

Due by March 31, 2015

Notice: Pursuant to s. NR 216.07(8), Wis. Adm. Code, an owner or operator of a Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System (MS4) is required to submit an annual report to the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) by March 31 of each year to report on activities for the previous calendar year. This form is being provided by the DNR for the user's convenience. Personal information collected will be used for administrative purposes and may be provided to the extent required by Wisconsin's Open Records Law [ss. 19.31-19.39, Wis. Stats.]

This form is for reporting on activities undertaken in calendar year 2014.

Instructions: Complete each section of the form that follows. If additional space is needed to respond to a question, attach additional pages. Provide descriptions that explain the program actions taken to comply with the general permit. Complete and submit the annual report by March 31, 2015, to the appropriate address indicated on the last page of this form.

SECTION I. Municipal Information

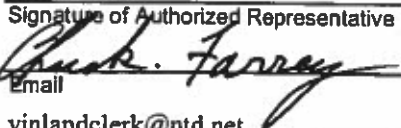
Name of Municipality Town of Vinland		Facility ID No. (FIN) 31080	
Mailing Address 6085 County Road T	City Oshkosh	State WI	ZIP Code 54904
County(s) in which Municipality is located Winnebago	Municipality Type: (select one) <input type="radio"/> County <input type="radio"/> City <input type="radio"/> Village <input checked="" type="radio"/> Town <input type="radio"/> Other (specify)		

SECTION II. Municipal Contact Information

Name of Municipal Contact Person Marilyn Fahrenkrug		Title Town Clerk	
Mailing Address (if different from above)	City	State	ZIP Code
Email vinlandclerk@ntd.net	Phone Number (include area code) (920) 235-6953	Fax Number (include area code) (920) 235-6994	

SECTION III. Certification

I hereby certify that I am an authorized representative of the municipality covered under MS4 General Permit No. WI-S050075-2 for which this annual report is being submitted and that the information contained in this document and all attachments were gathered and prepared under my direction or supervision. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons under my direction or supervision involved in the preparation of this document, to the best of my knowledge, the information is true, accurate, and complete. I further certify that the municipality's governing body or delegated representatives have reviewed or been apprised of the contents of this annual report. I understand that Wisconsin law provides severe penalties for submitting false information.

Authorized Representative Printed Name Chuck Farrey	Authorized Representative Title Town Supervisor		
Signature of Authorized Representative 	Date 03/31/2015		
Email vinlandclerk@ntd.net	Phone Number (include area code) (920) 235-6953	Fax Number (include area code) (920) 235-6994	

SECTION IV. General Information

a. Describe what efforts the municipality has undertaken to invite the municipal governing body, interest groups, and the general public to review and comment on the annual report.

The Annual Report for the Town's MS4 Stormwater Permit will be presented during the May 2015 Town Board meeting. During the public meeting, the Town Board and general public will be provided an opportunity to review and comment on the Annual Report. The meeting agenda will be posted as required by State Statute and placed on the Town's website. After the meeting, the Annual Report will be posted on the Town's website and made available in hard copy format at the Town Hall. The general public will be encouraged to review and comment on the Annual Report. Comments received from the public will be documented and considered as part of the next Annual Report.

b. Describe how elected and municipal officials and appropriate staff have been kept apprised of the municipal storm water discharge permit and its requirements.

MS4 Permit requirements are discussed during Town Board meetings, Wisconsin Towns Association seminars, and informational sessions with Town Engineers. Elected officials have discussed permit requirements and changes throughout the year as necessary.

SECTION IV. General Information (continued)

c. Has the municipality prepared its own municipal-wide storm water management plan? Yes No

If yes, title and date of storm water management plan:

Town of Vinland Stormwater Management Plan (August 27, 2008)

d. Has the municipality entered into a written agreement with another municipality or a contract with another entity to perform one or more of the conditions as provided under section 2.10 of the general permit? Yes No

If yes, describe these cooperative efforts:

The "Winnebago County Construction Site Erosion Control and Stormwater Management Ordinance" was adopted by the County Board pursuant to Chapter 59.693, Wis. Stats. As such, due to the statutory basis for this ordinance, no intergovernmental agreement is needed. The Winnebago County Ordinance is applicable to land-disturbing construction activity, new land development, and land redevelopment activity located within the boundaries and jurisdiction of the unincorporated portion of Winnebago County. Winnebago County is responsible for ordinance adoption, implementation, enforcement and education on behalf of the Town.

e. Does the municipality have an internet website? Yes No

If yes, provide web address:

Town of Vinland website is www.townofvinland.com. County website is www.co.winnebago.wi.us/lwcd.

If the municipality has an internet website, is there current information about or links provided to the MS4 general permit and/or the municipality's storm water management program? Yes No

If yes, provide web address:

www.townofvinland.com.

