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Urban Stormwater Workgroup

Tuesday, March 17th, 2026
10:00 AM – 11:35 AM

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Purpose: This is the monthly meeting of the Urban Stormwater Workgroup. Main topics will include a presentation on an initiative to drive a broader adoption of power sweeper technologies to address stormwater pollution, a presentation from USGS on remote sensing of stormwater BMPs, and a presentation on the Phase 7 developed land use.

Agenda

I. Welcome and Announcements

(10:00 - 10:10 AM)

Norm will welcome meeting participants and call for the approval of the February 2026 USWG meeting minutes. David will share announcements, including the ones provided below. Additional announcements from workgroup members are welcome.

- Reminder: CSN is hosting a [Winter Webinar Series](#) on upcoming Tuesdays at 12pm.

Requested Action: Decisional – approval of minutes.

Lead: Norm Goulet, USWG Chair

Materials: [February 2026 USWG Meeting Minutes](#)

II. Introduction to Clean Streets = Cleaner Water Initiative (10:10 – 10:30 AM)

Seth and Greg will join the USWG to share information about a new initiative, led by the National Municipal Stormwater Alliance, to gather and align research and policy to drive a broader adoption of power sweeper technologies to address stormwater pollution. They will share efforts to learn from municipalities around the country, improve standardization of sweeper data collection, and reduce barriers to implementation. Members with data or lessons learned from local street sweeping programs are encouraged to connect with Seth and Greg.

Requested Action: Informational, for discussion.

Lead: Seth Brown, National Municipal Stormwater Alliance and Greg McPartlin, Urban Quarries

Materials: Presentation

III. Stormwater BMP Remote Sensing Project (10:30 – 11:00 AM)

As an introduction to future conversations at the USWG on the opportunities and challenges to utilizing remote sensing, workgroup members will hear about a new USGS project on remote sensing of stormwater BMPs. USGS is conducting a pilot study to detect stormwater ponds and roadside swales with a deep-learning model, based on LiDAR and land cover datasets. Krissy will present on overview of the project's progress so far and plans for next steps.

Requested Action: Informational, for discussion.

Lead: Krissy Hopkins, USGS

Materials: Presentation

IV. Phase 7 Developed Land Use Overview (11:00 – 11:30 AM)

Following the land use time series (1985-2021/22) review period, Sarah will present to the USWG on the Phase 7 land use for the developed sector. She will highlight trends and comparisons between Phase 6 and Phase 7 and share key feedback received during the review period, specifically for the developed sector.

Requested Action: Informational, for discussion.

Lead: Sarah McDonald, USGS

Materials: Presentation, Map Viewer

V. Wrap-Up (11:30 AM – 11:35 AM)

Lead: Petra Baldwin, USWG Staffer

VI. Adjourn (11:35 AM)

Next Meeting: [Tuesday, April 21st, 10 am – 12pm](#)