

Stormwater, Land Development and Construction Workgroups Draft Meeting Summary Tuesday, November 18, 2014 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM H-GAC Conference Room A, Second Floor

Call to Order/Welcome/Introductions

Linda Broach, Amy Carl, Richard Chapin, Jonathan Holley, Brook Hunter, Amanda Jensen, Craig Maske, Alisa Max, Will Merrell, John Moss

Review Summaries from 2/20/2014 Meetings

Discussion: Preparing BIG 2015 Annual Report – I-Plan Strategies 4.0 Stormwater and Land Development and 6.0 Construction Sources

Workgroup reviewed the 2014 Annual Report, the timeline for preparing the 2015 report, and reported on implementation activities accomplished in the 2014 calendar year. John Moss ECB Services agreed to provide LID updates to the LID spreadsheet. Harris County noted that Harris County MUDs are working under the Harris County Phase I permit.

Workgroup reviewed the draft MS4 operator survey and provided guidance for sending out the survey and increasing the number of responses. Members noted that it would be important to state that this is not a regulatory survey and to make all questions, multiple-choice.

Workgroup discussed expectations for the 2015 Annual Report and discussed the focus and priorities for 2015 calendar year.

Discussion: Review I-Plan Language for Strategies 4.0 Stormwater and Land Development and 6.0 Construction

Workgroup reviewed the approved I-Plan wording. Workgroup discussed potential editorial changes.

It was suggested that the workgroup might want to re-work 4.2. to rephrase network meetings to include development and redevelopment stormwater best management practices. The workgroup may want to ensure that there is greater flexibility to include meetings, workshops and conferences presenting best management practices. Workgroup will discuss this section at the next meeting to determine any specific language before considering presenting to the BIG.

Adjourn

Upcoming Meeting Schedule

May 12, 2015: BIG Annual Meeting December 8, 2014: Animals and Agriculture – 10:00 AM December 15, 2014: Waste Water Treatment Facilities and Sanitary Sewer Systems – 1:00 PM at H-GAC