Notice of Intent (NOI) for Coverage under Small MS4 General Permit

Part One: General Conditions
General Information
Name of Municipality or Organization: City of Manchester
State: New Hampshire
EPA NPDES Permit Number (if applicable): NHR041017
Primary MS4 Program Manager Contact Information
Name: Frederick J. McNeill, P.E.
<u>Title:</u> Chief Engineer – Environmental Protection Division (EPD)
Street Address Line 1: 300 Winston Street
<u>City:</u> Manchester <u>State:</u> NH <u>Zip Code:</u> 03103
Email: fmcneill@manchesternh.gov Phone Number: (603) 624-6341
Fax Number: (603) 628-6234
Other Information
Eligibility Determination
Endangered Species Act (ESA) Determination Complete?: Yes
Eligibility Criteria (check all that apply):
$A \square B \square C X$
National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA) Determination Complete?: Yes
Eligibility Criteria (check all that apply): A X B \square C \square D \square
X Check the box if your municipality or organization was covered under the 2003 MS4

General Permit

MS4 Infrastructure (if covered under the 2003	3 permit)
Estimated Percent of Outfall Map	Yes Complete?
(Part II, III, IV or V, Subpart B.3.(a) of 2003	permit?
If 100% of 2003 requirements not met, enter	an estimated date of completion
(MM/DD/YY): n/a	
Web address where MS4 map is published:	http://www.manchesternh.gov/gis
If outfall map is unavailable on the internet an electron (see section V for submission options)	nic or paper copy if the outfall map must be included with NOI submission
Regulatory Authorities (if covered under the	ne 2003 permit)
Illicit Discharge Detection and Elimination (ID	DDE) Authority Yes Adopted?
(Part II, III, IV, or V, Subpart B.3.(b) of 2003 permit)	
Effective Date or Estimated Date of Adoption	08/01/03 (MM/DD/YY):
Construction/Erosion and Sediment Control (I	ESC) Authority Yes Adopted?
(Part II, III, IV, or V, Subpart B.4(a) of 2003 permit)	
Effective Date or Estimated Date of Adoption	12/05/06 (MM/DD/YY):
Post-Construction Stormwater Management A	Adopted? Yes
(Part II, III, IV, or V, Subpart B.5.(a) of 2003 permit)	

(MM/DD/YY):

12/05/06

Effective Date or Estimated Date of Adoption

Part II: Summary of Receiving Waters

Please list the waterbodies to which your MS4 discharges. For each waterbody, please report the number of outfalls discharging into it and, if applicable, the segment ID and any impairments.

New Hampshire list of impaired waters:

Waterbody segment that receives flow from the MS4	Number of outfalls into receiving water segment	Chloride	Chlorophyll-a	Dissolved Oxygen/ DO Saturation	Nitrogen	Oil & Grease/PAH	Phosphorous	Solids/TSS/Turbidity	E. Coli	Enterococcus	Other pollutant(s) causing impairments
BAKER BROOK (NHRIV700060803- 08)	29	X									Mercury
BLACK BROOK (NHRIV700060801- 05-02)	10										Mercury, Benthic- Macroinvertebrate Bioassessments (Streams), pH
BLACK BROOK – HARDY BROOK (NHRIV700060801-05-01)	0			X							Lead, pH, Mercury
COHAS BROOK (NHRIV700060703- 07)	1										Mercury
COHAS BROOK (NHRIV700060703- 08)	27										Mercury, pH
COHAS BROOK (NHRIV700060703- 09)	1								X		Mercury
COHAS BROOK - LONG POND BROOK (NHRIV700060703-05)	18								X		Mercury, Habitat Assessment (Streams), Benthic- Macroinvertebrate Bioassessments (Streams), pH
COUNTRYSIDE VILLAGE DET POND DAM (NHIMP700060802-07)	3										Mercury
CRYSTAL LAKE (NHLAK700060703- 02-01)	2			X							Mercury

