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MS4 Annual Report for 2014

Reporting period: January 1, 2014 to December 31, 2014

Due: June 30, 2015

Instructions: Complete this annual report to provide a summary of your activities under the 2013 MS4 Permit (Permit) between January 1, 2014 and December 31, 2014. You may provide additional explanation and/or information in an email with the subject *YourMS4NameHere_2014AR* to ms4permitprogram.pca@state.mn.us. MPCA staff may also contact you for additional information.

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MCM 1: Public Education and Outreach

The following questions refer to Part III.D.1. of the Permit.

Q2 Did you select a stormwater-related issue of high priority to be emphasized during this Permit term? [Part III.D.1.a.(1)]

- Yes
 No

Q3 What is your stormwater-related issue(s)? Check all that apply.

- TMDL(s)
 Local businesses
 Residential BMPs
 Pet waste
 Yard waste
 Deicing materials
 Household chemicals
 Construction activities
 Post-construction activities
 Other

Describe:

Stormwater Education Booklet - Created in December, 2014 / distributed by meetings and will be placed on website

Q4 Did you begin to educate the public on illicit discharge recognition and reporting? [Part III.D.1.a.(2)]

- Yes
- No

Q5 How did you distribute educational materials or equivalent outreach? Check all that apply and provide circulation/audience associated with each item. [Part III.D.1.a.]

- Brochure
- Newsletter
- Utility bill insert
- Newspaper ad
- Radio ad
- Television ad
- Cable access channel
- Stormwater-related event
- School presentation or project
- Website
- Other (1)
- Other (2)
- Other (3)

Q6 Intended audience? Check all that apply.

	Residents	Local Businesses	Developers	Students	Employees	Other
Brochure	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Newsletter	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Website	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Q7 Enter the total circulation/audience (if unknown, use best estimate):

Brochure	50
Newsletter	2100
Website	50

Provide a brief description of each activity related to public education and outreach (e.g. rain garden workshop, school presentation, public works open house) held and the date each activity was held from January 1, 2014 to December 31, 2014. [Part III.D.1.c.(4)]

Q8 Date of activity

Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

Q9 Description of activity

Annual Meeting (approx. 55 residents) / Brochures regarding rain gardens, rain barrels, hazardous waste facilities, Illicit Discharge Ordinance, Developer work, etc.

Newsletter sent before March 11, 2014 Annual Meeting. General notification of meeting and MS4 discussions

Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

Set up stormwater page with audits, forms, Ordinance, hotline, contacts, etc. Workshops and grant funding possibilities when known.

Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

Began work on Education Brochure. Completed in Jan. 2015

Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

- Q10 Between January 1, 2014 and December 31, 2014, did you modify your BMPs, measurable goals, or future plans for your public education and outreach program? [Part IV.B.]
- Yes
 - No

MCM 2: Public Participation/Involvement

The following questions refer to Part III.D.2.a. of the Permit.

- Q11 You must provide a minimum of one opportunity each year for the public to provide input on the adequacy of your Stormwater Pollution Prevention Program (SWPPP). Did you provide this opportunity between January 1, 2014 and December 31, 2014? [Part III.D.2.a.(1)]
- Yes
 - No

- Q12 What was the opportunity that you provided? Check all that apply.
- Public meeting
 - Public event
 - Other

- Q13 Did you hold a stand-alone meeting or combine it with another event?
- Stand-alone
 - Combined

Enter the date of the public meeting (mm/dd/yyyy):

Enter the number of citizens that attended and were informed about your SWPPP:

Q16 Between January 1, 2014 and December 31, 2014, did you receive any input regarding your SWPPP?

- Yes
 No

Q18 Between January 1, 2014 and December 31, 2014, did you modify your BMPs, measurable goals, or future plans for your public participation/involvement program? [Part IV.B.]

- Yes
 No

Describe those modifications:

Developed and implemented an Education Brochure. Initiated inquires with Stearns County regarding working with them.

MCM 3: Illicit Discharge Detection and Elimination

The following questions refer to Part III.D.3. of the Permit.

Q19 Between January 1, 2014 and December 31, 2014, did you update your regulatory mechanism(s) which prohibits non-stormwater discharges to your MS4?

- Yes
 No

Q20 Between January 1, 2014 and December 31, 2014, what was the status of this regulatory mechanism(s)?

Current regulatory mechanism sufficient

Optional, describe status:

Q21 Did you identify any illicit discharges between January 1, 2014 and December 31, 2014? [Part III.D.3.h.(4)]

- Yes
 No

Q30 Do you have written Enforcement Response Procedures (ERPs) to compel compliance with your illicit discharge regulatory mechanism(s)? [Part III.B.]

