

COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO Department of Public Works

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IMPROVEMENT PLAN CHECKLIST

Post Construction Stormwater Requirements [Section 5.1]:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th
► Conforms to CCRWQCB Resolution R3-2013-0032 and Post-Construction Procedural				
Memo				
Stormwater Control Plan Application, and project plan impervious area values				
consistent with one another				
For projects subject to PCR 1 and above:				
• Site Design and Runoff Reduction SWCP Checklist demonstrates compliance with				
mandatory site design strategies				
• Performance Requirement 1: Site Design and Runoff Reduction Form identified at				
least one of the mandatory runoff reduction measure, runoff reduction measure(s)				
shown on plans				
• Source control measures are specified and appropriate for site features, shown on				
plans				
For projects subject to PCR 2 and above:				
• SWCP				
\circ Appropriate design storm and WMZ identified				
• Source controls identified with appropriate source control BMPs specified				
in plan and on civil plans				
• SCM sizing calculator results 'updated' prior to submittal, based on correct				
storm depth				
• Proposed sizes, including supporting calculations, provided for each SCM.				
• Construction Checklist table include plan sheet page and detail numbers				
for all source and treatment controls				
• Tabulation of pervious and impervious DMAs, showing self-treating areas,				
self-retaining areas, areas draining to self-retaining areas, and areas				
tributary to SCM, areas associated with SCMs.				
• Grading, drainage, landscaping and utility plans consistent with SCM design				
Drainage Management Areas Exhibit				
• Full size exhibit provided with existing and proposed topographical lines.				
 Each DMA has a unique identifier and is characterized as self-retaining 				
(zero-discharge), self-treating, draining to a SCM or is an SCM.				
• Separate DMA for each surface type of surface, all surfaces accounted for.				
 DMAs reasonably sized for site characteristics. 				
 DMAs on plan sheet match DMA summary table in SWCP 				
 Exhibit shows entry and exit points, flow paths 				
 Plans sheet provide callouts, details for each entry and exit point, 				
consistent with DMA exhibit				
\circ Runoff flow towards treatment measures by gravity flow				
 Each DMA flows to no more than one treatment measure 				
Runoff from existing improvements separated from new improvements, or				
included in sizing calculations if not separated				
 Sizing adjusted if utilities will be present in facilities. 				
• One or more of the following Low Impact Development Treatment Systems are				
shown on plans:				
 For designated Self-Treatment Areas: 				
 Receives no run-off from other areas 				

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 Undisturbed or area planted with native, drought-tolerant, or LID 				
appropriate vegetation.				
 For Vegetative Self-Retaining Areas (SRA): 				
 Maximum 3-inch depth, not located in inaccessible locations 				
 SRA planted with native, drought-tolerant, or LID appropriate 				
vegetation.				
 Saturated soil infiltration rate is appropriate for percent rainfall depth. 	,			
not to exceed 2:1 ratio (impervious to pervious)				
 For Pervious Pavements used in Self-Retaining Areas (SRA): 				
 Calculator supports minimum required storage volume over the 				
proposed infiltration area				
 Details and additional calculations are provided to support design 				
 Area upstream of pervious pavements are stable 				
 Maintain a minimum of 3/8-inch gap between pavers 				
 Reservoir base course is open-graded crushed stone with a base deptil 	n			
adequate to retain required rainfall and support design loads	-			
 Subgrade is level 				
Biofiltration Treatment Systems (BTS)				
• Justification for inability to treat runoff using LID treatment systems				
provided in SWCP				
• Surface ponding [6-inch minimum, 12-inch maximum without additional				
documentation in SWCP].				
 BTS minimum area = Tributary Impervious area x 0.04 				
• Overflow is safety conveyed to a downstream storm drain system or				
discharge point sized to pass 100-year peak flow for on-line treatment				
systems or water quality peak flow for off-line treatment systems.				
 BTS located in publically accessible area 				
• Civil plan sheets include checklist of 3rd party verification form inspection				
requirements				
\circ Areas and gravel depth consistent with results from SCM calculator				
• Civil plan sheets callout elevations at all edges of facility, top of soil, bottom	1			
of gravel layer, bottom of soil layer, rims and inverts of clean out and				
overflowrisers				
• Bottom of facility level or adjustments to volume calculations shown in				
SWCP				
 Details consistent with layout sheets and cross-sections 				
• No liners or barriers for infiltration units				
• If underdrain required (for contaminate soils, or slow infiltrating soils) it is				
provided				
• Structural overflow provided and located away from and not directly in line				
with inflow locations				
 Plants selected consistent with County LID pallet 				
• For Non-Retention (flow thru) Based Treatment Systems:				
• The SCM meets the required performance standard (treat two times the				
85th percentile hourly rainfall intensity from DMAs draining to it; or the flow	v			l
of runoff resulting from a rain event equate to at least 0.2 inches per hour of				l
intensity), as certified through a third-party, field scale evaluation.				
• The SCM is designed and will be maintained (per O&M plan) in a manner				l
consistent with provided propriety performance certifications.				l
projects subject to PCR 3:	_			┢

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SWCP				
 Appropriate storm design specified. 				
• Retention Tributary Area (RTA) correctly shown; RTA = (Entire project area) –				
(self-treating areas) – (self-retaining areas and the impervious area that				
drains to them)				
• Allowable adjustments made to retention volumes, if applicable.				
For projects subject to PCR 4:				
• Drainage report provided. Design compatible with PCR 2 and 3 layouts.				
►Other plan check comments:				