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CRYSTAL LAKE - MELODY PINES DAY CAMP BEACH (NHLAK700060703-02-03)	0			X							Mercury
CRYSTAL LAKE-TOWN BEACH (NHLAK700060703-02-02)	0			X					X		Mercury
DORRS POND (NHLAK700060802- 01)	3	X	X	X			X				Mercury
DORRS POND INLET BROOK (NHRIV700060802-13)	5	X									Mercury
DORRS POND-E INLET (NHRIV700060802-16)	3	X									Mercury
HUMPHREY BROOK (NHRIV700060803-15)	17	X									Mercury
HUMPHREY BROOK - UNNAMED BROOK (NHRIV700060803-07)	18										Mercury
LITTLE COHAS BROOK – UNNAMED BROOK (NHRIV700060804-05)	2	X		X							Benthic-Macroinvertebrate Bioassessments (Streams), Iron, pH, Mercury
LONG POND (NHLAK700060703-03)	0										Mercury
LONG POND - CAMP CARPENTER BEACH (NHLAK700060703-03-02)	0										Mercury
MCQUESTEN BROOK (NHRIV700060803-16)	2	X		X							Mercury, pH
MERRIMACK RIVER - AMOSKEAG DAM (NHIMP700060802-04)	19								X		Mercury
MERRIMACK RIVER (NHRIV700060803-14-02)	90								X		Mercury, Aluminum, pH
MERRIMACK RIVER - AMOSKEAG DAM BYPASS (NHRIV700060803-14- 01)	4										Mercury

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MERRIMACK RIVER (NHRIV700060804-11)	6								X		Mercury
MILESTONE BROOK - UNNAMED BROOK (NHRIV700060802-10)	18										Mercury
NAMASKE LAKE (NHLAK700060607-02)	2		X				X		X		Mercury, Non-Native Aquatic Plants, pH
NUTT POND (NHLAK700060803-01)	4	X	X	X			X				Mercury, Non-Native Aquatic Plants, pH
PINE ISLAND POND (NHLAK700060703-04)	3		X	X							Mercury, Cyanobacteria hepatotoxic microcystins, pH
PISCATAQUOG RIVER (NHRIV700060607-22)	14								X		Mercury, pH
RAYS BROOK (NHRIV700060802- 15)	8	X							X		Mercury
SAINT ANSELM BROOK - TO PISCATAQUOG RIVER (NHRIV700060607-35)	1			X					X		Mercury, pH
SOUTH PERIMETER BROOK (NHRIV700060804-12)	0	X									Iron, Mercury
STEVENS POND (NHLAK700060803-02)	8	X	X	X							Mercury, pH
UNNAMED BROOK (NHRIV700060702-09)	6										Mercury
UNNAMED BROOK – TO GOLDFISH POND (NHRIV700060802-12)	3										Mercury
UNNAMED BROOK (NHRIV700060702-12)	4										Mercury
UNNAMED BROOK (NHRIV700060703-10)	0										Mercury

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UNNAMED BROOK (NHRIV700060703-13)	0										Mercury
UNNAMED BROOK (NHRIV700060802-17)	1										Mercury
UNNAMED BROOK (NHRIV700060802-30)	9										Mercury
UNNAMED BROOK (NHRIV700060803-17)	5										Mercury
UNNAMED BROOK – THRU NEW ST JOHN'S CEMETARY (NHRIV700060803-06)	4										Mercury
UNNAMED BROOK - TO COHAS BROOK (NHRIV700060703-06)	37										Mercury
UNNAMED BROOK – TO MERRIMACK RIVER (NHRIV700060802-11)	4										Mercury
UNNAMED BROOK - TO MERRIMACK RIVER (NHRIV700060804-06)	5										Mercury
UNNAMED BROOKS - TO MASSABESIC LAKE (NHRIV700060702-04)	28										Mercury
WATTS BROOK (NHRIV700060804- 08)	2										Mercury

Part III: Stormwater Management Program Summary

Identify the Best Management Practices (BMPs) that will be employed to address each of the six Minimum Control Measures (MCMs).

