

Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan

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Form 1 – Team Members

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Provider Name	Service Provided	Term of Service	
<i>Deal Lake Commission</i>	<i>Public Education and Outreach</i>	<i>Renewed Annually</i>	

Form 2 – Revision History

Revision Date	Form # Changed	Reason for Revision (Updates to staff, policy, webpage, etc.)
<i>Pending September 2024 Meeting</i>		<i>Stormwater Control Ordinance</i>
<i>Pending September 2024 Meeting</i>		<i>Privately Owned Self Storage</i>
<i>Pending September 2024 Meeting</i>		<i>Tree Removal Replacement</i>

Form 3 – Public Announcements
Part IV.B. and C.

1. Provide the link to the dedicated stormwater webpage for your municipality.
<i>https://dealborough.com/town-hall/public-info/</i>
2. List the name and title of person(s) responsible for stormwater webpage postings/updates.
<i>Ronen Neuman, Borough Administrator</i>
3. List the newspapers, social media outlets, websites, direct mailings (Email or postal), and other communication approaches typically used to inform/educate the public on stormwater program information and related events/activities.
<p><i>Public education and outreach events/activities are advertised on the Borough website at https://dealborough.com and with fliers and public announcements at the Board of Commissioners meetings. Additionally, stormwater educational materials are available to the public at the Municipal Building.</i></p> <p><i>Deal Borough is a charter member of the Deal Lake Commission (DLC). The DLC provides public education and outreach services for all member municipalities. Events, activities, and stormwater information are conveyed to the public on the DLC website at https://deallake.org and through Facebook and Twitter.</i></p>

Form 4 – Post-Construction Stormwater Management in New Development and Redevelopment

Part IV.E.

<p>1. How does the municipality define “major development”? If it is different from the definition in N.J.A.C. 7:8, explain the difference.</p>
<p><i>As per the Deal Borough Stormwater Control Ordinance #1224 pending new ordinance adoption “Major development” means an individual “development,” as well as multiple developments that individually or collectively result in:</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <i>1. The disturbance of one or more acres of land since February 2, 2004;</i> <i>2. The creation of one-quarter acre or more of “regulated impervious surface” since February 2, 2004;</i> <i>3. The creation of one-quarter acre or more of “regulated motor vehicle surface” since March 2, 2021; or</i> <i>4. A combination of 2 and 3 above that totals an area of one-quarter acre or more. The same surface shall not be counted twice when determining if the combination area equals one-quarter acre or more.</i> <p><i>Major development includes all developments that are part of a common plan of development or sale (for example, phased residential development) that collectively or individually meet any one or more of paragraphs 1, 2, 3, or 4 above. Projects undertaken by any government agency that otherwise meet the definition of “major development” but which do not require approval under the Municipal Land Use Law, N.J.S.A. 40:55D-1 et seq., are also considered “major development”.</i></p>
<p>2. Is the municipality’s stormwater control ordinance (SCO) the same as or more stringent than NJDEP’s model SCO? If more stringent, explain the difference.</p>
<p><i>Deal Borough stormwater control ordinance #1224 pending new ordinance adoption is as exacting as the NJDEP model stormwater control ordinance. Deal Borough is in the process of updating stormwater control ordinance in accordance with State requirements.</i></p>
<p>3. Describe the process for reviewing major development project applications for compliance with the SCO and Residential Site Improvement Standards (RSIS).</p>
<p><i>The Planning Board Engineer reviews all major development projects for compliance with the Stormwater Management Rules (N.J.A.C. 7:8), and the Deal Borough Stormwater Control Ordinance and/or the Residential Site Improvement Standards for stormwater management, as applicable. If the project is compliant, a recommendation for Approval is made to the Planning Board.</i></p>

