clarify and define each target audience - what is meant by property managers/owners - would this include single family homeowners or is this targeting multi-family and commercial?
Phase I	Education and Outreach	35	S.5.C.11.a.i(a): Stewardship is also located within S.5.C.11.a.iii and the requirements are inconsistent. Locate all stewardship requirements in one section and clarify the requirements.
Phase I	Education and Outreach	35	S5.C.11.a.i.(a) - Leave home-based and mobile businesses out of the general awareness section for local jurisdictions. It has proven to be very difficult to find a communication method that would reach these types of businesses that may be active in local jurisdictions. Additionally, these terms are not defined and permittees are implementing them differently. Define terms and then determine if this would be appropriate.
Phase I	Education and Outreach	35	S5.C.11.a.i.(a) - Under subject areas first bullet, form should read from.
Phase I	Education and Outreach	35	S5.C.11.a.i.(a) Ideally, the general awareness topics should lay the groundwork for and support desired behavior changes. The 2nd and 3rd subject areas seem too specific and detailed to accomplish this. It is suggested to replace the second and third subject areas with: Water Pollution Hotline Reporting (which would support desired behaviors related to the entire list of pollutant sources identified in the behavior change section S5.C.11.aii) and 3rd message to be chosen by the permittee based on the criteria outlined under Minimum Performance Measures S5.C.11.a.
Phase I	Education and Outreach	35	S5.C.11.a - Define "area served by the MS4" or "revise to area served by the MS4 and within the jurisdictional boundaries". As written, this statement may push the required boundaries for this requirement outside the jurisdictional boundaries which may not be possible to achieve.
Phase I	Education and Outreach	35	S5.C.11.a - It will take significant time to get target audience characteristics, does Ecology intend for each municipality to find demographics on each target audience? This would take years to implement. Consider rewriting this section to ensure this requirement can be met within the Permit term.
Phase I	Education and Outreach	35	S5.C.11.a - Second sentence - Define "local water quality information". Revise the last sentence of this paragraph for clarity as "shall consider" is both a must (requirement) statement and a optional statement.
Phase I	Education and Outreach	34	"element".
Phase I	Education and Outreach	34	element and program are interchangeable or if an overall program has specific elements or if by program Ecology means the entirety of the work required under S5.C.11 or if a program is one audience and one BMP. Clarify language in the Permit. S5.C.11. Last paragraph of Page 34. Clarify if a permittee elects to be part of a regional campaign for one audience/one BMP if they would have to include all
Phase I	Education and Outreach		interchangeably and sometimes distinctly. Please define all and correct permit throughout S5.C.11. Last paragraph of Page 34. There is some confusion about the terms program and element in this paragraph. Please define and clarify language. It is unclear if
Phase I	Education and Outreach	General	Ecology has even referenced them incorrectly in several places. See S5.C.11.a.ii.(d) - there reference is S5.C.11.b which does not exist. Reorganize this section to remove some of the levels. Note that the majority of the section falls under "a.". Define "program", "strategy", "element" and "campaign". Clarify the correct and consistent terminology. Throughout S5.C.11 these terms are used sometimes
Phase I	Maintenance		utilize all BMPS from the 2019 SWMMWW and not their own SWMM. Is this the intent? Revise as necessary. SS.C.11 The organization of this section is very confusing. There are so many levels and layers to the section, it is very difficult to reference them correctly.
	Operations and		S5.C.10.g.i This section references the SWMMWW. This section does not appear to allow the use of equivalent manuals so the Permittee would be required to
Phase I	Operations and Maintenance	24	S5.C.10.g.i Sentence one states "and a schedule for implementation of additional BMPs." Remove this phrase as additional BMPs may not be required and this phrase appears to imply that the use of additional BMPs is required.
Phase I	Maintenance	33	required to be updated to comply with the new BMPs of Volume IV of the SWMMWW.

