

We were not able to successfully record the department's November 2, 2016 Storm Water Permitting Webinar. However, we are able to share the slides from the presentation and provide some of the main points covered during the talk.

A few highlights of the webinar include:

- The storm water permit and storm water pollution prevention plan (SWPPP) covers only the rain water that falls outside of the landfill and does not come in contact with waste. Any water that falls within the landfill and comes in contact with waste is treated as leachate and taken to a waste water treatment facility. This includes gas condensate that goes back in with the leachate collection system. The diagram on the 9th slide is meant to illustrate that. The storm water permit would cover the water represented by the green arrows.
- In general, for most sites, the storm water management plan contained in the approved plan of operation approval can be used for the SWPPP. The primary intent with the getting landfills under the tier 2 storm water permit coverage is to satisfy requirements by the EPA and a court-approved stipulation. For sites that are going through the siting process we have been directing them to incorporate ch. NR 151, Wis. Adm. Code performance standards into their design. However, we are not asking existing sites with storm water management plans already approved, to retrofit best management practices (BMPs) at their facility to achieve NR 151 performance standards.
- Requirements in a storm water permit, such as monitoring of storm water outfalls, does not alleviate a landfill from its obligations and monitoring requirements contained in the facility's plan of operation approval. It also does not mean that if the same monitoring is required in both the storm water permit and the plan of operation, that it needs to be conducted twice.
- The tier 2 permit and SWPPP should include the landfill and ancillary activities on the landfill property. Ancillary activities may include but not be limited to recycling facilities, composting facilities, solid waste processing or storage facilities, transfer facilities, soil stock pile facilities, equipment service facilities, etc.
- The SWPPP should be sent to Suzy Limberg, Storm Water Specialist, in Madison. Suzy and Jim Bertolacini's mailing address and contact information is on the last slide. If you or your staff have any questions about the permit application or the SWPPP, you and your staff are welcome to contact Jim or Suzy.

We apologize that the recording did not work.