- Yes
 No

Q32 Did you train all field staff in illicit discharge recognition (including conditions which could cause illicit discharges) and reporting illicit discharges for further investigations? [Part III.D.3.e.]

- Yes
 No

Q33 How did you train your field staff? Check all that apply.

- Email
 PowerPoint
 Presentation
 Video
 Field Training
 Other

Other, describe:

Went to classes put on by others.

The following questions refer to Part III.C.1. of the Permit.

Q34 Did you update your storm sewer system map between January 1, 2014 and December 31, 2014? [Part III.C.1.]

- Yes
 No

Q35 Does your storm sewer map include all pipes 12 inches or greater in diameter and the direction of stormwater flow in those pipes? [Part III.C.1.a.]

- Yes
 No

Q36 Does your storm sewer map include outfalls, including a unique identification (ID) number and an associated geographic coordinate? [Part III.C.1.b.]

- Yes
 No

Q37 Does your storm sewer map include all structural stormwater BMPs that are part of your MS4? [Part III.C.1.c.]

- Yes
 No

Q38 Does your storm sewer map include all receiving waters? [Part III.C.1.d.]

- Yes
 No

Q39 In what format is your storm sewer map available?

- Hardcopy only
- GIS
- CAD
- Other

Q40 Between January 1, 2014 and December 31, 2014, did you modify your BMPs, measurable goals, or future plans for your illicit discharge detection and elimination (IDDE) program? [Part IV.B.]

- Yes
- No

MCM 4: Construction Site Stormwater Runoff Control

The following questions refer to Part III.D.4. of the Permit.

Q41 Between January 1, 2014 and December 31, 2014, did you update your regulatory mechanism to be at least as stringent as the Agency's general permit to Discharge Stormwater Associated with Construction Activity (CSW Permit) No. MN R100001 (<http://www.pca.state.mn.us/index.php/view-document.html?gid=18984>) for erosion and sediment controls and waste controls? [Part III.D.4.a.]

- Yes
- No

Q42 Between January 1, 2014 and December 31, 2014, what was the status of this regulatory mechanism?

Development



Optional, describe status:

1. Have tried to work with Stearns County to no avail in a partnership 2. Have reviewed other documents and have a draft started. 3. Anticipate final document in late summer

Q43 Have you developed written procedures for site plan reviews as required by the Permit? [Part III.D.4.b.]

- Yes
- No

Q44 Have you documented each site plan review as required by the Permit? [Part III.D.4.f.]

- Yes
- No

Q45 Enter the number of site plan reviews conducted for sites an acre or greater between January 1, 2014 and December 31, 2014:

0

Q46

What types of enforcement actions do you have available to compel compliance with your regulatory mechanism? Check all that apply and enter the number of each used from January 1, 2014 to December 31, 2014.

- Verbal warnings
- Notice of violation
- Administrative orders
- Stop-work orders
- Fines
- Forfeit of security of bond money
- Withholding of certificate of occupancy
- Criminal actions
- Civil penalties
- Other

Other, describe:

No enforcement actions taken or needed.

Enter the number of 'other' issued: 0

Q47 Do you have written Enforcement Response Procedures (ERPs) to compel compliance with your construction site stormwater runoff control regulatory mechanism(s)? [Part III.B.]

- Yes
- No

Q48 Between January 1, 2014 and December 31, 2014, what was the status of your ERPs?

Research

Optional, describe status:

Work in progress

Q49 Enter the number of active construction sites an acre or greater that were in your jurisdiction between January 1, 2014 and December 31, 2014:

0

Q50 Do you have written procedures for identifying priority sites? [Part III.D.4.d.(1)]

- Yes
- No

Q52 Do you have a checklist or other written means to document site inspections when determining compliance? [Part III.D.4.d.(4)]

- Yes
- No

Q53 Enter the number of site inspections conducted for sites an acre or greater between January 1, 2014 and December 31, 2014:

0

Q54 Enter the frequency at which site inspections are conducted (e.g. daily, weekly, monthly): [Part III.D.4.d.(2)]

Monthly

Q55 Enter the number of trained inspectors that were available for construction site inspections between January 1, 2014 and December 31, 2014:

0

Q56 Provide the contact information for the inspector(s) and/or organization that conducts construction stormwater inspections for your MS4. List your primary construction stormwater contact first if you have multiple inspectors.