			S5.C.11.a.i.(b) - It is unclear why land use planners and developers need general awareness of technical standards. Consider removing planners from the
Phase I	Education and Outreach	35	audience. Also general awareness of technical standards may not make sense as a topic.
			S5.C.11.a.ii - It appears that the language has changed substantially from the Preliminary Draft Language by leaving out "select from the following". As written,
			the Permittee would be required to create a program for each audience and each BMP. Per the Fact Sheet and October 4, 2018 phone meeting with Ecology and
Phase I	Education and Outreach	35	email from Emma Trewhitt dated 9/25/2018, this does not appear to be the intent. Revise wording to include " select one audience and one BMP".
			S5.C.11.a.ii - Effective behavior change programs are difficult and time consuming to develop and implement. Tacoma suggests Ecology develops example
			programs that the permittees can choose to implement or provide grants or other funding for STORM to develop the program, or develop a fee training
			programs that the permittees can choose to implement of provide grants of other running for shown to develop the program for each combination of target audience
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Phase I	Education and Outreach	35-36	and BMP available.
			S5.C.11.a.ii(a) second bullet - Remove "Prevention of illicit discharges" from the list of BMPs, given that more detailed types of illicit discharges are already listed
			for behavior changes including household chemicals, carpet cleaning washwater, vehicle maintenance drips, pet waste, dumpster and trash compactor juice, et
Phase I	Education and Outreach	35-36	and there are also requirements for illicit discharge outreach under S.5.C.9.
			S5.C.11.a.ii(b) - the reference to "the ongoing behavior change program (required under S5.C.10.a.ii of the 2013-2018 Permit)" is unclear. Does this mean all
			behavior change activities that were required under the 2013 permit or one specific audience and BMP program? Does this mean to revisit the same program
			that was previously evaluated in the 2013 permit? Clarify language.
Phase I	Education and Outreach	36	
			S5.C.11.a.ii.(b) states ("No later than July 1., 2020" is this a start date or completion date? Do we submit the evaluation? Or the plan? How, when and to
Phase I	Education and Outreach	36	whom? Please clarify language and requirements.
			S5.C.11.a.ii.(c.) - first line contains a reference to a permit section that does not exist. Correct. See comment to simplifying the structure of section S5.C.11.
Phase I	Education and Outreach	36	Note that the majority of the section falls under subsection all portions fall under "a." and that this leads to an excessive number of levels in the permit section
			S5.C.11.a.ii.(c.) - First paragraph, The "or equivalent," is located in such a way to is apply itself to "the community" instead of "Community-Based Social
Phase I	Education and Outreach	36	Marketing". Revise by moving the , or equivalent, to after Marketing. It may be more clear to rewrite into several sentences.
			S5.C.11.a.ii.(c.) - The wording is such that the Permittee is required to develop a program to develop a strategy. Revise the language as follows: "(c.) Based on
			the evaluation of the ongoing behavior change program required in S5.C.11.a.ii.(b), each Permittee shall have completed the following activities by February 1,
			2021 (see comment regarding deadline below):
			i) Develop a strategy and schedule to more effectively implement the existing ongoing behavior change program, OR
			ii) Develop a strategy and schedule to expand the existing ongoing behavior change program to a new target audience or BMP(s), OR
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			Permittee shall develop a program evaluation plan to evaluate the effectiveness of the program updates under this section". (Include how, when and to who
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			S5.C.11.a.ii.(c) - there are three sub points that are all labeled i. make each a different label
			S5.C.11.a.ii.(c) - Options i, ii, and iii would take a very different amount of time and effort. For example, i. would only require revising your existing tool for the
			same audience. ii. & iii. would both require new audience research to design a new tool or pick a new audience. Developing a new strategy could require 18-2
			months to complete initial audience research, design and pilot a program. It would be wise to include time for a pilot or small-scale test before launching the
			program full-scale in order to avoid wasting money if the small-scale test reveals the strategy is not working well. Allow at least one full year from the
Phase I	Education and Outreach	36	completion of the requirements of section S5.C.11.a.ii.(b) for the deadline of this requirement.
			S5.C.11.a.ii.(d) - "No later than April 2, 2021" - Please clarify the timeline. Is this a start date or a completion date?
			Does this report get submitted for Ecology review and approval? If yes, to whom, when and how? This may not be enough time to implement based on the
	Education and Outreach	36	deadline in S5.C.11.a.ii.(c). When defining the deadline, consider if a program is seasonal, such as planting.
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Phase I	Appendix 1	2	Define bituminous surface treatment and chip seal.
T Hase T	Appendix 1	2	Pervious pavement was not included under maintenance practices. Would upgrading from gravel to pervious pavement be considered a replaced or new hard
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			The term MS4 facilities/BMPs is used in the definition of discharge point. Define MS4 facilities/BMPs or used the term "stormwater treatment and flow contro
Phase I	Appendix 1	3	BMPs/Facilities" or "stormwater facilities regulated by the permittee" or another defined term. For the definition of Land disturbing activity: Define soil cover.
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			drywells and infiltration trenches. It is recommended to include all BMPs within the SWMMWW considered to be LID or remove the list completely from the
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Dhara I	America dia 1		For the definition of Site: Define road projects. The definition of site does not appropriately cover the scenario where road work is completed as part of onsite
Phase I	Appendix 1	8	work (for example, a business is required to replace a road as part of building a new building).
			For the definition of Threshold Discharge Area: In the urban environment, natural discharge locations no longer exist. It is recommended to remove TDA
			designations for the urban environment or define them differently in the urban environment - for example, they could be based upon current topography and
Phase I	Appendix 1	8	conveyance system outfalls.
			The roadway examples are unclear. In the all green example, the rightmost roadway section discharge location is not connected within 1/4 mile to the upstrea
Phase I	Appendix 1	9	discharge location so it is unclear how they would be a single TDA.
Phase I	Appendix 1	10	For the definition of Vehicular Use: further define "Infrequently used"; additionally consider changing the term and definition to "regular vehicular use".
Phase I	Appendix 1	10	Section 3.1: Define development project; define project.
Phase I	Appendix 1		Section 3.1: Define subdivision, plat, short plat, building permit, or other construction permit.
Phase I	Appendix 1		The first box should ask if there is 35% or more of existing hard surface coverage to be consistent with the definition of redevelopment. Revise.
Phase I	Appendix 1		Define new hard surface area; define vegetation; define lawn and landscaped areas.
Phase I	Appendix 1		Define pasture.
			It is unclear if All Minimum Requirements apply to the converted vegetation areas if the converted areas do not meet the thresholds as outlined in the flow
Phase I	Appendix 1	14	chart. Add additional language to both the chart and the project thresholds sections for clarity.
			Section 3.3: It is stated that the Minimum Requirements can be met for an equivalent area. Does this section only apply to redevelopment projects? Why is th
Phase I	Appendix 1	15	area limited to the same site for areas that have parcels but the scope is wider for public road projects? Define public road projects.
Phase I	Appendix 1		Section 3.3: project limits was replaced with same parents our the step of what not provide root projects. Section 3.4: project limits was replaced with same parents our the step of the
Phase I	Appendix 1		Section 3.5. Define road-related projects.
T Hase T	Appendix 1	15	Section 3.4: Why are only redevelopment project limited to being able to meet their obligations through the use of a regional facility? The water quality impact
Phase I	Appendix 1	16	are similar. Consider revising to allow the use of regional facilities for all types of development.
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Phase I	Appendix 1	1/	developments, define site development plan.
Dhan 1	Ammandia d		Section 4.2 - The seasonal work limitations are a confusing section because the items that apply to the seasonal limits apply throughout the year and are part of
Phase I	Appendix 1	17	any SWPPP. Consider removing this section or revising to state something about extra care during wet season.
Phase I	Appendix 1	18	Section 4.2 - Element #3 - Define development sites.
			Section 4.2 - Element #4.e - The way this is written makes it sounds like it is preferred or required to direct dirty stormwater to the natural buffers. Is that the
Phase I	Appendix 1		intent?
Phase I	Appendix 1	20	Section 4.2 - Element #6. WWHM does not have a "landscaped" category. Consider changing to lawn.

			Section 4.2 - Element #8. It is unclear if the intent is to ensure that temporary conveyance channels can fully contain the flowrates from the 10-year storm
Phase I	Appendix 1	21	events. Include additional language. Additionally, WWHM does not have a "landscaped" category. Consider changing to lawn.
			Section 4.2 - Element #9.d - Consider revising as follows for clarity: "Discharge wheel wash or tire bath wastewater to the sanitary system (with local sewer
Phase I	Appendix 1	22	district approval) or to a separate onsite treatment system that does not allow discharge to the MS4 or Waters of the State."
Phase I	Appendix 1	22	Section 4.2 - Element #9.e - Application of fertilizers and pesticides is not typically part of site construction and may not be appropriate for this section.
			Section 4.2 - Element #9.h the last sentence states - Do not wash out to formed areas awaiting infiltration BMPs. The use of the word: "formed" implies area
			with concrete forms - see the third sentence of this section. It may be better to use the word "graded" or "contoured" to clarify that this would apply to any
Phase I	Appendix 1	22	area that is wholly or partially shaped to accommodate an infiltration BMP.
			Section 4.2: Element #10a This statement appears to imply that a sediment trap or sediment pond is required for all projects that have dewatering. A
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- Habe I	Appendix 1		Section 4.2: Element #10b. This statement appears to say that dewatering water should not go through any sediment BMP, a. on the other hand appears to
			state that dewatering water must go through to a sediment trap. Revise language to avoid confusion. Change "surface waters of the state" to "waters of the
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			installation of conveyance systems. How this MR applies is not clear for the urban environment? Consider creating additional language as to the intent in the
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Phase I Phase I	Appendix 1		urban environment.
Phase I	Appendix 1	24	Section 4.5 - Define stormwater management BMPs or use a defined term.
			Appendix 1 now requires the use of BMP T5.13 when utilizing the option of LID Performance Standard. Is this BMP required to be used even when not feasi
			Should the language be updated to state, when feasible? Also, modeling allows BMP T5.13 to be used to help meet the flow control requirement - if it is als
Phase I	Appendix 1	25	required, can it be used in the modeling as well?
			Section 4.5: The List Approach - It is stated, "For each surface, evaluate the feasibility of the BMPs in the order listed, and use the first BMP that is considere
			feasible. No other BMP from the list is necessary for that surface. If all BMPs in the list are infeasible, then the designer must document the site conditions
			infeasibility criteria used to deem the BMP infeasible." The way this is written, it would not be required to demonstrate infeasibility of something further up
			the list if something lower on the list was chosen. This is not likely the intent, consider rewriting this section to require infeasibility documentation for any E
Phase I	Appendix 1	27	that is deemed infeasible even if "all BMPs in the list infeasible".
			It appears that the for Flow Control Exempt Projects there is now a required order for which BMPs to utilize. Is this the intent? Provide reason for this chan
Phase I	Appendix 1	28	the Fact Sheet.
			Section 4.6: Oil Control - The first bullet would require oil control for smaller buildings and would not require oil control for larger buildings. For example, ur
			this, a drive-through coffee stand would require oil control but a Walmart typically would not. Consider revising this bullet to capture the need for lots that
Phase I	Appendix 1	30	spatially large and have high turnover and large buildings to require treatment and provide exemptions for smaller establishments.
			Section 4.6: Enhanced Treatment - Define designated for aquatic life use or that have an existing aquatic life use; industrial project sites; commercial project
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Phase I	Appendix 3	2 Q. 14 and Q. 15 are referencing the incorrect Permit section. Revise.
		Q. 16 & Q. 17 - Is Q. 16 and Q. 17 meant to be the total number of adjustments and exceptions with 16a and 17a just meant to show the number of
		adjustments/exceptions made only to MR#5? or will the answer to 16 and 17 include the totals from 16a and 17a and others? Additionally, MR #5 contains
		infeasibility criteria - it is not likely that an applicant will require an adjustment or exception request to a Minimum Requirement - they will likely use the
		infeasibility criteria to not utilize a given BMP. It is unclear why Ecology is interested only in the number of adjustments/exceptions granted to MR#5. How will
Phase I	Appendix 3	2 this information be used by Ecology?
		Q. 25 - Because the NOI is now an electronic document it is unclear how this requirement is intended to be met and why it is necessary to report on this in the
Phase I	Appendix 3	2 annual report.
Phase I	Appendix 3	2 Q. 26 - Reword to be parallel with other training questions: "Implement ongoing training program for"
		Q.27 This provision of S5.C.6 does not give a deadline and so it is unclear when this question will be answered for evaluating permit compliance. Clarify deadline
Phase I	Appendix 3	3 or remove this question.
Phase I	Appendix 3	 Q. 28 - The permit section (S5.C.6.a.i) states two different things: that the Permittee shall describe in the Annual Report how they are meeting this requirement and that they must submit reports on specific dates. The Permit language never states that this Report must be submitted to Ecology. Clarify language within the Permit and describe how this report will be used by Ecology (why it needs to be submitted to Ecology). Update the permit section and annual report 3 questions to be consistent. Revise the reporting date to March 31, 2022. Q. 29 - The Permit language states that Permittees must create a report for this requirement. If a separate report is being created it is unclear why the Permittee also has to attach a separate summary document. Again, consider which documents should be included in the SWMP or as Attachments to the SWMP and which documents should be part of the annual report. Also, this question specifically requests a description of the review process. The process is likely to
		be the same each year. Clarify the information that Ecology is requesting, ensure that it aligns with the permit section requirements and clarify how the
Phase I	Appendix 3	3 reporting in S5.C.7.b.i.(a) is to occur?
		Q.32 Revise this question to add "for the purpose of meeting S5.C.7.d" afterpermit term"
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Phase I	Appendix 3	3 Q.34 - revise this question and the permit language from "at least once every 5 years" to "once within a permit term". The start point for the 5 years is unclear.
Phase I	Appendix 3	3 Q. 35 - This item is more appropriate for the SWMP than the annual report.