<p>4. Does your municipality have a mitigation plan included in your Municipal Stormwater Management Plan and Stormwater Control Ordinance? Indicate the location of records of all variances granted.</p>
<p><i>Yes, the Deal Borough Municipal Stormwater Management Plan includes a Mitigation Plan and the Deal Stormwater Control Ordinance addresses conditions that must be met to grant a waiver or variance from N.J.A.C. 7:8-5.3. No variances have been granted to date.</i></p>
<p>5. Indicate the dates of each iteration of the township's Stormwater Control Ordinance, starting with the initial adoption and including revisions.</p>
<p><i>Stormwater Control Ordinance # 963 Adopted: March 14, 2006 Stormwater Control Ordinance # 1015 Adopted: October 13, 2008 Stormwater Control Ordinance # 1224 Adopted: December 2, 2020 Stormwater Control Ordinance # XXXX pending adoption</i></p>
<p>6. Indicate the dates of each iteration of the township's Municipal Stormwater Management Plan, starting with the initial adoption and including revisions.</p>
<p><i>Borough of Deal Municipal Stormwater Management Plan Initial adoption: April 1, 2005 Revised: October 7, 2008</i></p>

Form 5 – Ordinances
Part IV.F.1.

Ordinance	Date Adopted	Was the DEP model adopted without change? If not, explain how the municipality's is more stringent.	Entity Responsible for Enforcement	Fees & Fines
1. Pet Waste	5/23/2006	<i>Adopted without change</i>	<i>Police Dept. or Regional Health Commission</i>	<i>Up to \$1,250</i>
2. Wildlife Feeding	5/23/2006	<i>Adopted without change</i>	<i>Police Dept. or Code Official</i>	<i>Up to \$1,250</i>
3. Litter Control	5/23/2006	<i>Adopted without change</i>	<i>Police Dept. or Code Official</i>	<i>Up to \$1,250</i>
4. Improper Disposal of Waste	5/23/2006	<i>Adopted without change</i>	<i>Police Dept. or Code Official</i>	<i>Up to \$1,250</i>
5. Yard Waste	5/23/2006	<i>Adopted without change</i>	<i>Police Dept. or Code Official</i>	<i>Up to \$1,250</i>
6. Private Storm Drain Inlet Retrofitting	4/27/2010	<i>Adopted without change</i>	<i>Police Dept. or other Municipal Officials</i>	<i>Up to \$1,250</i>
7. Illicit Connections	5/23/2006	<i>Adopted without change</i>	<i>Police Dept. or Code Official</i>	<i>Up to \$1,250</i>
8. Privately-Owned Salt Storage		<i>Pending adoption</i>		<i>\$___</i>
9. Tree Removal-Replacement		<i>Pending adoption</i>		<i>\$___</i>

List any additional stormwater-related ordinances the municipality has adopted that address issues beyond the scope of the MS4 permit. Include adoption date, entity responsible for enforcement, and related fees and fines.

*Refuse Container/Dumpster Ordinance: Adopted 4/27/2010
Enforcement: Police Department or Code Official
Fees and Fines: Up to \$1,250*

Indicate the location of records associated with ordinances and related violations and enforcement actions below.

Records associated with ordinances are located in the Municipal Clerk's office and records related to enforcement actions are located in the Code Enforcement office.

Form 6 – Street Sweeping

Part IV.F.2.a.i. and ii.

1. Provide a written description and/or attach a map outlining the sweeping schedule for the following:

- Segments of municipal roads with storm drain inlets that discharge to surface water (required at least 3 times each year)
- Segments of municipal roads that do not have storm drain inlets but do discharge to surface water (required at least 1 times each year)

Note: Only asphalt and concrete roads need to be swept. Roads that do not have storm drain inlets and do not discharge to surface water do not need to be swept.

At this time all Borough streets that are required to be swept by the 2018 NJPDES permit are swept a minimum of once per month. No street sweeping is conducted during the winter months.

The new triannual sweeping schedule will be implemented on or before January 1, 2026 for all municipally owned or operated streets with storm drain inlets that discharge to surface waters. Annual street sweeping will also be implemented on or before January 1, 2026 for all municipally owned or operated streets that do not have storm drain inlets that discharge to surface water.

2. Indicate if sweeping work is outsourced and if so, describe the arrangement.

No street sweeping work is outsourced in Deal Borough.

Form 7 – MS4 Infrastructure

Part IV.F.2-4. and Part IV.G.2-3.

