

## **REPORT OF THE STORMWATER COMMITTEE**

In March of 2003, the Town of Hampden submitted a Notice of Intent and a five year Stormwater Management Program as required by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). The Program consists of various tasks and timelines which address 6 Minimum Controls as outlined by the EPA.

The Committee submitted the second annual report to the Department of Environmental Protection. Since then, the Committee has continued to work on ongoing tasks such as monitoring the Catch Basin Cleaning Program, training of municipal employees with regard to illicit discharges, posting new education displays, updating the Stormwater website and sent out a Stormwater Survey. The Committee drafted an Illicit Discharge Bylaw which was presented and passed at Town Meeting.

New tasks to be undertaken include drafting an Erosion Control Bylaw, and monitoring existing programs.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Committee volunteers for their valuable time, effort, and dedication which makes this program a success.

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