		Q36 - "Attach a list of inspections, per S5.C.8.b.iii, organized by the business category, noting the amount of times each business was inspected, and if
		enforcement actions were taken."
		There are various components to this annual report question.
		1 Reporting out on the number of inspections done by business category will only show that Source Control efforts tend to focus on food service establishments
		automotive detailing/repair shops and private-residential stormwater device maintenance. 2 What is meant by noting the amount of time each business was inspected? Should this be the "number of times"? How does this information indicate permit
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		3. Enforcement philosophies vary across jurisdictions so the number of enforcement actions taken by jurisdiction should not be considered comparable data.
		Different programs will compliance in different ways.
		 Sorting enforcement actions by business type is an irrelevant exercise. Business type does not drive enforcement – personality type of the responsible party,
		or the Source Control staff, drives enforcement.
		5. Retooling an existing database to sort data for this annual reporting requirement will not produce any newly useful information and is overly burdensome to
		Permittees. This type of organization by business category will take significant reworking of Tacoma's database to generate data in this form. For this type of
		reporting, there should be a minimum one year ramp up period. In addition, the permit section does not require tracking by business category. It appears that
		the annual report question is attempting to establish a requirement that is not in the permit. Remove the requirement to organize by business category.
Phase I	Appendix 3	3 Please delete this reporting requirement or use the question from the 2013 permit.
		Q. 38. The wording of this question makes a response difficult. Please reword. Suggested language - "Were updates to regulatory requirements needed to
		effectively prohibit illicit discharges into the MS4 per S5.C.9.b." and Q38a. "Provide date when updates were adopted and cite code reference in the Comments
Phase I	Appendix 3	4 field". Alternatively this could be rewritten in a form similar to AR Q.52.
Phase I	Appendix 3	4 Q. 39a. This information is more appropriate in the SWMP than in the annual report.
		Q. 40 - The wrong Permit reference is shown. This should reference S5.C.9.c.i.(a). Additionally, the permit section reads, "Each Permittee shall implement an
		ongoing field screening program of, on average" this question should reflect the permit language and requirement. However the permit requirement is
Phase I	Appendix 3	4 unclear. See comments on S5.C.9.c.i(a).
		Q. 40a. This information in more appropriate in the SWMP than in the annual report. If it remains an annual report question, rewrite to state: "Describe
Phase I	Appendix 3	4 techniques used to determine percent of the known conveyance system." As written, the permit question is unclear.
		Q. 41 Add the permit section that this question relates to. (S5.C.9.ci(a)?) Also clarify the request and permit language. Would this be unique sections of the
		MS4 or if the section was reinvestigated during the permit term would that be counted twice? If a section was visually inspected and then also inspected via
		downstream outfall monitoring would it be counted once or twice? This could add a large workload to our current procedures for calculating this information.
Phase I	Appendix 3	4 Why is this information important and how will it be used? Clarify the annual report question and the permit section.
		Q.40, Q40a. and 41 and permit Section S5.C.9.c.i.(a) need to use consistent language. The term here should be "known conveyance system". It is unclear what
Phase I	Appendix 3	4 Ecology's intent is with using the different terms.
Phase I	Appendix 3	Q. 42 - This is more appropriate in the SWMP than in the annual report. If this remains in the annual report, what is the form of this question? Will it be an 4 attachment? Clarify.
Pliase I	Appendix 5	Q. 45 - Reword question to request the number of illicit discharges "identified" since follow up will be described in the answer for Q. 46. Not every illicit
		discharge has record of being eliminated. "Eliminated" is more appropriate when addressing illicit connections only. The Permit section states to eliminate illicit
Phase I	Appendix 3	a connections. This questions should be directly related to one or more of the compliance measures outlined in S5C.9.4.iv.
		Q.46 - The last sentence has the phrase "all of the applicable information", please clarify this meaning. The online form will accept blanks. Additionally, the
		current version of the online form contains repeated fields and other fields and errors that are not clear on how to use. See comments on the form. It will not
Phase I	Appendix 3	4 be possible to accurately submit this information with the current information provided by Ecology.
Phase I	Appendix 3	4 Q. 47 - Reword to be parallel with other training questions: "Implement ongoing training program for"
Phase I	Appendix 3	4 Q. 49 - Align date with permit July 1, 2021
		Q.51a. This section states to attach documentation of any maintenance delays. This is not required per Section S5.C.10.a - which specifically states documenting
	Operations and	circumstances beyond the Permittee's control. Revise the Annual Report question to align with the Permit section: "Attach documentation of maintenance
Phase I	Maintenance	29 timeframe exceedances that were beyond the Permittee's control".
		Q. 56. The compliance metric in S.5.C.10.biv is achieving inspection of 80% of all <u>sites</u> . The inspection requirement of b.ii and b.iii are inspection of <u>facilities and</u>
Phase I	Appendix 3	5 catch basins with no relation to the sites. Revise language within the Permit and this question to ensure the compliance goals match the requirements.
		Q. 57. Use consistent terminology between annual report and Permit. The Permit states to inspect all stormwater treatment and flow control facilities owned o
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Phase I	Appendix 3	5 Please use consistent language and defined terms.

