



# Construction Storm Water Pollution Control Plan (CSWPCP)

Department of Public Works-Storm Water Management Section

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In order to comply with the Federal Clean Water Act, the State Water Code, City of Chula Vista Storm Water Management and Discharge Control and Grading Ordinances, BMP Design Manual and Jurisdictional Runoff Management Program, the City of Chula Vista requires that property owners complete a Construction Storm Water Pollution Control Plan (CSWPCP) prior to issuance of any permit for all private and public development and redevelopment projects not subject to NPDES Construction General Permit requirements (CGP).

**This form is utilized for all private or public development and redevelopment permit applications not subject to the NPDES Construction General Construction (CGP) including but not limited to:**

- Project that results in disturbance of less than one acre of total land area and are not part of a larger common plan of development or sale; or
- Project that have Grading, Construction, Building and Demolition/Removal approval types or require submittal of grading/construction plans for review and approval; or
- Project that results in disturbance of one to five acres of total land area and can demonstrate that there will be no adverse water quality impacts by applying for a Construction Rainfall Erosivity Waiver.
- Linear underground project that results in disturbance of an acre or more of total land area and are considered regular maintenance projects performed to restore the original line, grade, or capacity of the facility.

Linear underground projects involve the replacement and/or rehabilitation of water, sewer and/or storm drains along with their associated appurtenances in the public Right of Way. Linear Utility projects may also include ADA improvements to curb ramps and sidewalk, street repair from full width to trench limits, and traffic improvements (does not include street resurfacing).

## Section 1: Identify Relevant Project Information

Permit Application Number:

Project Name:

Project address/location:

APN:

Brief Project Description:

Estimate Amount of Disturbed  
Differential Acreage:

Estimated Elevation over entire  
Project Area:

Estimate Project Start Date:

Estimate Project Finish Date:

## Section 2: Owner/Applicant & Contact Information:

Owner Name:

Owner E-mail:

Contact Name:

Contact E-mail:

Contact Address:

City:

State:

Zip Code:

Telephone No.:

Contractor Name:

Company Name:

Telephone No.:

E-mail:

### Section 3: Identify Construction Storm Water BMPs

The purpose of the CSWPCP is to document Best Management Practices (BMPs) that will be implemented to prevent pollutants, including sediment, from entering the storm water conveyance system and receiving waters. The CSWPCP becomes a part of the permit and is subject to enforcement by the City and others.

Unprotected construction sites have the potential to discharge sediment and other pollutants into local waterways. All construction projects are required to reduce pollution to the Maximum Extent Practicable by implementing best management practices (BMPs). The seven major categories as identified in the MS4 Permit (E.4.c) are:

1. Project Planning;
2. Good Site Management “Housekeeping”, including Waste Management;
3. Non Storm Water Management;
4. Erosion Control;
5. Sediment Control;
6. Run-on and Run-off Control; and
7. Active/Passive Sediment Treatment Systems, where applicable

#### **BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES (BMP)**

The BMPs listed in Tables 1 and 2 (attached) will be implemented on a year-round basis throughout the project duration, not solely during seasons in which the probability of a rain event is high. All areas not in use for 14 days will be stabilized (i.e., exposed soil will be covered). Sufficient BMP materials will be maintained on-site to allow implementation and emergency installation in the event of a breach. Locations where BMPs will be implemented are to be shown on the Site Map/plan sheet.

BMPs from each of the above categories must be used together as a system in order to prevent potential pollutant discharges. Projects containing site features identified with a “yes” answer in Table 1 must utilize BMPs from the applicable BMP from Table 2. If no BMPs from a specific table are selected, an explanation must be provided. The questions in Table 1 below are designed to assist with selecting appropriate BMPs for the site; please check “Yes” or “No” and provide additional information if needed)

For BMP implementation details, refer to:

- California Stormwater Quality Association (CASQA) Construction BMP Handbook, online at: <http://www.casqa.org/LeftNavigation/ConstructionBMPHandbookPortalSWPPPTemplate/tabid/200/Default.aspx>, (subscription required); and
- California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) Construction Site BMP Handbook (most current), online at: [http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/construc/stormwater/CSBMPM\\_303\\_Final.pdf](http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/construc/stormwater/CSBMPM_303_Final.pdf).

Note: It is the responsibility of the property owner and the contractor to determine the types of BMPs that will be used, as well as the levels of application necessary to comply with all applicable requirements. Failure to prevent soil erosion and discharges of sediment and other pollutants from construction sites is subject to enforcement by the City and others.

#### **BMP Inspections**

Routine inspections are necessary to ensure the integrity and effectiveness of BMPs, and helps protect a site from unexpected weather events. Project owner or contractor should perform daily inspections to identify BMPs in need of maintenance. Best management practice maintenance requirements are listed in Table 3 below.

