

COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

STORMWATER FIELD INSPECTION REPORT - ACTIVE CONSTRUCTION

(1) Project Name:	(2) Project Contractor:	(3) SWMP Administrator (Qualified Stormwater Manager) /Erosion Control Inspector:	
(4) CDOT Project Engineer/CDOT Designee:	(5) Other Attendee(s) (Name and Title):		
(6) CDOT Project Number:	(7) Project Code (Sub Account #):	(8) CDPS-SCP Certification#:	(9) CDOT Region:
(10) Date of Project Inspection:	(11) Weather at Time of Inspection:		

(12) REASON FOR INSPECTION / EXCLUSION

- ☐ Routine Inspection: (A routine erosion control inspection shall be conducted at a minimum, once every 7 Calendar Days)
- ☐ Runoff Event: (Post-storm event inspections must be conducted within 24 hours after the end of any precipitation or snowmelt event that causes surface erosion. If no construction activities will occur following a storm event, post-storm event inspections shall be conducted prior to re-commencing construction activities, but no later than 72 hours following the storm event. The occurrence of any such delayed inspection must be documented in the inspection record.) Routine inspections still must be conducted every 7 calendar days.
 Storm Start Date: _____ Approximate End Time of Storm (hrs): _____
- ☐ Third Party Request: Winter Conditions Inspections Exclusion: Inspections are not required at sites where construction activities are temporarily halted, snow cover exists over the **entire site** for an extended period, and melting conditions posing a risk of surface erosion do not exist. This exception is applicable only during the period where **melting conditions do not exist**, and applies to the routine 7-day inspections, as well as the post-storm-event inspections. If **visual inspection** of the site verifies that all of these conditions are satisfied, document the conditions in section 17 (General Notes) and proceed to section 18 (Inspection Certification). Documentation must include: dates when snow cover existed, date when construction activities ceased, and date when melting conditions began.
- ☐ Other: _____

(13) SWMP MANAGEMENT

	Yes	No	N/A	(g) Reason for N/A
(a) Is the SWMP located on site?				
(b) Are changes to the SWMP documents noted and approved?				
(c) Are the inspection reports retained in the SWMP?				
(d) Are corrective actions from the last inspection completed?				
(e) Is the Spill Response Plan updated in the SWMP?				
(f) Is a list of potential pollutants updated in the SWMP?				

(14) CURRENT CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES

(a) Describe current phase of construction activities		
(b) Estimate of disturbed area at the time of the inspection, use guidance found in 208.04 (e):		
	Acres	Notes
Temporary Stabilization (includes areas of vertically tracked and/or surface roughened temporary stabilizing surface treatments) +		
Interim Stabilization (spray on soil tackifier such as organic mulch tackifier, bonded fiber matrix, wood cellulose fiber with tackifier, etc.) +		
Permanent Stabilization (includes areas of permanent seeding that have not achieved 70% of pre-disturbance vegetation levels) +		
Other (Includes ground disturbing, clearing and grubbing, materials storage, equipment staging, haul roads) +		
Total acres of disturbance (includes cumulative total number of acres including: temporary, interim, permanent stabilized and other) =		
(c) Has the SWMP Phased Control Measure Implementation Matrix been updated?		
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes		<input type="checkbox"/> No

(15) CONSTRUCTION SITE ASSESSMENT & CORRECTIVE ACTIONS ****Off-site Pollutant Discharges are a Violation of the Permit and Reason for Immediate Project Suspension****

The Construction Site Boundary/Limits of Construction (LOC), all disturbed areas, designated haul roads, material and/or waste storage areas that are exposed to precipitation, discharge locations, and locations where vehicles exit the site shall be inspected for evidence of, or the **potential** for, pollutants leaving the LOC, entering the stormwater drainage system, or discharging to State waters. If there is evidence of sediment or other pollutants discharging from the site, see section 16 (Construction Site Assessment).

All erosion and sediment control practices identified in the SWMP shall be evaluated to ensure that they are maintained and operating correctly. Identify the condition of the control measure, using more than one letter if necessary: **(I)** Inadequate control measure; **(M)** Maintenance is needed; **(A)** Additional control measure is needed; **(R)** Remove control measure. Keep copies of this blank page for additional room if needed.

Continuous maintenance is required on all control measures. **As per CDPS-SCP: "Control measures that are not operating effectively, have proven to be inadequate, or have failed must be addressed as soon as possible, immediately in most cases."**

Location	Control Measure	Condition	Comments:	Date Completed & Initials
			Description of Corrective Action and Preventative Measure Taken	

(16) CONSTRUCTION SITE ASSESSMENT **Off-site Pollutant Discharges are a Violation of the Permit and Reason for Immediate Project Suspension**

(a) Is there evidence of discharge of sediment or other pollutants from the site? ☐ Yes ☐ No

*If yes, explain the discharge, the location and the associated corrective actions in section 15 (Construction Site Assessment & Corrective Actions) or section 18 (General Notes).