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				Q. 61. Separate these questions as they are separate and distinct. As worded, it does not appear that these questions can be answered. Remove inlets from
				this question.
				Q.61.d - This information would be better included in the SWMP Plan than the annual report.
	Phase I	Appendix 3	5	Make sure wording is consistent with the associated permit sections.
	Phase I	Appendix 3	6	Q.66. This would be more appropriate to include in the SWMP Plan than the annual report.
	Phase I	Appendix 3	6	Q.69. This would be more appropriate the report in the SWMP Plan than in the annual report. Consider revising to ask if report is included in the SWMP Plan.
				Q.70a. This would be more appropriate to include the list of stewardship opportunities in the SWMP Plan than the annual report. Include both activities created
	Phase I	Appendix 3	6	and advertised.
	Phase I	Appendix 3	7	Q.86. There is no information about how this notification is to be made. Please add notification procedure to Section G3.
				Q.90 It is unclear how to answer this question if the Permittee had no G20 notifications during that reporting year. Revise to state: "Did the Permittee fail to
				comply with the permit terms and conditions within the reporting year?" and add "90a. Did the Permittee notify Ecology within 30 days of becoming aware of
	Phase I	Appendix 3	7	non-compliance?"
				There are several instances in the Annual Report questions where Ecology is requesting reports or information that is not shown in the Permit language itself.
				The Annual Report should not add requirements that are not within the permit itself.
				It is unclear why Ecology asks for some documents but not others. Specifically state when items need approval before implementation. Now, it is somewhat
				arbitrary what documents Ecology will request to be submitted and what documents require review and approval. The signatory process for local jurisdictions
				can be lengthy so knowing ahead of time which documents need review and approval is paramount to an efficient program. It is likely the most appropriate to
	Phase I	Appendix 3	General	just require all documentation within the SWMP Plan itself and not require documentation with the annual report questions.
				There are several instances throughout the Permit that require obtaining new and different information in order to answer the questions in the Annual Report.
				The Annual Report should not add requirements that are not within the permit itself.
				Any section that requires the Permittee to start recording new information should include a ramp up period of at least one year to allow Permittees to update
				existing databases, processes, and procedures - and allow time to train staff on any new information needs. For example, Q. 36 and the IDDE Schema require
	Phase I	Appendix 3	General	
	Phase I	Appendix 6	General	accumenting new information out there is no ramp up period for implementation. Define Street Waste Liquids
	Phase I	Appendix 6	1	Option 2 specifies decant liquid only from catch basins and wetvaults. What about decant liquid from other facility types?
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-	Phase I	Appendix 7	1	Define development site.
	- · ·			Define anthropogenic barriers. It is unclear if a plan reviewer would have sufficient resources and to determine if a stream could have been Salmonid bearing.
	Phase I	Appendix 7	1	Can Ecology provide resources for this determination?
	Phase I	Appendix 7	1	Define Marine near-shore habitat. Would this encompass every marine waterbody discharge?
	Phase I	Appendix 8	1	The Permit section reference is incorrect.
				Qualifying Storm Event Criteria: Antecedent dry period during wet season: 6 hour antecedent dry period (<0.05" rain) does not allow some sites to return to
				baseflow conditions. Sampling with this short antecedent could result in capturing flows from the previous event in a storm. It is unclear how events would be
	Phase I	Appendix 9	3	separated without a true 6 hour inter-event dry period following a storm.
				Flow Weighted Composite Sample. City of Tacoma has one outfall location that is a time composited site. It has been approved by Ecology for the NPDES Outfal
				monitoring. Please add: Ecology may approve time composite sample if the Permittee provides evidence demonstrating that a time composite sample is
	Phase I	Appendix 9	4	representative for a specific location.
				Parameters: Flow Weighted Composite Samples: Add that Ecology may approve a different priority order for some locations – "or as otherwise approved by
1				Ecology". For example, the City of Tacoma sampling also meets the needs of the EPA stormwater monitoring required as part of the Superfund cleanup of the
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1	L			For example, the City of Tacoma sampling also meets the needs of the EPA stormwater monitoring required as part of the Superfund cleanup of the Thea Foss
L	Phase I	Appendix 9	5	Waterway. A different priority order for parameters has been established to best meet the requirements of these two monitoring programs.
1				Parameters: Stormwater Solids Samples: Remove "shall" from collection of additional sample if insufficient sample exists. Based upon the City's experience,
1				there are issues with collecting sufficient sample volumes currently in our annual stormwater solids monitoring (once per year) to complete all of the parameter
	1	1		on the list. Collection of additional samples to run all of the organic parameters would be non-representative of a "yearly" accumulated sediment sample. Use
				of the sample would be limited to absence/presence and could not be included in Statistical analysis of the annual data. Installation of an additional sampling
				of the sample would be limited to absence/presence and could not be included in Statistical analysis of the annual data. Installation of an additional sampling apparatus at the monitoring location to collect the additional sample would create an obstruction in the pipes and disrupt the collection of the current annual

