

# Download Stormwater Design Manual

The New York State Stormwater Management Design Manual provides designers with a general overview on how to size, design, select, and locate stormwater management practices at a development site to comply with State stormwater performance standards. This manual is a key component of the Phase II About the Manual The Stormwater Design Manual standardizes how stormwater elements of a project are designed, submitted, reviewed, approved, and inspected. Stormwater Management Manual. The 2016 Stormwater Management Manual revisions became effective on February 1, 2016. For projects that applied under the previous regulations, the following deadlines must be met: Stormwater, also spelled storm water, is water that originates during precipitation events and snow/ice melt. Stormwater can soak into the soil (infiltrate), be held on the surface and evaporate, or runoff and end up in nearby streams, rivers, or other water bodies (surface water).