**Table 1 - Determination of Site Features, Activities, and Potential Pollutants**

No	Site/Activity Features Questions	No	Yes	If Yes, Select BMPs from Table 2:	Potential Pollutant Sources (add, if not listed)
1	Is there run-on to the site from surrounding areas?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Item H	-
2	Are storm drain inlets located within the project boundary and/or will the site discharge storm water to nearby storm drain inlets?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Items F & H	-
3	Will concentrated flows and/or large accumulations of water occur on-site?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Item H	-
4	Is the site adjacent to a waterway or sensitive habitat (i.e., wetland, vernal pool, etc.)? Note: additional permitting may be required.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Item E	-
6	Will the site have exposed/disturbed slopes greater than 5 percent?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Items A, B, C & D, F	-
7	Will there be soil-disturbance activities (grading, stockpiling, trenching, etc.)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Items A, B, C & D, F, G	Sediment
8	Will there be asphalt paving, cutting, and/or patching?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Item A & J	Asphalt aggregate
9	Will there be stockpiling (i.e., soil, concrete, solid waste, etc.) for over 24 hours?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Item K	Stockpiled material, please specify:
10	Will there be slurries from concrete or mortar mixing, coring, or saw cutting?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Items I, J & K	Concrete materials, aggregate, slurry water
11	Will wash water or liquid waste be generated from this project?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Items I, J & M	Liquid waste, please specify:
12	Will there be dewatering operations?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Item M	Dewatering water, please specify:
13	Will there be on-site storage of construction materials such as mortar mix, raw landscaping and soil stabilization materials, treated lumber, rebar, and plated metal fencing materials?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Item K	Construction materials, please specify:
14	Will trash or solid wastes (including landscaping wastes) be generated from this project?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Item J	Solid waste, please specify:
15	Will hazardous materials or wastes, including paint, be stored or handled on-site?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Item J	Hazardous material, please specify:
16	Will construction equipment and/or vehicles be stored, fueled, maintained, or washed on-site?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Items I, L & M	Engine fluids, fuels, oil, grease, wash water
17	Will portable sanitary facilities ("Porta-potties") be used on the site?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Items I, J	Sanitary waste
18	Are underlying soils potentially contaminated?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Item J	Contaminated soil
19	Will dust (i.e., from grading, driving on unpaved roads, etc.) or particulates (i.e., from sandblasting, concrete cutting, painting, etc.) be generated from this project?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Item N	Sediment, particulate construction materials, please specify:

**TABLE 2 - Minimum Required Standard Construction Stormwater BMPs**

Minimum Required BMPs	References		Check at least one BMP	If no BMP were selected, explain the rationale
	CASQA BMP	Caltrans BMP		
<b>Item A: General Erosion Control BMPs</b>				
Scheduling/Phasing Construction	EC-1	SS-1	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Minimize Slope Length and Gradient	-	-	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Manage Soil Stockpiles	WM-3	WM-3	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Item B: Physical Stabilization BMPs</b>				
Erosion Control Blankets and Turf Reinforced Mats	EC-7	SS-7	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Mulch and Bonded Fiber Matrix	EC-3, EC-5	SS-3	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Soil Binders	EC-5	SS-5	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Mulch	EC-6, EC-8, EC-14	SS-6, SS-8	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Compost Blankets	EC-14	-	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Soil Roughening	EC-15	-	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Topsoil Reapplication	-	-	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Permanent Stabilization (i.e., retaining walls, rock gabions, rock riprap, etc.)	-	-	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Item C: Vegetation Stabilization BMPs</b>				
Preserve Existing Vegetation	EC-2	SS-2	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Establish Interim Vegetation	EC-4	SS-4	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Establish Permanent Landscaping	-	-	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Streambank Stabilization	EC-12	SS-12	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Item D: Perimeter Control BMPs</b>				
Silt Fencing	SE-1	SC-10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Gravel Bag Barriers	SE-6	SC-6	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Fiber Rolls or Straw Wattles	SE-5	SC-5	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Compost Socks and Berms	SE-13	-	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Item E: Resource Protection BMPs</b>				
Linear Protection	SE-1, SE-6, SE-5, SE-13	SC-10, SC-6, SC-5	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Preserve Natural Hydraulic Features & Riparian Area Buffers	-	-	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Demolition Adjacent to Water	NS-15	NS-15	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Temporary Stream Crossing	NS-4	-	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Item F: Sediment Capture BMPs</b>				
Storm Drain Inlet Protection	SE-10	SC-10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Sediment Trap	EC-3	SC-3	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Sedimentation Basin	SE-2	SC-2	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Active Treatment System	SE-11	-	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Item G: Off-Site Sediment Tracking BMPs</b>				
Construction Entrance/Exit Stabilization	TC-1	TC-1	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Construction Road Stabilization	TC-2	-	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Tire Wash	TC-3	TC-3	<input type="checkbox"/>	

