

SOUTHEAST METRO STORMWATER AUTHORITY  
acting by and through  
SEMSWA WATER ACTIVITY ENTERPRISE

RESOLUTION 12-32

Amendment to the SEMSWA Stormwater Management Manual for the City of Centennial

WHEREAS, Southeast Metro Stormwater Authority (SEMSWA) has adopted the Stormwater Management Manual (SMM) pursuant to RESOLUTION NO. 14, SERIES OF 2012; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment (CDPHE) issued Colorado Discharge Permit Systems (CDPS) for Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System – Phase II requirements permit (Permit), SEMSWA must submit responses to the CDPHE’s Targeted Permit Questionnaire (Questionnaire) by October 15, 2012; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the Questionnaire, and to allow for SEMSWA’s certification of compliance by the response date, clarification to the SMM is necessary in regard to *waivers, exemptions, exclusion for post construction site program requirements*; and

WHEREAS, the SMM has been revised to clarify that waivers, exemptions, and/or exclusions to post construction Best Management Practices (BMP’s) cannot result in non-compliances to the Permit; and

WHEREAS, the SMM amendment has been prepared by SEMSWA staff and reviewed and approved by legal counsel and is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

1. The Board adopts the revision to the SEMSWA Stormwater Management Manual, as attached hereto as **Exhibit A**.

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

ATTEST:

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Secretary

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Chairperson

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Attorney for Southeast Metro Stormwater Authority

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Edward J. Krisor

## Exhibit A

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#### 14.4 Thresholds for Post-Construction Best Management Practice Requirements

**14.4.1 Project Requirements.** Post Construction BMPs are required for development, redevelopment, or expansion, as defined in these Criteria and as provided in the SEMSWA Water Quality Matrix, available on SEMSWA's website at [www.semswa.org](http://www.semswa.org). No exemptions to these Criteria will be allowed that would result in a non-compliance with the SEMSWA CDPS MS4 Permit.

**14.4.2 Water Quality Methodologies.** Post-construction Best Management Practices shall generally consist of practicing minimizing directly connected impervious area (disconnecting impervious areas and passing runoff over vegetated areas) (Step 1 of the 4 step process described in Section 14.1.1), providing Water Quality Enhancements (disconnecting impervious area and passing runoff over a designed BMP), and/or Water Quality Capture Volume. In addition, any drainage conveyance elements, including roadside swales or rural ditches, drainageways, or existing stream channels on or adjacent to the site, shall be stabilized according to the criteria provided herein (Step 3), and any pollutant sources controlled onsite (Step 4).