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Dear Lisa,

The ***Draft Rhode Island Stormwater Design and Installation Standards Manual*** is ready for public viewing! We hope you can join us for an informational session about the manual.

Earlier this month, we sent you a Save The Date. Below are the additional details we promised in that e-mail.

Informational Session about the *Draft Rhode Island Stormwater Design and Installation Standards Manual*

Date: June 4, 2009

Time: 8:00 am - 4:30 pm

Location: University of Rhode Island, Kingston Campus, Chafee Building Auditorium Room 271

Directions: Map with directions and MANDATORY parking pass online at our [RI NEMO website](#)

This informational session will review the contents of the draft manual and provide an opportunity for questions and discussion. The morning session will present the new standards contained in the manual and explain the Low Impact Design (LID) components; the afternoon session will present more technical information on the new standards and stormwater handling Best Management Practices (BMPs), and it will highlight one or more representative design examples. Both sessions will have a question and answer period. This is not a public hearing but an informal session to learn about the proposed standards, ask questions, and contribute your valuable input. Written comments will be accepted for a period of at least 30 days after the informational session.

Appropriate for: designers, planners, municipal officials, and anyone interested in stormwater standards

Registration: Not required but you must have a parking pass - please download from the website above.

Draft Agenda

8:00 Registration (coffee and tea provided)

8:30 Welcome and First Presentation Series

Introduction and Regulatory Context, *Russ Chateauneuf, RI Department of Environmental Management*
Overview of the Manual, *Rich Claytor, Horsley Witten Group*

Stormwater Minimum Standards and Performance Criteria, *Michelle West, Horsley Witten Group*

LID Site Planning and Design Strategies, *Rich Claytor, Horsley Witten Group*

Q & A with Panel, Representatives from RIDEM, RICRMC and Horsley Witten Group

12:00 Lunch - On your own. Bring a bag lunch or walk to nearby shops.

1:00 Second Presentation Series

BMPs for Water Quality and Pollutant Removal Performance, *Rob Roseen, University of New Hampshire*
BMP Design and Selection Criteria, *Michelle West,*

Horsley Witten Group
Design Example, Rich Claytor, Horsley Witten Group
Open Discussion with Q & A

4:30 Adjourn

The document can be accessed online at:
<http://www.dem.ri.gov/programs/benviron/water/permits/ripdes/stwater/t4guide/desman.htm>

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