
TOWN OF CARRBORO



STORMWATER ADVISORY COMMISSION - SUMMARY

Remote Meeting on April 13th, 2022 6:30 pm (Zoom)

Commission Members		Staff
Jeanette O'Connor (chair)	John Cox (vice-chair)	Heather Holley
Robert Dickson	Michael Paul	Randy Dodd
Lauren Joca	Aja Kelleher (absent)	Emily Cochran
Sammy Slade (Council)		

Administrative Matters

Minutes from March were approved unanimously.

Illicit Discharge Ordinance Review

The SWAC discussed proposed changes to the illicit discharge ordinance regarding swimming pool discharges, rights of the Town in investigation of illicit discharges, and whether the Town could apply more stringent regulations to Town-regulated streams beyond State/Federal requirements. The SWAC prepared comments and they were approved unanimously (with one absentee).

Homestead Road Subdivision Concept Plan

The SWAC discussed what was presented at the joint review meeting, the potential location of stormwater control measures, open space requirements, whether or not the developers already owned the land, and whether or not rezoning would be required. The SWAC prepared comments and they were approved unanimously (with one absentee).

Stormwater Staff Update

Staff provided updates on components of the stormwater program including the IDDE program, SCM M&I Program, capital projects, the 319 project, RainReady Study Follow Up and Flood Resilience Framework, recent outreach events (Orange County Creek Week and Carrboro Open Streets) and materials (webpages and brochures), upcoming outreach events. Councilperson Slade suggested that when the illicit discharge ordinance changes are incorporated, we should do outreach to let people know about it.

Additional Items

The SWAC discussed members' preference for whether or not they would return to in-person SWAC meetings or continuing to be remote for immediately upcoming meetings. The SWAC will also return to Thursday evenings for the May and June meetings.

Adjourn

The meeting was adjourned at 8:14 pm.