Phase I	Appendix 9	5	Parameters: Stormwater Solids Samples: Add that some parameters may be dropped from the analysis based on past sampling performance under the 2013- 2018 Permit.
i nase i	Appendix 5	5	Recordkeeping and Reporting: Add statement that the first annual report will include data for the complete water year if the sampling program is continued
Phase I	Appendix 9		from the past sampling performance under the 2013-2018 Permit.
i nase i	Appendix 5		How the past sampling performance under the 2012-2010 Fernice Record Region and Past sampling event: Says "Whether after 4 sampling Record Regions and Reporting: Annual Monitoring Report. 4th bullet under Description of Stormwater solids sampling event: Says "Whether after 4 sampling
			reconnecting and reporting and a monoring report an additional Distribution of solution and solution and the solution of solution and the solution of solution and the solution
			approved sampling once per year instead of twice per year as allowed under Types of Sampling. It is unclear whether the more sensitive analytical method
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Phase I	Appendix 9	6	would be discussed after two years of sampling (i.e. 4 total samples if sampling twice per year) or after four years of sampling if sampling once per year.
			The list of parameters in Table A9-2 requires at least 8 liters of stormwater to be collected for each storm event. With Tacoma's current S8 monitoring program
			we were able to collect enough sample volume for all parameters only 70-80% of the time (a minimum of 5 Liters for all parameters and 1 liter for Lab QA). Du
			to typical available sample volume, it is unlikely that the newly added parameter of PSD will be analyzed for very often. Please support the prioritization of
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			Particle size distribution – is this being added? Note that per the method included in Wet Sieving and Laser Diffraction Measurement Procedures, two liters of
			sample are required. Based on the City's experience, there are currently issues collecting enough volume for the current list of parameters; therefore it is
Phase I	Appendix 9	Table A9-2	unlikely that this analysis could ever be run based on the priority list.
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Phase I	Appendix 9	Table 49-2	restrict of material and coupy recommendation and ying the method to analyze (met) are chard near sample. Note that it will always be a subsample in you are analyzing for any other parameters.
Phase I	Appendix 9		EPA Method 200.8 SIM is superfluores/add. SIM should be removed from the metals method.
Phase I	Appendix 9		Err michael cost in a supermodul cost in an and be transmission and the michael. Metals should be revised to remove the word "recoverable" as it is not applicable.
i nuse i	Appendix 5	Tuble A5 2	In this table, there is no reference for footnote "a". The text currently referenced in footnote "a" is applicable to footnote "b", all others are also off by one
Phase I	Appendix 9	Table A9-3	
FildSel	Appendix 9		Footnote E says " first 2 samples". Similar to the comment on the Annual Monitoring Report above, please clarify whether method change would come after
Phase I	Appendix 9		two samples, four samples, or if this is dependent on the number of samples taken per year.
i nase i	Appendix 5		With regard to methods for PCBs, note that no one in Washington is accredited to perform Method 1668C. Samples would have to be sent to a lab in Surrey, B
			or California for this analysis. Costs for this congener analysis would be approximately \$600 per sample. The Permit requires 5 samples at twice per year at a
Phase I	Appendix 9		total cost of \$6,000 per year. There may also be Customs issues with using the Canadian lab.
Phase I	Appendix 10		Under Part 2, the language references the Phase II Permit. Revise language.
Phase I	Appendix 10		Oncer rait 2, the language references the rinase in refinite. Keyse language. What is considered to be a new section not found in the SWMMWW?
Fliase i	Appendix 10		Wild is considered to be a new section not found in the swinning will be approving the changes as equivalent or entire new manuals as equivalent. The City of Tacoma is intending to change language throughout
			their SWMM for clarity, etc. based upon feedback during implementation. How this is accomplished while maintaining an equivalent manual is unclear from
			this appendix. Entire manual equivalency is necessary because grant funding is based upon the use of the SWMMWW or equivalent manual and when
			jurisdictions make changes to the their SWMM that Ecology will not approve; their usable manuals are no longer deemed equivalent. It is recommended that
			Ecology not approve manuals as equivalent or that there is a process that easily allows jurisdictions to update their manuals when need be based upon feedba
			from the development community and plan review staff. The City would like Ecology to approve the entire document as equivalent or not approve the manua
Phase I	Appendix 10	NA	atall.
			It is unclear if Ecology is only reviewing portions of the SWMMWW, how those sections within the Permit that require compliance with BMPs within the
			SWMMWW or equivalent will be verified without reviewing each jurisdiction's SWMM. See comment above, either review each manual in its entirety for
Phase I	Appendix 10		equivalency or do not provide review.
Phase I	Appendix 10		Under the 2013-2018 and 2012 Permit, it appears that Element 9f should state Element 9g, Element 9h should state 9j, and 9i should state 9j. Verify and revis
Phase I	Appendix 10		The language suggested to replace Section 4.7, Second Paragraph is not the same language as shown in the Permit Section. Revise.
			It does not appear that applicant are required to revise their SWMM to comply with the new wetlands protection guidance though it is specifically referenced in
Phase I	Appendix 10	5	the Permit and SWMMWW. Is this the intent?
Dhara I	Annendia 12		The project types do not match that shown in the Permit. Ensure consistency. The facility types 1-5 should be: new flow control BMP, new runoff treatment
Phase I	Appendix 12	1	BMP, new LID BMP, Retrofit of existing flow control BMP, runoff treatment BMP, or LID BMP.
Phase I	Appendix 12	1	Include columns for each item needed in the equivalent area calculations, including full basin area, required area, actual area, and benefit ratio.
Phase I	Appendix 12	2	The Project Achievement Descriptions do not match the words provided in the SSC Guidance. Ensure consistency amongst documents.

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		Provide an example .xml download file for review. This will be needed to modify existing databases. However, a space, comma, or tab delimited spreadsheet or
Phase I	Appendix 14 (PH I)	NA .csv is the preferred option for data sharing. Please consider allowing information to be provided in this type of format.
Phase I	Appendix 14 (PH I)	NA Provide the .XSD explanation document.
		In the October 24, 2018 meeting with Ecology, it was requested that Permittees comment on what is a possible deliverable for the March 2020 Annual Report.
		The City of Tacoma can provide an excel spreadsheet of the information that is being input into our current database. The City of Tacoma will not be able to
		start capturing all the information provided in the Draft Permit Language immediately as the effort to start modify our database, input and track this data is
		significant. Once the final Permit language is known, the City will start the process of updating the current database and training. It is anticipated that without a
		ramp-up period of at least one year, the City will have to issue a G20 for their first annual report because it will not be possible to start tracking all the
		information currently requested. Until the permit language is in a final form, it is not recommended to begin the process of database modification, training staff
Phase I	Appendix 14 (PH I)	NA collecting and tracking data in the new format as the draft may be modified in the final permit language and such a significant effort can not be repeated.
		A data dictionary is needed for every term in Appendix 14. This will not only help in better consistency from jurisdiction to jurisdiction, but also help those
		agencies who are already collecting data cross walk the information from one format to another. Again, please consider significantly simplifying the proposed
Phase I	Appendix 14 (PH I)	NA data request.
		Changes were made to Appendix 14 during the comment period. The comment period should have been extended to reflect these changes. The comment
Phase I	Appendix 14 (PH I)	NA period was not extended.
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		It was mentioned at the October 24, 2018 meeting that in the 2017 analysis of the 2014 annual report data there was concern over how many "unknown/othe
		category complaints there were and that was a major contributing factor in developing the new lengthy over detailed database/schema requirement to get
		"better data" to inform legislators. With the City of Tacoma Source Control Staff contributing 60% of the data that was analyzed for this report it is important
		understand why so many were marked unknown/other before requiring a highly impactful change to the permit based off that data. It's not a matter of being
		unable to determine what was spilled as it is consistency among users and guality control over the entry of the data into the individual fields. During 2014, the
		use of unknown/other can be attributed to inconsistent data entry among staff as well as the fact that the database defaults to "unknown/other." If staff
		started an entry and then noted in a text field that no actual issue was found, there are many instances were those individuals would not go through and
		completely fill out the 15-20 fields/boxes that are normally required when we have a confirmed incident. Additionally it is important to note that
		"unknown/other" are two distinctly different categories that should not be considered singly. Staff may have used this field to depict an issue as "other" when
		one of the options in the drop down did not match what they found, or staff may have used it to depict "unknown" when the material type was unable to be
		determined. This field was most commonly used when a source/material was never found and the field was left in its defaulted state. A large portion of
		"unknown/other" complaints is largely made up of "No issue Found" which technically should not have been reported as IDDE(or used in this report to drive
		future permit language). Another portion of the unknown/knowns is made up of failure to mark the correct category. A small portion of "unknown/other" we
		sites were the material was unable to be determined or the issue was unclear. Adding more fields to a form will not get better data to draw any new conclusio
Phase I	Appendix 14 (PH I)	No or drive any new source control measures.
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Phase I	Appendix 14 (PH I)	NA Please see the attached markup "Appendix14 - Comment Memo Attachment" for specific comments related to the WQWebIDDE and Appendix 14.
		It is unclear as to the ramifications if the data entered is not accurate - as many answers are based upon assumptions because field staff do not conduct lab
		analysis of each spill. Additionally, street address should not be included, often spills are in the right-of-way, if street address is used, the private property own
Phase I	Appendix 14 (PH I)	associated with that addressed may be unfairly associated with a discharge that had nothing to do with their activities such as a car accident.
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				Per Ecology request during Nov 6 Webinar - provide what you currently collect. Please see the attached document "process improvement draft IDDE.docx". The City has attached a screen shot of our existing IDDE collection screen. Please note however, that the City is in process of a process improvement to change this form. the plan is to simplify the form much further. The simplification is based on our analysis of year's of data. We looked at the fields that were being used and the information that could be helpful and we are simplifying the form. The information on the simplification project is also included in the attached document. Based on the City's IDDE work and data analysis, the simpler the reporting form and fields are, the better the data will be. Ecology's proposal would greatly increase the complexity of recording and reporting. there would be many blanks in the proposed form and the data would be entered in inconsistent
	Phase I	Appendix 14 (PH I)		ways. Revise the proposed data request to simplify.
	Phase I	IDDE		Ecology prepared "Focus on WQWebIDDE" has a section entitled "how will this information be used?". It is unclear how the information gathered will be able to answer the specific questions noted because of the lack of clarity about how to fill out the form and how many of the data fields require input. Also, based upon the huge effort it will take to modify the City's database, fill out this data for each event, Tacoma does not agree that the work is worth the potential ability to analyze data. We currently know enough to inform the types of outreach that would be helpful both on a regional and City scale. Remove the requirement to track all the required information from the Permit.
	Phase I	IDDE	Ecology prepared "Focus on WQWebIDDE"	that you only check a box if it is applicable, additionally, there is so much repetition in the fields that it is completely unclear if for a specific incident if a user should check one or multiple entries.
	Phase I	IDDE		Ecology prepared "Focus on WQWebIDDE" has a section entitled "How does WQWebIDDE relate to ERTS?" and that section states "G3 only requires permittees to notify ecology that an incident is occurring: the permit does not require further entries into ERTS." This statement seems to imply that Permittees would be required to input information into the required form more than once. This is not stated clearly in the permit. The permit must clearly outline the exact requirements of the Permittee.
	SSC Guidance	N/A	1	It is stated, "Qualifying projects reduce or prevent negative water quality impacts from MS4s." Consider revising to state" "Qualifying projects should aim to reduce or prevent negative water quality impacts to receiving waterbodies defines the goals better.
	SSC Guidance	N/A	1	It is stated, "Ecology does not intend SSC projects to mitigate or compensate for previous impacts from MS4s." This statement is confusing as some of the qualifying project types such as maintenance, restoration, and floodplain connection directly compensate for previous impacts from the MS4." Remove statement or provide additional language as to the intent of this statement. "Ecology intendsthe defined level of effort to achievethe goal of allowing comparison of runoff treatment and hydrologic benefits." It appears that the
	SSC Guidance	N/A	1	program is normalizing or standardizing benefits, not comparing benefits. Consider revising language.
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	SSC Guidance	N/A	1	program is normalizing or standardizing benefits, not comparing. Consider removing or revising the language.
	SSC Guidance	N/A		Define "large capital construction costs"
\vdash	SSC Guidance	N/A	2	It is stated, "All qualifying projects or actions must be associated with the MS4." Further define what "associated with MS4" means.
	SSC Guidance	N/A		The Permit only contains 10 Qualifying Project Types as LID projects were combined with treatment and flow control. This guidance contains 11 types. Ensure consistency amongst documents. Use the exact same terms in all documents.
			3	Define Under (5) Property acquisition to provide additional runoff treatment and/or flow control benefits, define "likely development site"; would steep slopes
	SSC Guidance	N/A	3	or other difficult to develop parcels qualify as a likely development site?
				(7&8) "Retained from the 2007 permit, this project type is not directly related to stormwater (i.e. not driven by stormwater capital planning) but provides stormwater benefits." Could other types of habitat restoration fit here such as native prairie restoration which do not have complete forest cover but would be restored to their native condition?
	SSC Guidance	N/A	4	Clarify the requirements for qualification under these types.
				(9) "Floodplain reconnection projects on water bodies that are not flow control exempt per Appendix 1 (S5.C.6.a.ii(3)) – Qualifying floodplain reconnection projects will have an MS4" Why include the language of not flow control exempt? Floodplain reconnection projects in areas such as the Puyallup River (which
	SSC Guidance	N/A	4	is considered to be flow control exempt) can have significant benefits.