1. Municipal Storm Drain Inlets

- a. Describe how you ensure that municipal inlets without permanent wording cast into the design have been properly labelled.
- b. Describe how you ensure that municipal and private storm drain inlets have been retrofitted.
- c. Describe how you ensure that newly installed storm drain inlets include corresponding catch basins or other BMPs to collect solids.
- d. Describe when and how you conduct inspections of storm drain inlets and the criteria used to determine when they need to be cleaned.

- a. *The Deal DPW periodically conduct drive-by inspections of the municipal storm drain inlets. At the same time, the condition of labelling on storm drain inlets without permanent wording cast into the design is evaluated. Non-permanent storm drain inlet labels found to be missing or damaged are scheduled for repair or replacement.*
- b. *As part of the Annual Road Resurfacing Program, municipally owned or operated storm drain inlets are retrofitted or replaced, if needed, when the road is resurfaced to meet the solids and floatable materials control standards in the Deal Borough stormwater control ordinance. Deal Borough Ordinance #1031 requires that storm drain inlets on private property be retrofitted or replaced to meet the design standard as specified in the ordinance when the roadway is repaved, repaired, resurfaced, reconstructed or altered. The engineer for the Planning Board will identify projects that are subject to Ordinance #1031 and inform the applicant of the ordinance requirements.*
- c. *As part of the review process, the Borough Engineer checks the plans submitted for road projects and major development projects to confirm that new storm drain inlets comply with the applicable design standards.*
- d. *The Deal Borough DPW periodically conduct drive-by inspections of the municipal storm drain inlets. If debris is present the grate and surrounding area is cleaned at that time or scheduled for cleaning within one week.*

2. Municipal Catch Basins

- a. Describe when and how you conduct inspections of catch basins.
- b. Describe the criteria used to determine when catch basins need to be cleaned.

- a. A minimum of 20% of the catch basins are inspected annually on a rotating schedule such that all catch basins are inspected at least once every 5 years.*
- b. Catch basins that are approximately 50% filled with debris are scheduled for cleaning.*

3. Municipal Conveyance System

Describe when and how inspections of MS4 conveyance systems are conducted, and the criteria used to determine when they need to be cleaned. Include a description of the equipment and techniques used.

Periodic inspections of the MS4 conveyance system are conducted throughout the year. These inspections are often conducted in conjunction with stream scouring and illicit connection inspections. Observed or reported localized street flooding may also trigger an inspection of the conveyance system. If an obstruction is found the line may be televised and water jetted to relieve the blockage.

4. Municipal Outfall Inspections – Stream Scouring

Describe the program in place to detect, investigate, and control localized stream scouring from stormwater outfalls. Include a description of the equipment and techniques used.

There are 48 municipally owned or operated stormwater outfalls in Deal Borough. Each year at least 20% of the outfalls are inspected for stream scouring. Outfalls with scouring are prioritized for repair or restoration within the constraints of the existing budget and certified annually.

5. Municipal Outfall Inspections – Illicit Discharge Detection and Elimination

Describe the program in place for conducting visual dry weather inspections of municipally owned or operated outfalls. Include a description of the equipment and techniques used. Record cases of illicit discharges using the DEP’s Illicit Connection Inspection Report Form from the Department’s main stormwater webpage.

There are 48 municipally owned or operated stormwater outfalls in Deal Borough. Each year at least 20% of the outfalls are visually inspected for evidence of a dry weather flow. If a dry weather flow is confirmed additional physical information is collected and an investigation is conducted. An Illicit Connection Inspection Report Form is completed to assist with the determination of the source of the dry weather flow.

6. Other Municipal Infrastructure

List the types of MS4 infrastructure in your town that require inspection but are not noted above in items 1-5. Describe when and how you conduct inspections of this infrastructure and the criteria used to determine when they need to be maintained and/or cleaned.

Not applicable. There is no other MS4 infrastructure in Deal Borough that requires inspection.

7. Stormwater Facilities Not Owned or Operated by the Municipality

Describe your program for ensuring adequate long-term cleaning, operation, and maintenance of stormwater facilities not owned or operated by the municipality. This should include your plan for ensuring annual inspections are being done on these private properties and describe how you record the locations and logs associated with private infrastructure.

Not applicable. There are no non-Borough owned or operated stormwater facilities within Deal Borough.

