

**BERGEN COUNTY MUNICIPAL STORMWATER
MANAGEMENT PLAN AND CONTROL ORDINANCE
REVIEW PROGRAM**

In accordance with NJDEP's (New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection) New Stormwater Regulations and N.J.A.C 7:8-4.4, **the County has been designated as the "Review Agency" to formally review Municipal Stormwater Plans and Ordinances.**

As required by the County Planning Act at N.J.S.A. 40:27-4 (also see N.J.S.A. 40:55D-13), the municipality must forward a copy of any proposed municipal stormwater management plan (or amendment to that plan) to the county planning board for review and report **at least 20 days prior to the date of the public hearing** held by the municipal planning board. The municipality must also transmit, within **30 days after adoption, a copy of any adopted municipal stormwater management plan** (or amendment to that plan) to the county planning board for its information and files (even if the county planning board is not the "county review agency").

As required by the Municipal Land Use Law at N.J.S.A. 40:55D-15.b and -16, the municipality must **provide a copy of any proposed municipal stormwater control ordinance (or amendment to that ordinance) to the county planning board at least 10 days prior to the date of the public hearing** held by the municipal governing body. The municipality must also file a copy of any adopted municipal stormwater control ordinance (or amendment to that ordinance) with the county planning board (even if the county planning board is not the "county review agency").

When submitting your municipal stormwater management plan and stormwater control ordinance to the County for review, please send them to:

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