Storm Water Coalition Minutes August 25, 2011

- 1. Welcome and Roll
- 2. Storm Water Instructor update

School Instructor: Jenny Devlin

Jenny has picked up school supplies and has scheduled approximately 40 schools to be seen before Christmas. She will continue to set dates for the others schools on her list. If you have any additional schools to be seen that were not part of your year end list, please contact Glen.

- 3. Sub-committees Updates
 - A. <u>Inspection Committee</u> Ryan Johnson (Orem City), Juan Garrido (Springville City), Don Overson (Vineyard City), Mark Atwood (Pleasant Grove City), Scott Allen (Provo City), Jeff Maag (Cedar Hills City)

Nothing to correlate

- B. <u>Education committee</u> Steve Johnson (Orem City), Glen Tanner (Utah County), Paul Miller (Lindon City)
- * With the updated report from the State soon to review auto recycling yards, the Education committee decided to meet to design a flyer to invite these businesses to the training to help them understand the requirements to comply with storm water regulations.

The next out reach education training date will be discussed at the next meeting.

The fall flyers will be designed and emailed out to coalition members.

C. <u>Discharge Committee -</u> Nestor Gallo (American Fork City), Stan Orme (Orem City), Rustin Porter (Springville City), Don Reynolds (ACCENA Group)

Members of the Discharge Committee presented a power point presentation entitled "Reporting Illicit Discharge and Elimination." The presenter, Nestor Gallo (American Fork City), discussed the General Permit for Discharges for MS4s, Minimum Control Measures, Illicit Discharges, EPA's definition and Storm Drain System. He expressed the use of current technology such as Twitter for residents to report illicit discharge. An email address attached to their city web site as well as electronic forms that can be fill out by a citizen anonymously and submitted to the city public works storm water department can save them time with inspections. Electronic filing of forms while at an inspection site is another means to save time for coalition members. Nestor expressed the need to keep as much of the reporting forms being used simple. Use this time to build a reporting and filing system as a foundation, since in 2015 there will be amendments that will make things trickier. Calculating the hours needed to spend on issuing, inspecting, reporting and filing storm water maintenance is somewhere around 1,700 hours. The main idea to keep in mind with regards to all of this work is water quality. He stressed the importance that all coalition members need to work together and help each other with regards to their maintenance programs. If one member finds a solution or a simpler way to address storm water maintenance and issues, they could share with everyone what they have learned.

Nestor will provide Glen with letters regarding coalition members position and the importance to complete inspections. He will link EPA maps that can be used by each city to locate the EPA stations in their areas.

Questions after the presentation: The definition for fire fighting activity was discussed. It was explained that the State is reviewing the definition to define the need for SWPP and MS4 permits

prior to any fire fighter training comparing training to water discharge for emergency fire fighting purposes and how those are to be reported.

D. <u>Post Construction Committee -</u> Trapper Burdick (Spanish Fork City), Rick Sabey (Orem City), Curtis Chatwin (Lehi City), Juan Garrido (Springville City)

Nothing to correlate

4. State Storm Water program updates

The next targeted industry for the State to review will be automobile recycling yards.

5. Other Business: Nothing to correlate

The next scheduled meeting will be on Thursday, October 27, 2011 at 10A.M.

Meeting Adjourned