8. Infrastructure Records

Indicate the location of records related to stormwater infrastructure inspection, cleaning, maintenance, and repair activities.

Records associated with the inspection, cleaning, maintenance, and repair of stormwater infrastructure are kept on file in the Public Works office.

Form 8 – Community-wide Measures

Part IV.F.2.

1. Herbicide Application Management Describe your program for preventing herbicides from being washed into the waters of the State and to prevent erosion caused by de-vegetation.
<i>Not applicable. The Deal DPW does not spray along roadsides for weed control.</i>
2. Excess Deicing Material Management Describe your program for ensuring that excess salt piles are removed in a timely manner after storm events.
<i>If present, excess salt piles that remain on roadways or in parking areas are removed by the Deal Borough DPW within 3 days after the storm event is over.</i>
3. Roadside Vegetative Waste Describe your program for ensuring proper pickup, handling, storage, and disposal of wood waste and yard trimmings generated by the permittee along municipal roads or on municipal properties (trimming trees, mowing, etc.).
<i>Wood waste and yard trimmings generated by the permittee along municipal roads and on municipal property are disposed of as they are generated.</i>
4. Roadside Erosion Control Describe your program to detect and repair erosion along municipal roadways.
<i>Not applicable. There is no roadside erosion in Deal Borough. All of the streets are curbed.</i>

Form 9 – Municipal Maintenance Yards & Other Ancillary Operations

Part IV.F.5.

Please complete a separate Form 9 for each yard or site. Indicate the number of yards/sites the municipality owns or operates: 1

1. Site Name and Address	
<i>The Deal Borough Public Works Yard is located at 80 Runyan Avenue.</i>	
2. Monthly Site Inspections	
Describe the nature of inspections conducted at this site and the location of inspection logs.	
<i>DPW staff conduct monthly inspections of the entire Public Works Yard to identify conditions that may contribute stormwater contaminants or otherwise negatively impact the MS4. Findings are documented in an inspection log that is kept on-site.</i>	
3. Inventory List	
List all materials and machinery that are potentially exposed to stormwater.	
Materials	Machinery/Equipment
	<i>DPW equipment</i>
	<i>Employee vehicles</i>
4. Discharge of Stormwater from Secondary Containment	
Describe the process in place for discharging stormwater from secondary containment areas where outdoor containers are stored.	
<i>Not applicable.</i>	

<p>5. Fueling Operations Does fueling occur on site? If so, describe the BMPs in place to minimize contamination of stormwater from fueling activities. If not, explain where fueling takes place.</p>
<p><i>The fueling station for Borough vehicles is located at the Public Works Yard. A spill kit is kept on site in the event of a fuel spill.</i></p>
<p>6. Vehicle/Equipment Maintenance and Repair Do you perform maintenance and repair on site? Is this conducted indoors or outdoors? If outdoors, describe the BMPs in place to minimize contamination of stormwater from maintenance and repair activities.</p>
<p><i>Vehicle/equipment maintenance and repair is conducted indoors at the Public Works Yard.</i></p>
<p>7. Wash Wastewater Containment Do you wash vehicles on site? If so, describe the BMPs in place to minimize contamination of stormwater from these activities. Note that on site containment structures require annual inspections by a NJ licensed professional engineer. If not, explain where vehicle washing takes place.</p>
<p><i>Not applicable. No vehicle washing is conducted on site.</i></p>
<p>8. Salt and Other Granular De-icing Materials Do you store salt and other granular deicing materials on site? If so, describe how they are stored and the BMPs in place to minimize contamination of stormwater from these materials. If not, explain where these materials are stored.</p>
<p><i>Salt and de-icing materials are stored indoors. The storage area is inspected daily when salt and de-icing materials are present.</i></p>
<p>9. Aggregate Material, Wood Chips, and Finished Leaf Compost Do you store these materials on site? If so, describe how they are stored and the BMPs in place to minimize contamination of stormwater from these materials. If not, explain where these materials are stored.</p>
<p><i>No wood chips or finished leaf compost are stored at the Municipal Yard. Crushed concrete is stored in a back pitched bin to eliminate rain water from escaping.</i></p>