			(10) - define permanent removal - will restrictions be required to be placed on the property? Would it be necessary to have a permanent restrict rive covenant or conservation easement on the property for credit to be given to this type of project? clarify how many trees per acre would be required to qualify under this item. This sentence is not clear, there appears to be some grammatical errors that impede understanding of what would qualify under this item. Suggest having
SSC Guidand	ce N/A	4	a bulleted list.
			It is unclear if Category 11 only includes street sweeping and line cleaning. Under this category can Permittees develop their own incentive factors associated
SSC Guidand			with other project types?
SSC Guidand	ce N/A		Consider making the retrofit incentive for property acquisition higher because it has a potentially very large benefit.
			Bullets one and two on this page indicate: "greater "large storm" hydrologic benefit as compared to the standard flow control requirement. More incentive
			points for projects that provide greater "small storm" hydrologic benefit as compared to the LID Performance Standard." Allowing more points for larger
			facilities that are designed for a hypothetical larger storm may create facilities that are not properly sized for the contributing area and therefore may affect the
SSC Guidand	ce N/A	7	facility function which may not be a benefit so additional points may not be appropriate for oversized facilities.
			"More incentive points for runoff treatment projects that quantifiably address targeted pollutants, such as dissolved metals, phosphorus or other chemicals of
			concern." Who judges what the chemical of concern is and are they different for different waterbodies? Would basic treatment waters get more points if the
SSC Guidand		7	facility treats something that isn't required like phosphorus, oil or metals (enhanced treatment)?
SSC Guidand		7	Consider increasing the value of street sweeping and line cleaning as the benefits are similar to other stormwater technologies designed to remove pollutants.
SSC Guidand		7	Define "complete" as used in determining the incentive points (75 complete/maintenance-stage incentive points).
SSC Guidand	ce N/A	8	The third column contains only Incentive Factors. Remove the heading "Retrofit Incentive Points" from Table 2 to avoid confusion in terminology.
			Table 2 Comments:
			a. Does a jurisdiction have to monitor stormwater discharges from a treatment facility in order to determine if it meets the water quality standards and achieve
			a 2.5 incentive factor? Or is a calculation used to determine compliance?
			b. Change property acquisition incentive factor to at least 1.0 times acres acquired.
			c. Make restoration of forest cover incentive factor at least 0.5 times acres restored. Trees have been quantified as beneficial in many studies.
			d. For the maintenance section, is the area served by the maintenance activity the actual area served or an equivalent area?
			e. Define what types of properties will qualify as part of property acquisition.
			f. The City of Tacoma does not support the additional multipliers from footnote b because it is unknown if activities conducted under the watershed plans
SSC Guidand	ce N/A	8	provide additional benefits.
			For all calculations there should be rounding guidance. For example, at which stage of the calculation should rounding occur; how many significant digits; how
SSC Guidand	ce N/A	9	many decimal points, etc. See the City of Tacoma 2016 SWMM (Volume 3, Section 1.6) for example guidance.
			It is unclear what land use types and percentages of cover assumptions (ex. 65%, impervious) to use in the equivalent area calculations. It is recommended to
			provide a standard percent impervious area coverage based upon land use area (residential, commercial, etc.) so that calculations amongst jurisdictions are
SSC Guidand	ce N/A		similar.
SSC Guidand	ce N/A	10	For runoff treatment, can non-pollution generating areas that drain the facility be included in the equivalent area calculations?
			Why is it necessary to include a cost estimate? This is an additional level of effort that is not necessary for Permit compliance and is not considered in the
SSC Guidand	ce N/A		retrofit incentive points. Ecology's analysis of previous year's data showed no correlation between costs and water quality benefits.
			It is stated that a single project can obtain LID, Runoff Treatment, and Flow Control Retrofit Incentive Points. The calculation methodology for LID Retrofit
			Incentive Points is specific to infiltrative areas though a detention pond could achieve LID Standards (with a smaller equivalent area). It is unclear if, to be
			considered LID, the BMP must provide infiltration. Provide additional guidance or language if that is the intent. This comment applies in reverse as well when
SSC Guidand	ce N/A		considered flow control facilities -does only the volume count toward the flow control portion.
			Under the Runoff Treatment Section, oil control is specifically not included as an example for projects that could result in runoff treatment benefits. Is this
SSC Guidand	ce N/A		intentional?
SSC Guidance			Why is it necessary to include lat/long? This is an additional level of effort for Appendix 12 that is already covered by the S5.C.2 mapping.
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This is Tacoma's current collection screen. However, we are in process of updating and simplifying this tool. See

below the screen shot for our draft.

