# ROUGE RIVER COLLABORATIVE PUBLIC PARTICIPATION/INVOLVEMENT PROGRAM (PPP) 2020-2021 PROGRESS REPORT



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## A. Purpose

This report summarizes the activities undertaken to implement the Rouge River Collaborative Public Participation/Involvement Program (Plan) which was approved by the Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes and Energy (EGLE) in March 2017. The Plan is part of the municipal separate storm sewer system (MS4) permits for several communities in the Rouge River watershed. The report includes activities implemented by or on behalf of members of the Alliance of Rouge Communities (ARC) from January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2021. The permittees participating in the Plan during the reporting period are listed below.

### Participating Permittees:

Beverly Hills, Village of Henry Ford College Plymouth Township Bingham Farms, Village of Inkster, City of **Redford Township** Birmingham, City of Lathrup Village, City of Schoolcraft College Bloomfield Hills, City of Livonia, City of Southfield, City of **Bloomfield Township** Melvindale, City of Troy, City of Walled Lake, City of Canton Township Northville, City of Dearborn Heights, City of Northville Township Wayne, City of Farmington, City of Novi, City of Westland, City of West Bloomfield Township Farmington Hills, City of Oakland County\* Franklin, Village of Oak Park, City of Wayne County Airport Authority Garden City, City of Plymouth, City of Wayne County\*

# **B.** Action Strategy Status

The status of each action strategy includes a description of each activity, progress made during the reporting period and status of each metric.

#### **Description**

As required, the approved Stormwater Management Program (SWMP) will be made available to the public via the ARC website and links on each community's websites throughout the permit cycle. Friends of the Rouge (FOTR) will inform its membership of the link to review the SWMP. The public will also be informed through the ARC's and community's social media that the plan is available for inspection and comment. The ARC will be identified as the point of contact to receive public comments. The ARC will survey its members regarding any local public notice requirements and will meet them as appropriate.

<sup>\*</sup>Participating in the Plan, but their complete efforts will be reported in their individual progress reports.

# <u>Assessment</u>

METRIC	STATUS
Compile and track comments from the public	No comments received during the reporting period
SWMP posting dates	See Table 1
Dates public invited to participate in implementation and review of the SWMP	<ul> <li>ARC Facebook post on 2/12/20</li> <li>Continuously on ARC website – see Appendix A</li> </ul>

**Table 1: SWMP Posting Dates** 

Community	ARC Posted Date	Permittee Posted Date
Beverly Hills, Village of	1/7/22	5/21/21
Bingham Farms, Village of	1/7/22	4/2/21
Birmingham, City of	1/7/22	5/3/21
Bloomfield Hills, City of	1/7/22	
Bloomfield Township	9/30/20	5/5/20
Canton Township	2/5/20	3/15/22
Dearborn Heights, City of		
Farmington, City of	8/6/21	3/17/22
Farmington Hills, City of	6/30/21	7/1/21
Franklin, Village of	1/7/22	
Garden City, City of	1/10/22	
Henry Ford College	1/11/22	
Inkster, City of	4/6/22	
Lathrup Village, City of	1/7/22	3/23/21
Livonia, City of	6/30/21	
Melvindale, City of		
Northville, City of		
Northville Township	2/5/20	2/5/20
Novi, City of	1/10/22	3/21/22
Oak Park, City of		
Plymouth, City of	1/11/22	
Plymouth Township	4/28/21	3/16/22
Redford Township	3/15/21	3/16/22
Schoolcraft College	4/6/22	
Southfield, City of	1/14/22	
Troy, City of	1/10/22	
Walled Lake, City of		
Wayne, City of	5/7/21	3/16/22
Westland, City of	3/18/21	3/23/21
West Bloomfield Township	3/18/21	5/1/21
Wayne County Airport Authority		

# Appendix A ARC Stormwater Management Plan Website



#### **Comment on your Community's SWMP**

The stormwater management plan (SWMP) for each community is provided below for public comment. If you have any comments on your community's SWMP, please submit them to ARC staff using the form below and they will be forwarded to the relevant community.

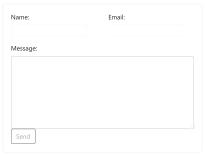
Thank you for your interest in the Rouge River!

# Collaborative Plans — Illicit Discharge Elimination Plan ((DEP) — Public Education Program (PEP) — Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) — Public Participation Program (PPP).

#### **Individual Community Stormwater Management Plans**

Bingham Farms Bloomfield Hills Bloomfield Township Canton Township Farmington Hills <u>Farmington</u> Franklin Garden City Henry Ford College Inkster <u>Lathrup Village</u> Northville Novi Redford Township  $\underline{\mathsf{Northville}\;\mathsf{Township}}$ Plymouth Plymouth Township Schoolcraft College Southfield Wayne West Bloomfield Township Westland

#### **Provide Public Comment**



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