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	CASQA BMP	Caltrans BMP		
Street Sweeping and Vacuuming	SE-7	SC-7	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Item H: Run-On and Site Storm Water Management BMPs</b>				
Divert Run-on from Surrounding Areas	EC-9, SE-5, SE-6, SE-13	SC-5, SS-9, SC-6, NS-5	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Check Dams	SE-4	SC-4	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Slope Drains and/or Stabilized Drainage Swales	EC-9, EC-11	SS-9, SS-11	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Outlet Protection	EC-10	SS-10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Item I: Spill Control BMPs</b>				
Spill Prevention and Control	WM-4	WM-4	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Reporting Significant Spills	-	-	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Item J: Waste Management BMPs</b>				
Solid Waste Management	WM-5	WM-5	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Liquid Waste Management	WM-10	WM-10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Contaminated Soil Management	WM-7	WM-7	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Sanitary Waste Management	WM-9	WM-9	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Concrete Waste Management	WM-8	WM-8	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Hazardous Waste Management	WM-6	WM-6	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Stockpiled Waste Management	WM-3	WM-3	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Item K: Material Storage and Handling BMPs</b>				
Material Storage	WM-1	WM-1	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Material Handling	WM-2	WM-2	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Paving and Grinding Operations	NS-3	NS-3	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Concrete Management	NS-12, NS-13, NS-16	NS-12, NS-14	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Item L: Vehicle and Equipment Management BMPs</b>				
Vehicle and Equipment Fueling	NS-9	NS-9	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Vehicle and Equipment Maintenance	NS-10	NS-10	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Item M: Non-Storm Water Management BMPs</b>				
Illicit Connection/Discharge Control	NS-6	NS-6	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Potable Water/Irrigation	NS-7	NS-7	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Vehicle and Equipment/Cleaning	NS-8	NS-8	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Water Conservation Practice	NS-1	NS-1	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Dewatering Operations	NS-2	NS-2	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Item N: Particulate and Dust Control BMPs</b>				
Wind Erosion Control	WE-1	WE-1		

#### Section 4: Develop a Construction BMP Site Map/Plan

A Site Map must be developed and included as Appendix A of this WPCP. The site map should be neat and legible. Several sheets may be used to illustrate the phasing of BMP implementation as construction progresses over time. When two or more sheets are used to illustrate the plan view, an index sheet is required. The Site Map must include all of the following, where applicable:

- Legend, north arrow, and scale of the drawing
- The site boundary and limits of construction;
- Key site features such as steep slopes, highly erodible soils, etc., including State and federal wetlands, if any;
- Storm water conveyance features including, but not limited to all streams and drainage ways delineated, all storm drain inlets and outlets, curb and gutter, swales and channels.
- Anticipated discharge points for construction wastewater (i.e. stormwater, groundwater, and construction wastewater such as dewatering byproducts);
- Drainage areas and direction of flow
- Location of nearby water bodies (including Clean Water Act Section 303(d) List of Impaired Segments in the site's vicinity)
- Location of entrance/exits to the project area
- Areas of soil disturbance and potential pollutant sources;
- Material, stockpile, and waste storage areas (e.g., trash, soil, fuel, construction materials);
- Vehicle and equipment fueling, wash and maintenance areas;
- Locations of portable sanitary facilities;
- Locations where underlying soil is potentially contaminated; and
- Locations of all BMP implementation areas (types of erosion and sediment controls, as well as dewatering and soil stabilization controls, where applicable).
- Location of building and activity areas (e.g., fueling islands, garages, waste container area, wash racks, hazardous material storage areas).

#### Section 5: CSWPCP Certification Statement

***The property owner and contractor must sign the following certification before a Permit will be issued.***

I have read and understand that the City of Chula Vista has adopted minimum requirements for managing urban runoff, including storm water from construction and land development activities. I certify that the BMPs selected on this form will be implemented to minimize the potentially negative impacts of this project's construction and land development activities on water quality. I further agree to install, monitor, maintain, or revise the selected BMPs to ensure their effectiveness.

I also understand that non-compliance with the City's Storm Water Standards may result in enforcement by the City, including fines, cease and desist orders, or other actions. I further understand that approval of this WPCP does not relieve me of my responsibility to comply with storm water regulations including the protection of adjacent properties from inundation as a result of my construction activities.

Contractor Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contractor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Property Owner's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Property Owner's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_