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This is a draft of our proposed new IDDE recording and reporting application.

Project name: Incident Response

Requestor and group: Environmental Compliance Business Operations

CALL INTAKE FORM

Designed to intake caller information to determine response time needed and which crew to dispatch, storm or general inspection. Proposed to be setup in ESRI popup window as service.

Proposed Fields: (Bold italics represent Alias)

Category: (Dropdown) (Required)

- 1 Spill
- 2 Environmental Issue
- 3 Sewer Issue
- 4 Flooding issue

• 5 Tree Issue

Suspected Material: (Dropdown) (Subtyped) (Required)

- Spill
 - Concrete *Concrete Washout*
 - FOG Fats/Oils/Grease (Food Related)
 - Hazard *Household Hazardous Waste*
 - Oil Petroleum spill (vehicle oils and gas)
 - o Paint Paint Spill
- Environmental Issue
 - o Animal *Animal Waste*
 - o Oder Smelly Oder
 - SolidWaste *Trash or Debris*
 - Hazard Household Hazardous Waste Containers
 - Mud Construction Site Dirt or Trackout
 - Paint *Abandoned Paint Containers*
 - o Water Wash Water
 - o Other **Other**
 - Should not use and needs to be audited on a regular basis
- Sewer Issue
 - Sewer Sewage backup or spill
- Flooding issue
 - o LocStorm *Private Property Flooding*
 - RegStorm *Intersection Flooding*
- Tree Issue
 - o Treelssue Tree Issue
 - Any other tree issue not defined as a tree emergency
 - o TreeEmergency Tree Emergency
 - Tree Issue which poses an immediate threat to life, health, property, or environment

OtherDesc: Other Description (Hide if other is not selected)

• Description of other when used

Incident Date: (Default: Current date/Time)

Incident Title: (required)

- Description used when tabularly displaying lists of incidents
- Should be less than 50 chars

Description: (required)

• A description of the issue as transcribed by the call intake person from the caller

Contact Person: (required)

• Name of the person who called or emailed issue

- Not Call intake person
- User should Place Anonymous if caller will not provide

Follow-upRequested: Follow-up Requested? (yes/no Boolean)

ContactPhone: *Contact Phone* (Contact phone or ContactAlt must be filled in if Follow-upRequested is 1(YES)) (hide if Follow-upRequested 0 (no))

• Phone

ContactAlt: Alternative Contact (Contact phone or ContactAlt must be filled) (hide if Follow-upRequested 0 (no))

• Phone or email

CallIntakePerson: AutoCalculate windows user (hide)

• Bert/Sparky Grab and place windows user into field

CallIntakeDateTime: AutoCalculate (hide)

RESPONSE FORMS

Designed to be in .net form

See call intake form for read only fields which should be displayed at the top of this form.

Assigned Date - Date incident was first assigned to staff

Completion date - Date incident response was completed (autocalc on selection of completed)

Assigned Staff member – Staff member currently assigned to the complaint (does not need multiple assignments at this time).

Inform/ Referred to other - Dropdown if refer to other checkbox is checked

- N/A (default)
- Other COT
- Other Gov't Agency
- Ecology

ERTS # - if user selects refer or inform Ecology then require ERTS # with Format (yy-xxxx)

Closest address - Read only display from GIS data on 60

Confirmed material - Same list as call intake plus No Material

- Default selected from field in 60 on intake side
- No material In case caller reported a non-issue(may not need this but wanted to note it for further discussion)

Photos – Need some way to handle photo upload, prefer drag and drop or tablet based upload

Actions checkboxes - checkbox for each, must have at least one checked

- Site visit Checked if a site visit was performed
 - Site visit date/time If checked ask user for date/time
- Inform/Refer Voluntary compliance or referral which constitutes as educating the caller and/or complainant (level 1)
- Enforcement requiring action which requires a minimum of a letter and/civil penalty (level 2-7)
 - Enforcement Level if checked ask user to select level 2-7
 - Levels should match Enforcement response plan attached to this document as supplemental and should be the high level reached throughout the compliance process
- Staff Cleanup Staff found an issue and due to its small size addressed it (Example paint cans.. staff disposed of the cans)

Comments/Notes – Notes about the response

	Thea Foss Complaints and Spills – 16 years of database records (2002-2017)																
Year	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	Total
Chemical	17	13	20	11	6	3	13	6	8	11	9	9	9	8	5	2	150
Concrete	3	6	6	6	4	9	9	3	3	5	4	11	10	4	13	2	98
FOG						9	4	5	2	6	6	11	4	3	9	0	59
Garbage						12	0	14	25	10	25	18	20	5	4	6	139
Mud	23	22	18	21	13	17	21	17	13	26	51	36	37	13	23	11	362
Paint	9	12	9	9	3	7	4	3	4	4	4	3	6	7	6	7	97
Petroleum	47	55	70	53	42	57	35	33	81	90	94	82	65	51	49	42	946
Sewage	9	25	31	23	34	16	20	23	34	64	71	64	29	35	25	26	529
Soap	18	22	9	4	11	1	4	16	9	5	8	12	4	2	5	3	133
Toxic													1	0		0	1
Unknown	15	17	6	28	77	12	15	14	11	18	14	18	13	40	14	27	339
Water	11	25	13	21	29	15	19	13	22	23	36	20	32	25	33	17	354
Animal Waste														1	1	0	2
Odor														3		0	3
Total	152	197	182	176	219	158	144	147	212	262	322	284	230	197	187	143	3212

There needs to be some guidance on how to answer these questions. These answers are all only likely answers unless the inspector is there at the time of the illicit discharge - everything else is an assumption based upon the inspection. The legal implications must be clearly written in the Permit.

APPENDIX 14 – IDDE Reporting data and format

Updated on 9/21/18 to reflect changes made to the form within the WQwebIDDE application

Permittees are required to submit the following information with the online annual report form, or an alternative format provided by Ecology if requested, pursuant to Special Condition S9.A.

This is the complete list of information that all Permittees are required to report for each IDDE incident found, reported to, or investigated by the Permittee. Each Permittee may either use their own system or the WQWebIDDE form for recording this data. If using your own tracking system, this information must be provided in an electronic format that follows the data schema provided at the end of this document and is easily transferred to a database. Ecology prefers a zipped .xml. An excel spreadsheet or space- or tab-delimited file that follows the data schema is acceptable.

A complete report will include a separate entry (even if left blank) for every line below and must use the precise verbiage and spelling below. For all incidents where the answer to #7 is no, #8 is required but #9-15 are not required. Each field that ends in a colon (":") is followed by a text answer. All dates are in MM/DD/YYYY format.

Is the intent of th	is form to be filled our upon first discovery or ation and determination?	Why is this necessary for data analysis?		
•	Jurisdiction name and permit number:	Unclear why the		
2.	Incident ID assigned by jurisdiction:	jurisdictions individual tracking is needed for		
3.	Date of incident:	data analysis. Remove.		
4.	Date incident was reported to you:	Not always know. And why is this necessary.		
5.	Date of beginning your response:	Suggest removing and just keep when		
6.	Date of end of your response	incident was reported.		
	• Date Response Ended:			
	• Final resolution?	It is unclear when No would ever be chosen. Once a response is initiated,		
	- Yes	is it not required that it will be		
	- No <	resolved? I think what you are trying to get out of this is if the Permit terms		
	• If transferred to another party, specify that p	arty: were met for investigation. If that is the case, use the Permit language here.		
7.	Discharge to MS4?	And how does this help with regional		
	• Yes	prioritization?		
	- Estimated Quantity	and these boxes don't seem to function properly on the web form		
		too subjective. How will this be used?		

