Managing Stormwater In Tough Budget Times

A New Approach to Financing Stormwater Management: Stormwater Utility Districts
First in a Workshop Series

October 25, 2011
URI Coastal Institute, Narragansett Bay Campus
2:30 pm – 5:00 pm

What Is The Workshop About?
This workshop will focus on current challenges faced by municipalities, discuss the future direction of municipal stormwater management, and introduce stormwater utility districts as a funding mechanism. Speakers will include stormwater expert Andrew Reese, who will speak about costs, drivers, and benefits of stormwater utilities; followed by a panel of local municipal officials discussing the costs of managing stormwater in their towns and the funding options they have explored.

Who Should Attend?
Public works directors, council members, managers, planners and other board/commission members

Advisory to communities participating in the Phase II Stormwater Education and Outreach Program: MS4s attendance at this workshop is mandatory.

How Do I Register?
Cost is FREE but registration is required. Please visit our website (www.uri.edu/ce/wq/NEMO/Workshops-Support/index.htm) for registration details. Please register early. Space is limited and registrations will be accepted in the order received.

What Are The Other Workshops In The Series?
November 17, 2011
Stormwater Utilities Districts: Success Stories From New England

January 26, 2012
Stormwater Utilities: Rhode Island Moves Forward

Guest Speaker
Andrew J. Reese is an experienced consultant with more than 30 years in stormwater management. His current focus is municipal stormwater management, with special emphasis on sustainable design and stormwater financing.