For each MCM, list each existing or proposed BMP by category and provide a brief description, responsible parties/departments, measurable goals, and the year the BMP will be employed (public education and outreach BMPs also requires a target audience.) **Use the drop-down menus in each table or enter your own to text to override the drop down menu**.

MCM 1: Public Education and Outreach

BMP Media/Category	BMP Description	Targeted Audience	Responsible Department/Parties	Measurable Goal	Beginning Year of BMP
Varying promotional materials that may include brochures/ pamphlets, website,	Distribute information in spring on fertilizer and	Residents	DPW – EPD NH Regional Stormwater Coalition	# of promotional materials distributed	Implementation 2019
signage, press releases	grass clippings using NH Stormwater Coalition outreach materials & framework		See: https://www4.des.state.nh.us/nh-ms4/?page_id=54	# of hits to webpage	
Varying promotional materials that may include brochures/ pamphlets, website, signage, press releases	Distribute information in the summer on management of pet waste using NH Stormwater Coalition outreach materials & framework	Residents	DPW – EPD NH Regional Stormwater Coalition See: https://www4.des.state.nh.us/nh-ms4/?page_id=54	# of promotional materials distributed # of hits to webpage	2019

BMP Media/Category	BMP Description	Targeted Audience	Responsible Department/Parties	Measurable Goal	Beginning Year of BMP Implementation
Varying promotional materials that may include brochures/ pamphlets, website, signage, press releases	Distribute information in the fall on disposal of leaf litter using NH Stormwater Coalition outreach materials & framework	Residents	DPW – EPD NH Regional Stormwater Coalition See: https://www4.des.state.nh.us/nh-ms4/?page_id=54	# of promotional materials distributed # of hits to webpage	2019
Website	Incorporate information on lawn care, infiltration, automotive maintenance, and car washing on website	Residents	DPW – EPD NH Regional Stormwater Coalition See: https://www4.des.state.nh.us/nh-ms4/?page_id=54	# of hits to webpage	2019
Varying promotional materials that may include brochures/ pamphlets, website, signage, press releases	Distribute information in spring on fertilizer and grass clippings using NH Stormwater Coalition outreach materials & framework	Businesses, Institutions and Commercial Facilities	DPW – EPD NH Regional Stormwater Coalition See: https://www4.des.state.nh.us/nh-ms4/?page_id=54	# of promotional materials distributed # of hits to webpage	2019
Varying promotional materials that may include brochures/ pamphlets, website, signage, press releases	Distribute information in the summer on management of pet waste using NH Stormwater Coalition outreach materials & framework	Businesses, Institutions and Commercial Facilities	DPW – EPD NH Regional Stormwater Coalition See: https://www4.des.state.nh.us/nh-ms4/?page_id=54	# of promotional materials distributed # of hits to webpage	2019

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Varying promotional materials that may include brochures/ pamphlets, website, signage, press releases	Distribute information in the fall on disposal of leaf litter using NH Stormwater Coalition outreach materials & framework	Businesses, Institutions and Commercial Facilities	DPW – EPD NH Regional Stormwater Coalition See: https://www4.des.state.nh.us/nh-ms4/?page_id=54	# of promotional materials distributed # of hits to webpage	2019
Website	Incorporate information on lawn maintenance, infiltration, building maintenance, salt use & storage, material & waste management & storage, and parking lot maintenance on website	Businesses, Institutions, and Commercial Facilities	DPW – EPD NH Regional Stormwater Coalition See: https://www4.des.state.nh.us/nh-ms4/?page_id=54	# of hits to webpage	2019
Brochures/pamphlets	Distribute information on sediment & erosion control management, LID and CGP in City Hall using NH Stormwater Coalition outreach materials	Developers (construction)	DPW – EPD NH Regional Stormwater Coalition See: https://www4.des.state.nh.us/nh-ms4/?page_id=54	# of promotional materials distributed	2019

