

Chapter 11A

STORMWATER

Section

Sec.11A.1. Purpose

The purpose of this stormwater bylaw to improve and protect water quality, reduce erosion and sedimentation, promote environmentally sensitive site design practices and ensure long-term maintenance of stormwater control. This bylaw is required to meet applicable federal and state requirements of the Towns' National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System for Small Municipal Separate Storm Drain Systems permit, commonly known as the "NPDES MS4 permit".

The objectives of this Bylaw, and regulations promulgated pursuant hereto, are to:

- (a) create a Stormwater Board to promulgate, adopt, implement, enforce, and amend stormwater regulations;
- (b) prohibit non-stormwater and unauthorized discharges to the Town's municipal separate storm drain system (MS4); and
- (c) establish procedures to regulate construction and post-construction stormwater runoff management from new development and redevelopment.

Sec. 11A.2. Stormwater Board

There shall be a Stormwater Board which shall consist of the Director of Public Works, the Building Inspector, and the Chairman of the Conservation Commission who shall promulgate, adopt, and amend regulations appropriate for permit applications and standards to control and regulate activities related to the use of or impacting on the Town's stormwater system.