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	- Sheen	Is this a yes/no?
	 Estimated amount of discharge: 	What are implications
	□- Gallons-	if the estimate is not
		accurate?
	□- Pounds-	On the web app you can select a negative
	o- Cubic feet	amount of discharge, please explain intent.
	 — Discharge Frequency 	Why? What are
	- Continuous or ongoing	implications if the
	- Intermittent	response is not accurate?
	- One-time	What are you supposed to
	- Receiving water <	put here? The name?
	• No	The type? Yes/No?
	- No problem found <	This should be one of
	- Cleaned up	the first questions. what does this mean? it went to
	- Discharge to combined or sanitary sewer	ms4 and was cleaned? or cleaned before MS4. so it's not an illicit
Does this mean it	 Discharge to private or other sewer 	discharge then.
infiltrated?	Discharge to ground	stormwater? what does
	- Other	other sewer mean?
	• Unknown	This should be the most popular choice because it is not likely that inspector will be
8.	How was the incident discovered or reported	there during the incident so it is likely
	Referral	
	- Pollution hotline	
	 Direct report to your staff 	How will these help
	 — Staff referral 	-answer any of the
		questions.
		Id ERTS send a to us?
	- ERTS Spill	What is the difference between the
	• IDDE field observation <	IDDE field observation and a MS4
	Business Inspection	inspection?
	Construction Inspection MS4 or NP	
	MS4 Inspection what if both	How will these help
	- Catch basin or manhole <	answer any of the questions.
	— Outfall	
	Stormaniator DMD	ent or source or construction
	or all?	





Dumping Spill ←	Phase I Municipal Stormwater Permit – DRAFT could be part of vehicle related, construction, improper business operations, spill is very broad.
Construction activity	
- Construction BMP failure	always the answer inc
Structural BMP failure	always the answer - no drop down needed.
Vehicle related	
- Fueling	
- Vehicle collision/accident	
- Auto repair	This portion is confusing
- Vehicle washing	This portion is confusing because of the mix of activities
- Vehicle leakage/fluids	and business types. Revise list
Improper business operation or activity	to just be activities.
- Equipment cleaning	
- Pressure washing	
- Leaking or abandoned container/dumpster	
- Drive-thru	drive-thru same as restaurant.
- Mobile business	
- Explain:	
- Retail operations	
- Restaurant	This could be the
- Non-emergency firefighting or training	same as all of the options in this list.
- Logging	
- Livestock	
- Other	
- Explain:	not needed because
Allowable discharge	this would not be an
- Diverted stream flow	IDDE or just put
- Flow from riparian habitat or wetland	allowable discharge upfront as an option of
— Uncontaminated ground water or spring wat	er not being IDDE
— Foundation or footing drain-	
- Uncontaminated water from crawl space put	np-
- Air conditioning condensation	

	- Irrigation water from agricultural s	ource-				
	— Emergency firefighting					
• -	Conditionally allowed discharge-					
	— Potable water					
	— Water line flushing or testing		ny include if not DE.			
	- Lawn watering or other irrigation-	טו				
	- Dechlorinated pool/spa water-					
	- Street/sidewalk wash water-					
•	Surface runoff	ag	ain, not IDDE			
	 Due to drainage or grade condition 		·			
	- Stormwater or flood water-					
	— Groundwater pumping-					
	- Broken or clogged water or sewer	line				
	- Other					
	- Explain:	make own surfacing				
-	Septic system <	 effluent category not called surface runoff. 				
-	Other					
	- Explain:		explain only allowed			
13. So	ource tracing approach used (select all	that apply, explain if needed	d) under other			
٠	Not applicable <	do vo	ou always have to			
٠	Visual observation	say t	his if not an			
٠	Smell/odor	IDDE? When is this used?				
٠	Map analysis					
٠	Further inspection or reconnaissance	K				
•	Indicator testing	this is impli				
	- Flow/discharge	happening	alleady.			
	- Sheen/oil					
	- Floatables					
	- Detergent or surfactants	Already colled out				
	- Ammonia	Already called out —above as smell/odor				
	- Color 🧲	and visual observation				
	- Odor					

source tracing

some specific

approach is probably

most useful as a fill in

IDDE. This captures

elements but is too

much for a pull down.

narrative specific to the

- pH
- Temperature
- Turbidity
- Hardness
- Nitrates
- Potassium
- Specific conductivity
- Bacteria
- Chloride/chlorine
- Fluoride
- Carbon monoxide
- Hydrogen sulfide
- Other
 - Explain: <
- Dye testing
- Pressure testing
- Smoke testing
- Video inspection
- Canine detection
- Optical brightener
- Sand bagging
- Other
 - Explain:

explain not available with every option

should always be

chosen.

14. Correction/elimination methods used (select all that apply, explain if needed)

No action needed
 Explain:

- Clean-up
 clean-up
- Education/technical assistance
- Add or modify operational BMP
- Add or modify structural BMP
- Enforcement: Enforcement may happen at a later time how many times is Permittee expected to add data to this report?

all the other questions -should explain this

-in there twice.

Appendix 14 - IDDE Reporting – DRAFT

This question was

asked in previous

here or in the other

section or both?

sections - how do you know whether to check

- Written warning
- Correction notice
- Stop work order
- Legal notice
- Penalty or fine
- Referred to other agency or department
- Follow-up or further investigation
- Problem not abated
 - Explain:
- Other
 - Explain:

you wouldn't have a closed date if follow-up –was needed or if problem was not abated.

15. Field notes, explanations, and/or other comments

• Notes:

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<u>2"≻</u>

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3">

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5">

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S5.C.11. Education and Outreach

As proposed by Ecology:

	The SWMP shall include an education and outreach program designed to:					
a.i.(a)	BUILD AWARENESS	To build general awareness, Permittees shall target the following audiences and subject areas:				
	Subject Areas					
Audience	1) General impacts of stormwater on surface waters.		3) LID principles and LID BMPs.	4) Opportunities to become involved in stewardship activities.		
General Public	General Public	General Public	General Public	General Public		
School Age Children	School Age Children	School Age Children	School Age Children	School Age Children		
Overburdened Communities	Overburdened Communities	Overburdened Communities	Overburdened Communities	Overburdened Communities		
Businesses	Businesses	Businesses	Businesses	Businesses		
Home based businesses	Home based businesses	Home based businesses	Home based businesses	Home based businesses		
Mobile businesses	Mobile businesses	Mobile businesses	Mobile businesses	Mobile businesses		
ı.i.(b)	BUILD AWARENESS					
	Subject Areas					
Audience	1)Technical standards for stormwater site and erosion control plans.	2) LID principles and LID BMPs.	3) Stormwater treatment and flow control BMPs/facilities.			
Engineers	Engineers	Engineers	Engineers			
Contractors	Contractors	Contractors	Contractors			
Developers	Developers	Developers	Developers			
Land Use Planners	Land Use Planners	Land Use Planners	Land Use Planners			

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a i (a)	BUILD AWARENESS					
a.i.(a)	BUILD AWARENESS To build general awareness, Permittees shall target the following audiences and subject areas:					
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	Overburdened Communities	Overburdened Communities	Overburdened Communities	Overburdened Communities		
	Businesses	Businesses	Businesses	Businesses-		
				remove because S5.C.11.a.iii discusses stewardship - make that inclusive. Should not require targeting school age children because they need parental permission to participate.		
a.i.(b)	BUILD AWARENESS					
	Subject Areas					
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	Developers	Developers				
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