<p>10. Cold Patch Asphalt Do you store these materials on site? If so, describe how they are stored and the BMPs in place to minimize contamination of stormwater from these materials. If not, explain where these materials are stored.</p>
<p><i>Cold patch asphalt is stored at the Public Works Yard in a back pitched bin to eliminate rain water from escaping.</i></p>
<p>11. Street Sweepings and Storm Sewer Cleanout Materials Do you store these materials on site? If so, describe how they are stored and the BMPs in place to minimize contamination of stormwater from these materials. If not, explain where these materials are stored.</p>
<p><i>Street sweepings and catch basin cleanout materials are stored at the Public Works Yard in a back pitched bin to eliminate rain water from escaping.</i></p>
<p>12. Construction and Demolition Waste, Wood Waste, and Yard Trimmings Do you store these materials on site? If so, describe how they are stored and the BMPs in place to minimize contamination of stormwater from these materials. If not, explain where these materials are stored.</p>
<p><i>No construction and demolition waste, wood waste, or yard trimmings are stored at the Municipal Yard.</i></p>
<p>13. Scrap Tires Do you store these materials on site? If so, describe how they are stored and the BMPs in place to minimize contamination of stormwater from these materials. If not, explain where these materials are stored.</p>
<p><i>No scrap tires are stored at the Public Works Yard.</i></p>
<p>14. Inoperable Vehicles and Equipment Do you store inoperable vehicles or equipment on site? If so, describe how they are stored and the BMPs in place to minimize contamination of stormwater. If not, explain where they are stored.</p>
<p><i>No inoperable vehicles or equipment are stored at the Public Works Yard.</i></p>

Form 10 – Training

Part IV.F.6-10.

Stormwater Program Coordinators
Describe the training provided for the municipal Stormwater Program Coordinator.
<i>The Stormwater Program Coordinator (SPC) will receive the required NJDEP training for SPC responsibilities by January 1, 2026 and once per permit cycle thereafter.</i>

Topic	Municipal Employees
Examples: in-person or virtual group sessions, e-Learning, field trainings, and videos	
Describe the training provided for municipal staff.	
SPPP	<i>Annual training will be provided to appropriate municipal staff on the current SPPP and applicable recordkeeping requirements through in-person and/or virtual training sessions.</i>
Construction Site Stormwater Runoff	<i>The Construction Official will receive the proper NJDEP training to determine if a general or individual Construction Site Stormwater Runoff permit is required at a construction site. The training will be provided through in-person and/or virtual training sessions.</i>
Post-Construction Stormwater Management in New and Redevelopment	<i>Not applicable. The Borough Engineer’s office reviews and inspects all new development and redevelopment projects in Deal Borough.</i>
Community-wide Ordinances	<i>Annual training is provided to appropriate municipal staff on the stormwater related ordinances. The training includes a review of the requirements, enforcement, and the repercussions of non-compliance and will be through in-person and/or virtual training sessions.</i>
Community-wide Measures	<i>Annual training is provided to municipal staff that implement community-wide pollution prevention measures and good housekeeping measures to control solid and floatable materials. The training will be through in-person and/or virtual training sessions.</i>

Stormwater Facilities Maintenance	<i>Annual training is provided to municipal staff involved with the inspection, maintenance, and repair of Borough owned or operated stormwater infrastructure. The training will be through in-person and/or virtual training sessions.</i>
Municipal Maintenance Yards and Other Ancillary Operations	<i>Annual training will be provided to appropriate municipal staff on implementing BMPs, good housekeeping measures, and conducting and documenting site inspections at the Municipal Maintenance Yard. The training will be through in-person and/or virtual training sessions.</i>
MS4 Mapping	<i>Not applicable. Staff from the Borough Engineer's office will collect stormwater infrastructure GPS points and associated attributes that will be used to create the Deal Borough Stormwater Infrastructure Map.</i>
Outfall Stream Scouring	<i>Not applicable. Staff from the Borough Engineer's office conduct stream scouring inspections of the Deal Borough stormwater outfalls.</i>
Illicit Discharge Detection and Elimination	<i>Not applicable. Staff from the Borough Engineer's office conduct visual dry weather inspections of the Deal Borough stormwater outfalls.</i>