(b) Has sediment or other pollutants discharging from the site reached State waters? ☐ Yes ☐ No

*If yes, see subsection 208.03(c) and Part I.L.6 of the permit for reporting requirements.

(17) GENERAL NOTES

(18) INSPECTION CERTIFICATION

By signing this form, I certify that I attended the inspection in accordance with specification 208.03.

Contractor's SWMP Administrator (Qualified Stormwater Manager)

Print Name:

Signature Required:

Date:

Contractor's Erosion Control Inspector (If Needed):

Print Name:

Signature (if needed)

Date:

(19) COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATION

I verify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, that if any corrective action items were identified during the inspection, those corrective actions are complete, and the site is currently in compliance with the permit (Part I.A.3.f.i).

Contractor's SWMP Administrator/ECI

Print Name:

Signature Required:

Date

Contractor's Superintendent/Approved Designee

Print Name:

Signature Required:

Date:

CDOT Project Engineer/CDOT Designee

Print Name:

Signature Required:

Date:

Stormwater Management Field Inspection Report Instructions

State waters are defined to be any and all surface and subsurface waters which are contained in or flow through the state, including, streams, rivers, lakes, drainage ditches, storm drains, ground water, and wetlands, but not including waters in sewage systems, waters in treatment works of disposal systems, waters in potable water distribution systems, and all water withdrawn for use until use and treatment have been completed. (Per subsection 107.25 and 25-8-103 (19) CRS)

- (3) SWMP Administrator (Qualified Stormwater Manager) and Erosion Control Inspector:** Indicate the name(s) of the individual responsible for implementing, maintaining and revising the SWMP. An Erosion Control Inspector(s) may be the SWMP Administrator in projects with not more than 40 acres of disturbance (see 208.03(c)).
- (4) CDOT Project Engineer/CDOT Designee:** Indicate the name of the CDOT representative performing the inspection with the SWMP Administrator/Erosion Control Inspector(s). This person should be the Project Engineer or an authorized representative.
- (9) CDPS-SCP Certification #:** Indicate the Colorado Discharge Permit System (CDPS) Stormwater Construction Permit (SCP) (for Stormwater Discharges Associated with Construction Activities) certification number, issued by CDPHE, for the project which the report is being completed. Certification number can be found on the first page of the SCP.
- (12) Reason(s) for Inspection / Exclusion:** Indicate the purpose for the inspection or exclusion. These inspections are required to comply with the CDOT Specifications and the CDPS-SCP.
- ☐ Routine Inspections. These inspections are required at least every 7 calendar days during active construction. Suspended projects require the 7 calendar day inspection unless snow cover exists over the entire site for an extended period of time, and melting conditions do not exist (see, Winter Conditions Inspections Exclusions).
 - ☐ Runoff Event Inspection for Active Sites. See page 1 for definition.
 - ☐ Third Party Request. Indicate the name of the third party requesting the inspection and, if known, the reason the request was made.
 - ☐ Winter Conditions Inspections Exclusions. See page 1 for definition. An inspection does not need to be completed, but use this form to document the conditions that meet the Exclusion.
 - ☐ Other. Specify any other reason(s) that resulted in the inspection.
- (13) SWMP Management:** Review the SWMP records and documents and use a ✓ to answer the question. To comply with CDOT Standard Specifications and the CDPS-SCP, all of the items identified must be adhered to. If No is checked, indicate the necessary corrective action in section 15 (Construction Site Assessment & Corrective Actions). Specification 208.03(d).
- a) A copy of the SWMP must be retained on site, unless another location (specified by the permit) is approved by the Division.
 - b) Indicate all changes that have been made to any portion of the SWMP documents during construction. Changes shall be dated and signed at the time of occurrence. Amendments may include items listed in subsection 208.03(d).
 - c) The SWMP Administrator shall keep a record of inspections. Inspection reports must identify any incidents of noncompliance with the terms and conditions of the CDOT specifications or the CDPS-SCP. Inspection records must be retained for three years from expiration or inactivation of permit coverage.
 - d) Are corrective actions from the last inspection completed? Is a description of the corrective action(s), the date(s) of the corrective action(s), and the measure(s) taken to prevent future violations (including changes to the SWMP, as necessary) documented?
 - e) Subsection 208.06(c) requires that a Spill Response Plan be developed and implemented to establish operating procedures and that the necessary employee training be provided to minimize accidental releases of pollutants that can contaminate stormwater runoff. Records of spills, leaks or overflows that result in the discharge of pollutants must be documented and maintained. Information that should be recorded for all occurrences include the time and date, weather conditions, reasons for spill, etc. Some spills may need to be reported to the Water Quality Control Division immediately.
 - f) (f) Subsection 107.25(b)6 requires the Erosion Control Supervisor to identify and describe all potential pollutant sources, including materials and activities, and evaluate them for the potential to contribute pollutants to stormwater discharge.
 - g) (g) If N/A is checked for any of the items (a) through (f), indicate why in the space provided, if additional space is needed indicate in section 17 (General Notes).

