

Sustainable Stormwater Funding for Upper Charles River
Franklin Municipal Building, 355 East Central Street, Franklin, MA
Wed – February 9, 2011 (1 PM – 3 PM)

Steering Committee Mtg #3
Draft Agenda

Purpose: EPA contractor, Horsley Witten Group (HW) with subcontractor, AMEC, and consultant Thomas Schueler, have been working on a range of issues since the last Stakeholder Meeting in November 2010. HW will summarize this work which has included estimates for the costs of existing services as well as cost and implementation issues associated with compliance with the draft General Permits. In addition, this meeting will afford the opportunity to incorporate the input from potentially regulated stakeholders including the Residual Designation Authority (RDA) “Designated Dischargers.”

- 1:00-1:10** Welcome and Introductory Remarks
- 1:10-1:20** Review of on-going assessment of cost of existing stormwater services in each town (HW).
- 1:20-1:45** Review of methods and approach to quantify future stormwater service costs associated with compliance with the draft General Permits (HW).
- 1:45-2:15** Presentation (HW): Examples of possible approach and costs for Total Phosphorus reduction at:
15 North Main Street, Bellingham (target 65% TP reduction);
Milford Public Library and vicinity (target 58% TP reduction); and
Spruce Pond Brook Subwatershed in Franklin (target 52% TP reduction).
- 2:15-2:45** Open discussion to solicit input from potentially regulated DD property owners. (facilitated by: Jessica Strunkin, 495 /Metro West Partnership)
- 2:45-3:00** Review of data gaps. Survey existing stormwater infrastructure on DD properties.

Next Meetings:

- Possible follow-up one-on-one meetings with towns to review cost assumptions (TBD).
- Steering Committee Meeting #4 (TBD) – Mid April?