

Ordinance Changes Summary – Changes for improved clarity

- Article 1: General Provisions
 - Updated ordinance purpose
 - Changed all references from Director of Environmental Services to Director of Public Works & Transportation
 - Updated list of abbreviations and verified all references to federal codes and applicability
 - Updated list of definitions including “Waters of the United States”
- Article 2: General Prohibitions
 - Changed affirmative defense regarding discharges to the MS4 from 15 calendar days to 7 calendar days
- Article 3: Specific Prohibitions
 - Added specific prohibition for discharges from portable restrooms or temporary sanitary facilities
 - Removed all referenced to Item G: Used Oil Regulation (to be covered in a separate article)
 - Added specific language pertaining to pesticide, herbicide, and fertilizers (i.e. display notice for retail sale)
 - Added specific requirements associated with illicit connections (connections to stormwater system unlawful)
 - Added language specific to watercourse protection
 - Intent is to address illegal dumping issues on private property
- Article 7: Right of Entry
 - Formerly “Compliance Monitoring” article. Name updated to reflect the subject of the article.
- Article 8: Release Reporting
 - Updated reporting procedures for citizens
 - Separated and updated release reporting requirements for operators and owners of commercial and industrial facilities.
- Article 10: Right to Reconsideration, Hearing, and Appeal
 - Updated references to other articles in the ordinance
- Article 11: Miscellaneous Provisions
 - Updated article and section numbers

- No changes to ordinance language currently required
- Article 12: Municipal Stormwater (Drainage Utility System)
 - Updated article and section numbers
 - No changes to ordinance language currently required
- All Chapters
 - Changed “storm water” to “stormwater” – as one word is the current practice