Stormwater Management Field Inspection Report Instructions (continued)

(14) Current Construction Activities:

- a) Provide a short description of the current construction activities/phase at the project site; include summary of grading activities, installation of utilities, paving, excavation, landscaping, etc.
- (1) Estimate of disturbed area at the time of the inspection, use guidance found in 208.04 (e). Estimate the acres of disturbed area at the time of the inspection. Include clearing, grading, excavation activities, areas receiving overburden (e.g. stockpiles), demolition areas and areas with heavy equipment/vehicle traffic, installation of new or improved haul roads and access roads, staging areas, borrow areas and storage that will disturb existing vegetative cover, (Areas that have been: hard armored or paved should not be counted for total disturbance).
- b) Has the Phased control measure Implementation Matrix on the SWMP been updated? As part of the inspection the Phased control measure Implementation matrix for both the structural and non-structural control measures found at the beginning of the SWMP sheets must be reviewed to ensure that "In use on site" box is checked for control measures currently in use at the time of the inspection.

(15) Construction Site Assessment & Corrective Actions: Inspect the construction site and indicate where control measure feature(s) identified in section 13 (SWMP Management), require corrective action. Erosion and sediment control practices identified in the SWMP shall be evaluated to ensure that they are operating correctly.

- Condition. Identify the condition of the control measure, using more than one letter (identified in section 15) if necessary.
- Location. Site location (e.g., project station number, mile marker, intersection quadrant, etc.).
- Control measure. Indicate the type of control measure at this location that requires corrective action (e.g., silt fence, erosion logs, soil retention blankets, etc.).
- Date Completed & Initials. Date and initial when the corrective action was completed and the preventative measure statement finished.
- Description of Corrective Action and Preventative Measure Taken. Provide the proposed corrective action needed to bring the area or control measure into compliance. Once corrective actions are completed, state the measures taken to prevent future violations and ensure that the control measures are operating correctly, including the required changes made to the SWMP.

Inadequate control measure: Is any control measure that is not designed or implemented in accordance with the requirements of the permit and/or any control measure that is not implemented to operate in accordance with its design, this includes control measures that have not been implemented for pollution sources. If it is infeasible to install or repair the control measure immediately after discovering the deficiency the reason must be documented and a schedule included to return the control measure to effective operating condition as soon as possible.

Control measures requiring routine maintenance: Any control measure that is still operating in accordance with its design and the requirements of the permit, but requires maintenance to prevent a breach of the control measure. These items are not subject to the corrective action requirements as specified in Part I.b.1.c of the permit.

Additional: Any control measure inadequate for its application or an area with insufficient control measure(s). If it is infeasible to install revised or additional control measure(s) immediately after discovering the deficiency the reason must be documented and a schedule included to return the control measure to effective operating condition as soon as possible.

Remove: Control measure no longer necessary

(16) Construction Site Assessment: Was there any off site discharge of sediment at this site since the last inspection?

- a) Is there evidence of discharge of sediment or other pollutants from the site? **Off-site pollutant discharges are a violation of the permit.** (The construction site perimeter, all disturbed areas, material and/or waste storage areas that are exposed to precipitation, discharge locations, and locations where vehicles access the site shall be inspected for evidence of, or the potential for, pollutants leaving the construction site boundaries, entering the stormwater drainage system).
- b) Are pollutants discharging to State water?
- c) Has sediment or other pollutants discharging from the site reached State waters? **Off-site pollutant discharges are a violation of the permit.** If off site discharge has occurred, explain the discharge and the corrective actions in section 15 (Construction Site Assessment & Corrective Actions) or section 17 (General Notes).

- (17)** General Notes: Indicate any additional notes that add detail to the inspection; this may include positive practices noted on the project.
- (18)** Inspection Certification: In accordance with 208.03, required personnel shall sign to verify that they were in attendance.
- (19)** Compliance Certification: After all corrections have been made, this signature must be completed in accordance with Part I.A.3.f of the CDPS-SCP.