Stormwater Management Design Reviewers
Describe the training provided for individuals responsible for reviews and approvals of stormwater management designs.
<i>All individuals that review and approve stormwater management designs for major development projects in Deal Borough will complete the NJDEP Stormwater Management Design Review training course at a minimum of once every 5 years.</i>

Municipal Board and Governing Body Members
Describe the training provided for members of the planning/zoning board and municipal council.
<i>Within 6 months of taking office, members of the Deal Borough Planning Board and members of the Deal Borough Board of Commissioners will complete the “Asking the Right Questions in Stormwater Review” online training tool provided by NJDEP at https://dep.nj.gov/stormwater/stormwater-training/.</i>
<i>Once per term of service thereafter, members of the Deal Borough Planning Board and members of the Deal Borough Board of Commissioners will review at least one of the NJDEP training tools offered under Post-Construction Stormwater Management found at https://dep.nj.gov/stormwater/stormwater-training/.</i>

Training Records
Indicate the location of training records for the above required training.
<i>Training records for the Deal Borough Board of Commissioners and the Deal Borough Planning Board are kept on file in the Borough Clerk’s office.</i>

Form 11 – MS4 Mapping

Part IV.G.1.

1. Provide a link to the most current MS4 outfall/infrastructure map.	
<p><i>The Deal Borough Stormwater Outfall map is posted on the municipal stormwater webpage at: https://dealborough.com/town-hall/public-info/.</i></p>	
2. Indicate the total of each type of MS4 infrastructure listed below (due 01 Jan 2026).	
a. MS4 outfalls	48
b. MS4 ground water discharge points (basins or overland flow infiltration areas)	TBD
c. MS4 interconnections	TBD
d. MS4 storm drain inlets	TBD
e. MS4 manholes	TBD
f. Length of conveyance (channels, pipes, ditches, etc.)	TBD
g. MS4 pump stations	TBD
h. MS4 stormwater facilities (any that are not listed above)	TBD
i. Maintenance yard(s) and other ancillary operations	1
3. Describe how the municipality’s outfall/infrastructure map is reviewed and updated to reflect any new or newly identified MS4 infrastructure (e.g., an outfall is closed, a new basin is constructed, ownership of an outfall has changed, etc.).	
<p><i>Before the end of each year, the Borough Engineer’s office reviews the current Stormwater Outfall Map for accuracy. Map revisions are made if there are new or newly identified outfalls or any other significant changes.</i></p>	
4. Describe how the municipality will create and update its MS4 Infrastructure Map.	
<p><i>Staff from the Borough Engineer’s office will collect GPS points and associated attributes for all Borough owned or operated MS4 infrastructure. The data collected will be used to create a Stormwater Infrastructure Map for Deal Borough.</i></p> <p><i>The final Stormwater Infrastructure Map will be submitted electronically to NJDEP as a georeferenced shapefile on or before January 1, 2026. The approved Stormwater Infrastructure Map will be posted on the Borough’s stormwater webpage and included as a weblink within the SPPP. The MS4 Infrastructure Map will be reviewed and updated annually or more frequently if necessary.</i></p>	

Form 12 – Watershed Improvement Plan

Part IV.H.

1. Describe how your municipality is developing its Watershed Improvement Plan.

Staff from the Borough Engineer's office are in the process of collecting the requisite data for the Watershed Inventory Report. The Watershed Inventory Report is Phase 1 of the Watershed Improvement Plan and will be submitted to NJDEP on or before January 1, 2026.

2. Describe any regional projects or collaboration efforts with other municipalities.

Deal Borough is a charter member of the Deal Lake Commission (DLC) and is committed to the DLC's goal of improving water quality in Deal Lake and its tributaries. The DLC has a number of ongoing water quality projects in the Deal Lake watershed that can be viewed under Plans/Projects on the DLC website at <https://deallake.org>.

3. Indicate the location of records related to all public information sessions and meetings for discussions of the Watershed Improvement Plan.

All records related to Watershed Improvement Plan public information sessions and meetings will be kept on file in the Borough Clerk's office.