BMP Media/Category	BMP Description	Targeted Audience	Responsible Department/Parties	Measurable Goal	Beginning Year of BMP Implementation
Website	Incorporate information on sediment & erosion control management, LID and CGP on website with application materials	Developers (construction)	DPW – EPD NH Regional Stormwater Coalition See: https://www4.des.state.nh.us/nh-ms4/?page_id=54	# of hits to webpage	2019
Brochures/Pamphlets	Distribute information on equipment inspection & maintenance, material storage, waste management, salt use & storage, infiltration, parking lot maintenance and MSGP at City Hall	Industrial Facilities	DPW – EPD NH Regional Stormwater Coalition See: https://www4.des.state.nh.us/nh-ms4/?page_id=54	# of promotional materials distributed	2019
Website	Incorporate information on equipment inspection & maintenance, material storage, waste management, salt use & storage, infiltration, parking lot maintenance and MSGP on website	Industrial Facilities	DPW – EPD NH Regional Stormwater Coalition See: https://www4.des.state.nh.us/nh-ms4/?page_id=54	# of hits to webpage	2019

MCM 2: Public Involvement and Participation

BMP Categorization	Brief BMP Description	Responsible Department/Parties	Additional Description/ Measurable Goal	Beginning Year of BMP Implementation
Public Review	SWMP Review: SWMP will be posted on the town/city website for public review. The SWMP will be reviewed annually and updated/revised as necessary.	Department of Public Works/Environmental Protection Division	Allow annual review of stormwater management plan and posting of stormwater management plan on website	2019
Public Participation	The SWMP will be presented or communicated to the public with opportunity for comment. Meeting minutes will record public comments.	Department of Public Works/Environmental Protection Division	Allow public to comment on stormwater management plan annually	2019

MCM 3: Illicit Discharge Detection and Elimination (IDDE)

BMP Categorization	BMP Description	Responsible	Measurable Goal
		Department/Parties	
Sanitary Sewer Overflow	Develop SSO inventory in	Department of Public	Complete within 1 year of
(SSO) inventory	accordance of permit	Works/Environmental	effective date of permit
	conditions	Protection Division	
Storm sewer system map	Create map and update	Department of Public	Update map within 2 years
	during IDDE program	Works/Environmental	of effective date of permit
	completion	Protection Division	and complete full system
			map 10 years after effective
			date of permit
Written IDDE program	Create written IDDE	Department of Public	Complete within 1 year of
development	program	Works/Environmental	the effective date of permit
		Protection Division	and update as required
Implement IDDE program	Implement catchment	Department of Public	Complete 10 years after
	investigations according to	Works/Environmental	effective date of permit
	program and permit	Protection Division	
	conditions		
Employee training	Train employees in IDDE	Department of Public	Train annually
	implementation	Works/Environmental	
		Protection Division	
Conduct dry weather	Conduct in accordance with	Department of Public	Complete 3 years after
screening	outfall screening procedure	Works/Environmental	effective date of permit
	and permit conditions	Protection Division	
Conduct wet weather	Conduct in accordance with	Department of Public	Complete 10 years after
screening	outfall screening procedure	Works/Environmental	effective date of permit
		Protection Division	
Ongoing screening	Conduct dry weather and	Department of Public	Complete ongoing outfall
	wet weather screening (as	Works/Environmental	screening on completion of
	necessary)	Protection Division	IDDE program

MCM 4: Construction Site Stormwater Runoff Control

BMP Categorization	BMP Description	Responsible	Measurable Goal
_	_	Department/Parties	
Site inspection and	Complete written	DPW/Environmental	Complete within 1 year of
enforcement of Erosion and	procedures of site	Protection	the effective date of permit
Sediment Control (ESC)	inspections and enforcement	Division/Planning	
measures	procedures	Department	
Site Plan Review	Complete written	DPW/Environmental	Complete within 1 year of
	procedures of site plan	Protection	the effective date of permit
	review and begin	Division/Planning	_
	implementation	Department	
Erosion and sediment	Adoption of requirements	DPW/Environmental	Complete within 1 year of
Control	for construction operators to	Protection	the effective date of permit
	implement a sediment and	Division/Planning	
	erosion control program	Department	
Waste Control	Adoption of requirements to	DPW/Environmental	Complete within 1 year of
	control wastes, including	Protection	the effective date of permit
	but not limited to, discarded	Division/Planning	_
	building materials, concrete	Department	
	truck wash out, chemicals,		
	litter, and sanitary wastes		