(1) Inspector name	George Fiedler
Organization	Brockway Township
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Phone (Work Cell)	320-333-2509
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Preferred contact method	Cell phone
(2) Inspector name	
Organization	
Phone (Office)	
Phone (Work Cell)	
Email	
Preferred contact method	
(3) Inspector name	
Organization	
Phone (Office)	
Phone (Work Cell)	
Email	
Preferred contact method	

Q58 Between January 1, 2014 and December 31, 2014, did you modify your BMPs, measurable goals, or future plans for your construction site stormwater runoff control program? [Part IV.B.]

- Yes
 No

MCM 5: Post-Construction Stormwater Management

The following questions refer to Part III.D.5. of the Permit.

Q59 Between January 1, 2014 and December 31, 2014, did you update your regulatory mechanism(s) to incorporate all requirements as specified in Part III.D.5.a. of the Permit?

- Yes
 No

Q60 Between January 1, 2014 and December 31, 2014, what was the status of this regulatory mechanism?

Current regulatory mechanism sufficient

Optional, describe status:

Q61 What approach are you using, or planning to use, to meet the performance standard for Volume, Total Suspended Solids (TSS), and Total Phosphorus (TP) as required by the Permit? [Part III.D.5.a.(2)]

Check all that apply.

Refer to the link <http://www.pca.state.mn.us/index.php/view-document.html?gid=17815> for guidance on stormwater management approaches.

- Retain a runoff volume equal to one inch times the area of the proposed increase of impervious surfaces on-site
- Retain the post-construction runoff volume on site for the 95th percentile storm
- Match the pre-development runoff conditions
- Adopt the Minimal Impact Design Standards (MIDS)
- An approach has not been selected
- Other method (Must be technically defensible--e.g. based on modeling, research and acceptable engineering practices)

Q62 Do you have written Enforcement Response Procedures (ERPs) to compel compliance with your post-construction stormwater management regulatory mechanism(s)? [Part III.B.]

- Yes
 No

Q64 Between January 1, 2014 and December 31, 2014, did you modify your BMPs, measurable goals, or future plans for your post-construction stormwater management program? [Part IV.B.]

- Yes
 No

MCM 6: Pollution Prevention/Good Housekeeping for Municipal Operations

The following questions refer to Part III.D.6. of the Permit.

Q65 Enter the total number of structural stormwater BMPs, outfalls (excluding underground outfalls), and ponds within your MS4 (exclude privately owned).

Structural stormwater BMPs	<input type="text" value="0"/>
Outfalls	<input type="text" value="0"/>
Ponds	<input type="text" value="3"/>

Q66 Enter the number of structural stormwater BMPs, outfalls (excluding underground outfalls), and ponds that were inspected from January 1, 2014 to December 31, 2014 within your MS4 (exclude privately owned). [Part III.D.6.e.]

Structural stormwater BMPs	<input type="text" value="0"/>
Outfalls	<input type="text" value="0"/>
Ponds	<input type="text" value="3"/>

Q67 Have you developed an alternative inspection frequency for any structural stormwater BMPs, as allowed in Part III.D.6.e.(1) of the Permit?

- Yes
 No

Q68 Based on inspection findings, did you conduct any maintenance on any structural stormwater BMPs? [Part III.D.6.e.(1)]

- Yes
 No

Q70 Do you own or operate any stockpiles, and/or storage and material handling areas? [Part III.D.6.e.(3)]

- Yes
 No

Q74 Between January 1, 2014 and December 31, 2014, did you modify your BMPs, measurable goals, or future plans for your pollution prevention/good housekeeping for municipal operations program? [Part IV.B.]

- Yes
 No

Partnerships

Q83

Did you rely on any other regulated MS4s to satisfy one or more Permit requirements?

- Yes
 No

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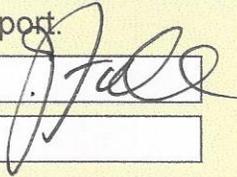
The person with overall administrative responsibility for SWPPP implementation and Permit compliance must certify this MS4 Annual Report. This person must be duly authorized and should be either a principal executive (i.e., Director of Public Works, City Administrator) or ranking elected official (i.e., Mayor, Township Supervisor).

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Yes

By typing my name in the following box, I certify the above statements to be true and correct, to the best of my knowledge, and that information can be used for the purpose of processing my MS4 Annual Report.

Name:

Fiedler, George 

Title:

Supervisor

Date:

(mm/dd/yyyy)

05/15/2015

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