# NOTICE OF INTENT

## For Coverage Under the NPDES General Permit for Storm Water Discharges from Small Municipal Separate Storm Sewer Systems (MS4s)

NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF Environmental Services

## A. Instructions

**Important:** When filling out forms on the computer, use only the tab key to move your cursor - do not use the return key.

Submission of this Notice of Intent constitutes notice that the entity named at item B1. of this form intends to be authorized by the NPDES General Permit issued by EPA for storm water discharges from the small municipal separate storm sewer system (MS4), in the location identified at item B2. of this form. Submission of the Notice of Intent also constitutes notice that the party identified at item B1. has read, understands and meets the eligibility conditions of Part I.B. of the NPDES Small MS4 General Permit, agrees to comply with all applicable terms and conditions of the NPDES Small MS4 General Permit, and understands that continued authorization to discharge is contingent on maintaining eligibility for coverage. **In order to be granted coverage, all of the information required on this Notice of Intent form and the separate Storm Water Management Program (SWMP) Implementation Schedule form (Excel Spreadsheet), must be completed. Please read the permit and make sure you comply with all requirements, including the requirement to develop and implement a storm water management program.**

## B. Applicant Information

1. Small MS4 Operator/Owner Information:

   Town of New Castle
   Name

   49 Main Street
   Mailing Address

   New Castle — New Hampshire 03854
   City/Town — State

   (603) 431-6710 — 
   Telephone Number — Email (if available)

2. Municipality Name

   Town of New Castle
   City/Town

3. Legal Status:

   ☐ Federal ☒ City/Town ☐ State ☐ County ☐ Private

   ☐ Other public entity: _____ Specify Public Entity

4. Other regulated MS4(s) within municipal boundaries:

   US Coast Guard Station (Portsmouth Harbor), Fort Constitution, Fort Stark, Wentworth-By-The-Sea

5. Based on the instructions provided in Part I of the NPDES Small MS4 General Permit, have the eligibility criteria for "listed species" and critical habitat been met?

   ☐ yes ☒ pending ☐ no

Letters have been drafted to the New Hampshire Natural Heritage Division inquiring as to whether the Town's MS4 discharges impact any "listed species" or their habitats.

## B. Applicant Information (cont.)

6. Based on the instructions provided in Part I of the NPDES Small MS4 General Permit, have the eligibility criteria for protection of historic properties been met?

☐ yes ☒ pending ☐ no

A letter has been drafted to the New Hampshire Division of Historic Resources inquiring about whether any of the Town's MS4 discharges impact any historic place.

**Note:** Section C may be duplicated to accommodate a larger list of receiving waters

## C. Names of (Presently Known) Receiving Waters

| Receiving Water: | No. of Outfalls | Listed as Impaired? | Impairment |
|---|---|---|---|
| Little Harbor (Name) | 1 (Number) | ☒ Yes ☐ No | PCB's, Dioxin, F. Colliform (Specify) |
| Portsmouth Harbor (Lower) (Name) | 7 (Number) | ☒ Yes ☐ No | PCB's and Dioxins (Specify) |
| (Name) | (Number) | ☐ Yes ☐ No | (Specify) |
| (Name) | (Number) | ☐ Yes ☐ No | (Specify) |
| (Name) | (Number) | ☐ Yes ☐ No | (Specify) |
| (Name) | (Number) | ☐ Yes ☐ No | (Specify) |
| (Name) | (Number) | ☐ Yes ☐ No | (Specify) |
| (Name) | (Number) | ☐ Yes ☐ No | (Specify) |
| (Name) | (Number) | ☐ Yes ☐ No | (Specify) |
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| (Name) | (Number) | ☐ Yes ☐ No | (Specify) |
| (Name) | (Number) | ☐ Yes ☐ No | (Specify) |
| (Name) | (Number) | ☐ Yes ☐ No | (Specify) |

# D. Storm Water Management Program Summary

1. Public Education:

| BMP ID # | Specify Best Management Practice | Responsible Dept./Person Name | Specify Measurable Goal |
|---|---|---|---|
| NC1-001 | Quarterly Newsletter | Brad Meade | Add article re: Storm water |
| NC1-002 | Household Hazardous Waste | Brad Meade | Increase # disposing HHzW |
| NC1-003 | Pet Waste Management | Brad Meade | Stronger Enforcement |
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2. Public Participation:

| BMP ID # | Specify Best Management Practice | Responsible Dept./Person Name | Specify Measurable Goal |
|---|---|---|---|
| NC2-001 | Conservation Commission | Brad Meade | Increase Funding |
| NC2-002 | Storm Drain Stenciling | Brad Meade | Stencil all drains |
| NC2-003 | Adopt-a-Highway Program | Brad Meade | Continue existing program |
| NC2-004 | Beach Cleaning Program | Brad Meade | Continue existing program |
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# D. Storm Water Management Program Summary (Cont.)

3. Illicit Discharge Detection and Elimination:

| BMP ID # | Specify Best Management Practice | Responsible Dept./Person Name | Specify Measurable Goal |
|---|---|---|---|
| NC3-001 | Police Education | Brad Meade | Educate all force |
| NC3-002 | Septic System Management | Brad Meade | Educate all septic users |
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4. Construction Site Runoff Control:

| BMP ID # | Specify Best Management Practice | Responsible Dept./Person Name | Specify Measurable Goal |
|---|---|---|---|
| NC4-001 | Planning Board Site Plan Review | Brad Meade | Revise ordinances if needed |
| NC4-002 | Building site inspection | Brad Meade | Increase # of inspections |
| NC4-003 | Hay Bale and Silt Fence | Brad Meade | Increase use of such |
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# D. Storm Water Management Program Summary (Cont.)

5. Post Construction Runoff Control:

| BMP ID # | Specify Best Management Practice | Responsible Dept./Person Name | Specify Measurable Goal |
|---|---|---|---|
| NC5-001 | Investigate vegetative drain areas | Brad Meade | Inspect/improve all drain areas |
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6. Municipal Good Housekeeping:

| BMP ID # | Specify Best Management Practice | Responsible Dept./Person Name | Specify Measurable Goal |
|---|---|---|---|
| NC6-001 | Purchase new snow plow | Brad Meade | Purchase/maintain new plow |
| NC6-002 | Inspect Common and Beach | Brad Meade | Continue existing program |
| NC6-003 | Street cleaning | Brad Meade | Do 2x/year up from once |
| NC6-004 | Lawn Care | Brad Meade | Continue existing practices to limit use of fertilizer/pesticides |
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## D. Stormwater Management Program Summary (cont.)

7. BMPs for Meeting Requirements of Part I.C. (Discharges to Water Quality Impaired Waters) and Part I.D. (Total Maximum Daily Load Allocations):

**NOT APPLICABLE AT THIS TIME**

BMP ID #

Specify Best Management Practice | Responsible Dept./Person Name | Specify Measurable Goal

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## E. Certification

I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, I certify that the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations.

Robert Beecher, Chairman, New Castle Board of Selectmen
Printed Name

Signature

8/30/03
Date