MCM 5: Post-Construction Stormwater Management in New Development and Redevelopment

BMP Categorization	BMP Description	Responsible Department/ Parties	Measurable Goal
As-built plans for on-site stormwater control	The procedures to require submission of as-built drawings and ensure long term operation and maintenance will be a part of the SWMP	DPW/Environmental Protection Division/Planning Department	Require submission of asbuilt plans for completed projects
Target properties to reduce impervious areas	Complete an inventory and priority ranking of permitee-owned property and existing infrastructure that could be retrofitted with BMPs designed to reduce the frequency, volume and pollutant loads of stormwater discharges to its MS4 through the mitigation of impervious area	DPW/Environmental Protection Division/Planning Department	Complete 4 years after effective date of permit and report annually on retrofitted properties
Allow green infrastructure	Develop a report assessing existing local regulations to determine the feasibility of making green infrastructure practices allowable when appropriate site conditions exist	DPW/Environmental Protection Division/Planning Department	Complete 4 years after effective date of permit and implement recommendations of report
Street design and parking lot guidelines	Develop a report assessing requirements that affect the creation of impervious cover. The assessment will help determine if changes to design standards for streets and parking lots can be modified to support low impact design options.	DPW/Environmental Protection Division/Planning Department	Complete 4 years after effective date of permit and implement recommendations of report
Ensure any stormwater controls or management practices for new development and redevelopment meet the retention or treatment requirements of the permit and consistent with the Southeast Watershed Alliance's Model Stormwater Standards for Coastal Watershed Communities	Adoption, amendment, or modification of a regulatory mechanism to meet permit requirements	DPW/Environmental Protection Division/Planning Department	Complete 2 years after effective date of permit

MCM 6: Municipal Good Housekeeping and Pollution Prevention

BMP Categorization	BMP Description	Responsible Department/Parties	Measurable Goal	Beginning Year of BMP
Categorization		Department/1 arties		Implementation
O&M procedures	Create written O&M procedures including all requirements contained in 2.3.7.1 for parks and open spaces, buildings and facilities, and vehicles and equipment	Department of Public Works/Environmental Protection Division	Complete and implement 2 years after effective date of permit	2019
Inventory all permittee-owned parks and open spaces, buildings and facilities, and vehicles and equipment	Create inventory	Department of Public Works/Environmental Protection Division	Complete 2 years after effective date of permit and implement annually	2019
Infrastructure O&M	Establish and implement program for repair and rehabilitation of MS4 infrastructure	Department of Public Works/Environmental Protection Division	Complete 2 years after effective date of permit	2019
Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP)	Create SWPPPs for maintenance garages, transfer stations, and other waste-handling facilities	Department of Public Works/Environmental Protection Division	Complete 2 years after effective date of permit	2019
Catch basin cleaning	Establish schedule for catch basin cleaning such that each catch basin is no more than 50% full and clean catch basins on that schedule	Department of Public Works/Environmental Protection Division	Clean catch basins on established schedule and report number of catch basins cleaned and volume of material moved annually	2019
Street sweeping program	Sweep all streets and permitee-owned parking lots in accordance with permit conditions	Department of Public Works	Sweep all streets and permitee-owned parking lots once per year in the spring	2019

BMP	BMP Description	Responsible	Measurable Goal	Beginning Year of
Categorization		Department/Parties		BMP
_				Implementation
Inspections and	Establish and	Department of Public	Inspect and maintain	2019
maintenance of	implement	Works/Environmental	treatment structures	
stormwater	inspection and	Protection Division	at least annually	
treatment structures	maintenance			
	procedures and			
	frequencies			

Actions for Meeting Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) Requirements

Choose the relevant TMDL conditions, action description to meet the TMDL requirements, and the responsible department/parties from the menu below. If no options are applicable, or more than one, **enter your own text to override drop-down menus.** If submitting a NHDES approved alternative reduction plan, attach and submit it with the NOI.

