**MEMO**

**To:** City of Lynnwood Project Managers and review staff.

**From:** Derek Fada, Environmental & Surface Water Supervisor

**Date:** June 17, 2022

**RE:** Adoption of the Washington State Department of Ecology’s 2019 Stormwater Management Manual for Western Washington as the City of Lynnwood’s Supplemental Stormwater Guidelines.

This memo is to inform City of Lynnwood staff that all NPDES Phase II Western Washington Municipal Stormwater Permit holders are being required to adopt the latest edition of the Washington State Department of Ecology’s Stormwater Management Manual for Western Washington.

The 2019 Stormwater Management Manual for Western Washington will replace the 2012 (amended in 2014) Stormwater Management Manual for Western Washington as the Supplemental Stormwater Guidelines referenced in Lynwood Municipal Code 17.40 on June 30th, 2022.

The adoption of the 2019 Stormwater Management Manual for Western Washington will also serve as the enforceable document to require the application of source control BMPs for pollutant generating sources associated with existing land uses and activities.

The 2019 Stormwater Management Manual will be required to be used on projects that meet the following criteria set forth by the Washington State Department of Ecology:

* Project applications submitted on or after July 1, 2022.
* Project applications submitted prior to January 1, 2017, that have not started construction by January 1, 2022.
* Project applications submitted prior to July 1, 2022, that have not started construction by July 1, 2027