

STRATEGIES FOR ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE WEBINAR SERIES

- DATE:** 1) **Knowing the Rules and Doing Your Homework**, Friday, November 16, 2018
2) **Temporary Measures during Construction**, Friday, November 30, 2018
3) **Dewatering**, Friday, December 7, 2018

PENDING PRESENTATIONS: Paperwork & Reporting, including SWPPP info and updates; Handling of Hazardous Materials; Retention and Detention Ponds

TIME: 9:30 – 10:30 am CT (8:30 – 9:30 am MT)

REGISTRATION DEADLINES:

- 1) **Tuesday, November 13, 2018**
- 2) **Tuesday, November 27, 2018**
- 3) **Tuesday, December 4, 2018**

DELIVERY: Webinar Series

PRESENTATION HOURS: 1 each

PRESENTATION DESCRIPTION

We are pleased to announce and deliver up to a 6-part webinar series on environmental compliance. We will begin with a 3-part series on Knowing the Rules and Doing Your Homework, Temporary Measures during Construction and Dewatering. Below are the topics and brief descriptions:

1. Part 1 of 6: Knowing the Rules and Doing Your Homework:

Are your construction sites covered? This session will help you become schooled on recent regulation updates and provide strategies for how to find answers when the going gets tough. Explore challenges to expect for your construction site and some simple steps for managing a compliant site as we build and comply in 2019.

2. Part 2 of 6: Temporary Measures during Construction:

Inspections, maintenance, training, and more. Keeping the “good” in good housekeeping can be a chore. Join us for a session on BMP effectiveness and strategies to keep your operations in-line with the Construction Stormwater permit. This session will share BMP performance expectations, along with tips for inspecting them.

3. Part 3 of 6: Dewatering:

Dewatering on a construction project might seem like a complicated operation, but it doesn't have to be. During this session, we will cover the who, what, when, where, and why of dewatering - from turbidity monitoring to different practices that you can use, and even what to do if you encounter contaminated groundwater during dewatering.

- Potential Future Topics -

4. Part 4 of 6: Paperwork and Reporting, including SWPPP Information/Updates:

Our stormwater pollution prevention plans are growing in complexity in response to regulatory changes and with added complexity comes a lot of extra paperwork. Documentation, although it may seem burdensome, is your best ally if your project is ever audited by the EPA or another regulatory agency. During this session, we will cover what the requirements are for paperwork and reporting, how to keep your SWPPP up-to-date, and how to use your SWPPP as a communication tool to ensure compliance.

5. Part 5 of 6: Handling of Hazardous Materials:

The level of awareness of environmental risks and the capability to respond are the greatest preventative actions that a compliance manager can take to protect against environmental damage and fines. During this session, we will address best management practices for managing hazardous materials, and strategies to encourage good housekeeping and follow-through on your project from all players involved.

6. Part 6 of 6: Retention and Detention Ponds:

Oftentimes during construction, we build our post-construction stormwater best management practices (BMPs) with the mentality that they are “out of sight, out of mind” once construction comes to a close. While this mindset might work a little while, BMPs will always fail for a variety of reasons if they are not maintained properly. The first step to any efficient BMP maintenance program is to make sure that BMPs are designed and installed correctly. Then, follow through to verify routine inspection and maintenance is performed throughout the life of the BMP.

SPEAKER(S)



Jennifer Hildebrand, CPESC, CPSWQ, CESSWI, Environmental Compliance Group Manager, WSB and Associates, Inc. Jennifer has been involved in the erosion and sediment industry for more than 23 years. She has a M.A. in business administration from Augsburg College and specializes in compliance strategies within the stormwater market. Jennifer has a vast background of experience in stormwater, erosion, sediment, control programs and techniques. Jennifer has helped establish specifications and standards in Wisconsin, Iowa, Minnesota, North & South Dakota and Manitoba, Canada.

TARGET AUDIENCE

Design, environmental, construction and maintenance personnel.

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