Applicable TMDL	Action Description	Responsible Department/Parties
New Hampshire Statewide	Adhere to requirements in Part II.1	For all TMDLs:
(Bacteria)	of Appendix F	
		DPW
58 Bacteria Impaired Waters	Adhere to requirements in Part II.1	
(Bacteria)	of Appendix F	EPD
Dorrs Pond (Phosphorous)	Adhere to requirements in Part III.1	Planning & Comm. Development
	of Appendix F	
Nutt Pond (Phosphorus)	Adhere to requirements in Part III.1	Health Department
	of Appendix F	
Pine Island Pond (Phosphorus)	Adhere to requirements in Part III.1	External Contractor or consultant
	of Appendix F	for the City
Stevens Pond (Phosphorus)	Adhere to requirements in Part III.1	
	of Appendix F	

Actions for Meeting Requirements Related to Water Quality Limited Waters

Choose the relevant pollutant causing the water quality limitation and enter the waterbody ID(s) experiencing excursions above water quality standards for that pollutant. Choose the action description from the dropdown menu and indicate the responsible party. If no options are applicable, or more than one, **enter your own text to override drop down menus.**

Pollutant	Waterbody ID(s)	Action Description	Responsible Department/ Parties
E. Coli	NHRIV700060607-22	Adhere to requirements in Part III of Appendix H	For all WQL waters: DPW
Lead Iron	NHRIV700060801-05-01 NHRIV700060804-05 NHRIV700060804-12	Adhere to requirements in Part V of Appendix H	EPD Planning & Comm. Development
Chloride	NHRIV700060804-05 NHRIV700060803-16 NHRIV700060804-12 NHRIV700060803-08 NHLAK700060802-01 NHRIV700060802-13 NHRIV700060802-16 NHRIV700060803-15 NHLAK700060803-01 NHRIV700060803-01 NHRIV700060803-02	Adhere to requirements in Part IV of Appendix H	Health Department External Contractor or consultant for the City
Phosphorous	NHLAK700060607-02	Adhere to requirements in Part II of Appendix H	

Part IV: Notes and additional information

Use the space below to indicate the part(s) of 2.2.2 that you have identified as not possible to your MS4 and provide all supporting documentation below or attach additional documents if necessary.

Provide any additional information about your MS4 program below.

- 1) By submitting this Notice of Intent to Comply with the Provisions of 2017 New Hampshire Small MS4 Permit pursuant to Section 1.7.2, the City of Manchester does not waive any rights it has to object or contest the applicability of any provision or requirement of the Permit, including, but not limited to, any issues raised by any party in the appeal of the Permit before the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit, Case Number 17-1060.
- 2) Per permit section 2.2.1.c, the City of Manchester has no specific waste load allocation or requirement related to mercury impairments listed in Part II. These notes are for informational purposes only, as the source of this impairment is atmospheric deposition.
- 3) The City of Manchester obtained an official species list for threatened and endangered species via the IPaC system (Consultation Code: 05E1NE00-2018-SLI-2385) within the regulated urbanized area. Per the IPaC system, two species exist within the MS4 regulated area: the Northern Long-eared Bat (Myotis septentrionalis) and the Small Whorled Pogonia (Isotria medeoloides). It is our opinion that the current stormwater discharges will have "no effect" on the listed species for the following reasons:
 - a) All stormwater discharges are pre-existing or previously permitted by EPA;
 - b) Any planned operations and maintenance work covered by this permit will only affect previously disturbed areas where stormwater controls are already installed;
 - c) The project implements EPA MS4 Best Management Practices (BMPs). Although permitted discharges may reach the environment used by these species, BMPs reduce pollutants to the extent that discharges are not known to have measurable impacts on these species or their habitat;
 - d) No new construction or structural BMPs are proposed under this permit at this time;
 - e) If structural Best Management Practices (BMPs) not identified on the NOI are proposed for installation or construction during the course of the permit term, the City of Manchester agrees to conduct endangered species screening for the proposed site and contact USFWS if it is determined that the new activity "may affect "or is "not likely to adversely affect" listed species or critical habitat under jurisdiction of the USFWS

Part V: 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 gathered and evaluated 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, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I have no personal knowledge that the information submitted is other than 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.

