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2017 SWAC Meeting #3





Meeting Topics

- 1. Procedures 10/3/17
- 2. Extent of Service 10/3/17
- 3. Closed System 11/7/17
- 4. Open System Tentatively 11/7/17
- 5. Structural Best Management Practices



Meeting Topics

- 6. Stormwater/Watershed Planning
- 7. Funding Sources and Revenue Options
- 8. Water Quality Compliance
- 9. Floodplain Management
- 10.Regulatory Reforms/Ordinances



Extent of Service





Current Drainage System

- 237 Miles of Storm Drainage Pipes
- ~17,000 Structures (CB, DI, YI, JB)
- 97 Culverts (typically under roadways)
- 2913 Outfalls (where pipes discharge)
- 68 Miles of City Maintained Open Drainage



Extent vs Level of Service

- Extent of Service (Where/What)
 - Geographical Boundaries (City, ETJ and beyond)
 - Public vs Private Property
 - Residential vs Commercial Property
 - Components of System
 - Streams, pipes, lakes, stormwater control measures (SCM's)



Extent vs Level of Service

- Level of Service (How Much/How Often)
 - Frequency (daily, weekly, monthly, annually)
 - Capacity (10yr storm, 25yr, 100yr storm)
 - Control level (peak runoff rate, runoff volume)
 - Funding level (% of budget or fixed dollar amount)
 - Level of impact
 - Quantity (severe, major, minor, nuisance, aesthetic)
 - Quality (eroded, stable, impaired, fair, good)



Extent of Service

- Narrow extent of service may not be able to serve the community as defined in the City's Vision for the Stormwater Program
- Broad extent of service may not be financially sustainable



Current Policy

• Extent of Service (City Right of Way)

- Maintains all infrastructure
- Extent of Service (Outside Right of Way) See City Ordinance Sec. 9-9-13 in Packet
 - Limited <u>Maintenance</u> (vs repairs/improvements)
 - Some Streams Historically Accepted for Maintenance
 - Drainage Assistance Program (Piping)
 - Ditch and Stream Stabilization Program
 - Conditions of City participation



Maintained Streams

City responsible for maintenance of:

- 1. Greens Mill Run,
- 2. Fornes Branch, from Greens Mill Run to NC 43
- 3. Reedy Branch, from Greens Mill Run to Greenville Boulevard; and
- 4. Jurisdictional streams within the limits of a city drainage project.

City Maintenance is for flow of the stream. Not aesthetics, nuisance, litter, etc.



Drainage Assistance Program

- City participates in <u>installation of pipes</u> for existing ditches under certain conditions:
 - <48" pipes / 300' minimum length</p>
 - Not a blue-line stream / in City Limits
 - All owners participate / donated easements
 - Owners pay materials
 - Low Priority



Drainage Assistance Program

- City participates in repairs to failing pipes (sink holes, etc.) in limited cases
 - Failure on private property will impact public property
 - Repair beyond owner's capability
 - Participation levels vary







Ditch & Stream Stabilization Program

City Participates in <u>ditch or stream stabilization</u> under these conditions:

- Demonstrated need (active erosion not caused by owner)
- Blue-line stream / in City Limits
- All owners agree to participate / donated easements
- Financially viable / small projects
- Low priority



Conditions of Participation for All Work Outside Right of Way

- Must convey "public water" (from state or city streets).
 Otherwise is the responsibility of the property owner
- Hold Harmless. Participation in installation does NOT mean the City takes over ownership or liability
- Conditions transferrable with the property
- Assistance only for existing development, no new development
- Owner is responsible for all maintenance
- Limited to available funds, no entitlement



What others are doing



	<u>Community</u>					
	Greenville	Raleigh	Cary	Asheville	Wilmington	Greensboro
Service provided						
public SCM maintenance (Utility maintains for other dept)	X	X		soon	X	X
leaf collection	Х	just starting	Х			Х
provide recommended solutions on private property	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
maintain only in ROW and public easements	by ordinance		Х	х	Х	
Maintain outside ROW (receives runoff from public)	by practice	Х				Х
obtain public drainage easements	Х	Х		some	Х	some
cost share for private drainage improvements	(100)*	(100) least cost	(50/50)			
cost share for water quality improvements		(75-90)		limited		
inspect private SCM's annually	X	audit				Х
maintain private SCM's						
Assist with private lakes/dams		X				
Construct SCM retrofits for WQ	pending funds	Х			Х	Х



Questions and/or Comments