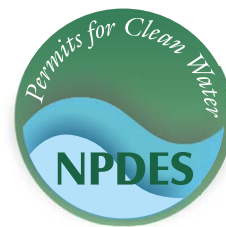




US EPA Stormwater Program's Webcast Series

Illicit Discharge Detection and Elimination (IDDE) 301 – Finding and Fixing Illicit Discharges and Connections



Webcast: Wednesday, September 30, 2009

Two-hour audio Web broadcast

Eastern: 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm

Central: 12:00 pm – 2:00 pm

Mountain: 11:00 am – 1:00 pm

Pacific: 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

Session Description: The prospect of developing and administering an illicit discharges detection and elimination (IDDE) program can be complex and challenging. Frequently, there is no single approach to take, but rather a variety of ways to get from detection to elimination. Local knowledge, available resources, community size, development history, land use, and infrastructure can all play significant roles in determining which path to take. Building on the IDDE 101 and IDDE 201 webcasts, this webcast will focus on finding and eliminating illicit discharges.

This webcast will start with a review of IDDE terminology and the basic components of an effective IDDE program. We will also summarize key elements of the IDDE Manual (available at www.epa.gov/npdes/stormwater/idde).

Detail will then be provided on methods for tracing illicit discharges back to the source through storm drain network investigations, drainage area investigations, and on-site investigations. We will also discuss removing or fixing illicit discharges, including how to decide who is responsible for the removal and how to confirm the correction. A case study speaker will present examples of illicit discharges found in the field. Finally, a guest speaker from a local community will provide a real world perspective on finding and eliminating illicit discharges, focusing specifically on preventing and eliminating discharges from food service facilities.

Speakers: Jennifer Zielinski, Biohabitats, Inc.

Bryan Rittenhouse, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

Dan Christian, Tetra Tech, Inc.

Ann Wilson, Superintendent of Environmental Services, City of Alexandria, Louisiana

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