Name: Frederick J. Mc Neill Title: Chief Engineer

Signature: Menall Date: 9 25 18

[To be signed according to Appendix B, Subparagraph B.11, Standard Conditions]

Note: When prompted during signing, save the document under a new file name.

NOI Submission

Please submit the form electronically via email using the "Submit by Email" button below or send in a CD with your completed NOI. You may also print and submit via mail using the address below if you choose not to submit electronically. The outfall map required in Part 1 of the NOI (if applicable) can be submitted electronically as an email attachment OR as a paper copy.

Permittees that choose to submit their NOI electronically by email or by mailing a CD with the completed NOI form to EPA, will be able to download a partially filled Year 1 Annual Report at a later date from EPA.

Submit by email via this email address: stormwater.reports@epa.gov

Save this NOI document for your records.

EPA Submittal Address:

United States Environmental Protection Agency

5 Post Office Square – Suite 100

Mail Code - OEP06-1

Boston, Massachusetts 02109-3912

ATTN: Thelma Murphy



United States Department of the Interior

FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE

New England Ecological Services Field Office 70 Commercial Street, Suite 300 Concord, NH 03301-5094 Phone: (603) 223-2541 Fax: (603) 223-0104

http://www.fws.gov/newengland



In Reply Refer To: July 13, 2018

Consultation Code: 05E1NE00-2018-SLI-2385

Event Code: 05E1NE00-2018-E-05550 Project Name: Manchester, NH MS4

Subject: List of threatened and endangered species that may occur in your proposed project

location, and/or may be affected by your proposed project

To Whom It May Concern:

The enclosed species list identifies threatened, endangered, proposed and candidate species, as well as proposed and final designated critical habitat, that may occur within the boundary of your proposed project and/or may be affected by your proposed project. The species list fulfills the requirements of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service) under section 7(c) of the Endangered Species Act (Act) of 1973, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*).

New information based on updated surveys, changes in the abundance and distribution of species, changed habitat conditions, or other factors could change this list. Please feel free to contact us if you need more current information or assistance regarding the potential impacts to federally proposed, listed, and candidate species and federally designated and proposed critical habitat. Please note that under 50 CFR 402.12(e) of the regulations implementing section 7 of the Act, the accuracy of this species list should be verified after 90 days. This verification can be completed formally or informally as desired. The Service recommends that verification be completed by visiting the ECOS-IPaC website at regular intervals during project planning and implementation for updates to species lists and information. An updated list may be requested through the ECOS-IPaC system by completing the same process used to receive the enclosed list.

The purpose of the Act is to provide a means whereby threatened and endangered species and the ecosystems upon which they depend may be conserved. Under sections 7(a)(1) and 7(a)(2) of the Act and its implementing regulations (50 CFR 402 et seq.), Federal agencies are required to utilize their authorities to carry out programs for the conservation of threatened and endangered species and to determine whether projects may affect threatened and endangered species and/or designated critical habitat.

A Biological Assessment is required for construction projects (or other undertakings having similar physical impacts) that are major Federal actions significantly affecting the quality of the human environment as defined in the National Environmental Policy Act (42 U.S.C. 4332(2) (c)). For projects other than major construction activities, the Service suggests that a biological evaluation similar to a Biological Assessment be prepared to determine whether the project may affect listed or proposed species and/or designated or proposed critical habitat. Recommended contents of a Biological Assessment are described at 50 CFR 402.12.

If a Federal agency determines, based on the Biological Assessment or biological evaluation, that listed species and/or designated critical habitat may be affected by the proposed project, the agency is required to consult with the Service pursuant to 50 CFR 402. In addition, the Service recommends that candidate species, proposed species and proposed critical habitat be addressed within the consultation. More information on the regulations and procedures for section 7 consultation, including the role of permit or license applicants, can be found in the "Endangered Species Consultation Handbook" at:

http://www.fws.gov/endangered/esa-library/pdf/TOC-GLOS.PDF

Please be aware that bald and golden eagles are protected under the Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act (16 U.S.C. 668 *et seq.*), and projects affecting these species may require development of an eagle conservation plan (http://www.fws.gov/windenergy/eagle_guidance.html). Additionally, wind energy projects should follow the wind energy guidelines (http://www.fws.gov/windenergy/) for minimizing impacts to migratory birds and bats.

Guidance for minimizing impacts to migratory birds for projects including communications towers (e.g., cellular, digital television, radio, and emergency broadcast) can be found at: http://www.fws.gov/migratorybirds/CurrentBirdIssues/Hazards/towers/towers.htm; http://www.towerkill.com; and http://www.fws.gov/migratorybirds/CurrentBirdIssues/Hazards/towers/comtow.html.

We appreciate your concern for threatened and endangered species. The Service encourages Federal agencies to include conservation of threatened and endangered species into their project planning to further the purposes of the Act. Please include the Consultation Tracking Number in the header of this letter with any request for consultation or correspondence about your project that you submit to our office.

Attachment(s):

Official Species List

Official Species List

This list is provided pursuant to Section 7 of the Endangered Species Act, and fulfills the requirement for Federal agencies to "request of the Secretary of the Interior information whether any species which is listed or proposed to be listed may be present in the area of a proposed action".

This species list is provided by:

New England Ecological Services Field Office 70 Commercial Street, Suite 300 Concord, NH 03301-5094 (603) 223-2541

Project Summary

Consultation Code: 05E1NE00-2018-SLI-2385

Event Code: 05E1NE00-2018-E-05550

Project Name: Manchester, NH MS4

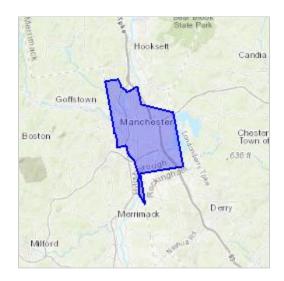
Project Type: Guidance

Project Description: This is for the ongoing operation of the City of Manchester, NH,

Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System (MS4)

Project Location:

Approximate location of the project can be viewed in Google Maps: https://www.google.com/maps/place/42.97100616925185N71.43758920648497W



Counties: Hillsborough, NH | Merrimack, NH | Rockingham, NH

Endangered Species Act Species

There is a total of 2 threatened, endangered, or candidate species on this species list.

Species on this list should be considered in an effects analysis for your project and could include species that exist in another geographic area. For example, certain fish may appear on the species list because a project could affect downstream species.

IPaC does not display listed species or critical habitats under the sole jurisdiction of NOAA Fisheries¹, as USFWS does not have the authority to speak on behalf of NOAA and the Department of Commerce.

See the "Critical habitats" section below for those critical habitats that lie wholly or partially within your project area under this office's jurisdiction. Please contact the designated FWS office if you have questions.

1. <u>NOAA Fisheries</u>, also known as the National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), is an office of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration within the Department of Commerce.

Mammals

NAME	STATUS
Northern Long-eared Bat Myotis septentrionalis	Threatened
No critical habitat has been designated for this species	

No critical habitat has been designated for this species. Species profile: https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/9045

Flowering Plants

NAME

Small Whorled Pogonia Isotria medeoloides

Threatened

No critical habitat has been designated for this species. Species profile: https://ecos.fws.gov/ecp/species/1890

Critical habitats

THERE ARE NO CRITICAL HABITATS WITHIN YOUR PROJECT AREA UNDER THIS OFFICE'S JURISDICTION.