SECTION V. Permit Conditions

a. **Minimum Control Measures:** For each of the permit conditions listed below, provide a description of the implementation of each program element, the status of meeting measurable goals, and compliance with permit schedule in section 2.11 of the MS4 general permit. Provide an evaluation of program compliance with the general permit, the appropriateness of identified best management practices, and progress towards achieving identified measurable goals. Be specific in describing the actions that have been taken during the reporting year to implement each permit condition and whether measurable goals have been met, including any data collected to document a measurable goal. Also, explain the reasons for any variations from the compliance schedule in the MS4 general permit.

• Public Education and Outreach

The Town's website received 4,199 "hits" during 2014. A display rack with educational material is located in the foyer of the Town Hall. Educational materials regarding illicit discharges, lawn fertilizers, soil testing, weeds & pesticides, lawn watering, grass clippings, leaf maintenance, pet waste, household hazardous waste and car care are provided in the display rack. Six stormwater related educational materials were taken from the display rack during 2014.

Every six months, the Town actively distributes or mails its semi-annual newsletter to approximately 700 homeowners and businesses. The newsletter contains information such as household hazardous waste disposal, recycling collection, garbage collection, and good household practices. The Town intends to continue adding stormwater articles and educational information to its newsletter in 2015. Potential stormwater topics include lawn fertilizers, residential infiltration, leaves, grass clippings, stream and shoreline erosion, illicit discharges, construction site erosion control, post-construction stormwater management, household practices, household hazardous waste and/or car care.

Winnebago County was not sure how many "Permit Certificates" were posted at construction sites during 2014. The "Permit Certificate" educated the public about construction site erosion control and provided a phone number for the public to ask questions and/or provide tips.

SECTION V. Permit Conditions (continued)

• **Public Involvement and Participation**

Please refer to Chapter 4 and Appendix D of the Town of Vinland Stormwater Management Plan, August 2008 currently on file with the DNR. The Town Board held 17 public meetings during 2014. The public was provided an opportunity to become involved and participate during the meetings. Various stormwater topics were discussed, including but not limited to the MS4 Annual Report.

The public submitted stormwater tips and complaints to the Town and County 0 times during 2014.

• **Illicit Discharge Detection and Elimination**

The Town obtained public input and adopted an Illicit Discharge Ordinance on July 7, 2009. The Town obtained public input and adopted a Fee Schedule for the Illicit Discharge program on July 7, 2009. The Town developed its outfall map during 2007.

The Town performed ongoing field screening of 2 outfalls during 2014. No hazardous spills were investigated or reported during 2014. No illicit discharge or spill notifications were issued to adjacent municipalities or DNR during 2014. No "warning notices", "notices of violation" or enforcement actions were issued during 2014. No illicit discharge tips or complaints were received from the general public during 2014.

• **Construction Site Pollutant Control**

The "Winnebago County Construction Site Erosion Control and Stormwater Management Ordinance" was adopted by the County Board pursuant to Chapter 59.693, Wis. Stats. As such, due to the statutory basis for this ordinance, no intergovernmental agreement is needed. The Winnebago County Ordinance is applicable to land-disturbing construction activity, new land development, and land redevelopment activity located within the boundaries and jurisdiction of the unincorporated portion of Winnebago County. Winnebago County is responsible for ordinance adoption, implementation, enforcement and education on behalf of the Town.

Winnebago County provided the following 2014 information for construction site located within the Town of Vinland: 7 construction site erosion control permits were issued during 2014 (2 single family homes, 3 sheds / buildings / garages, 1 grading, and 1 road ditch maintenance), 17 sites were inspected (6 new sites and 11 ongoing sites from prior years), 34 total site inspections were performed, ? permits were posted at construction sites, no erosion control tips / complaints were received from the general public, no written "warning notices" were issued, numerous verbal "warning notices" were issued, no "notices of violation" were issued and no fines were issued.

NEWSC distributed numerous handouts during exhibiting.

• **Post-Construction Storm Water Management**

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Winnebago County provided the following 2014 information for post-construction sites located within the Town of Vinland. No new permits were issued during 2014. No new long-term maintenance agreements were recorded at the Register of Deeds. One post-construction tip / complaint was received from the general public. The Town did not construct any new BMP's during 2014.

NEWSC distributed numerous handouts during exhibiting.

SECTION V. Permit Conditions (continued)

• **Pollution Prevention**

Please refer to Chapter 8 of the Town Stormwater Management Plan, August 2008.

The Town does not own or operate any curb and gutter streets.

The Town does not own or operate any storm sewer systems with catch basin sumps.

The Town owns and operates grass swales that are located within the public road right-of-way. The Town performs maintenance on the grass swale systems.

71.45 tons of salt, 22.50 tons of salt/sand, and 340 gallons of salt brine solution were applied during 2014.

The Town does not own or operate any properties with more than 5 acres of turf grass where lawn fertilizers are applied.

The Town does not currently provide curb-side leaf, grass clipping and brush collection. Property owners are allowed to compost onsite, burn onsite, or dispose of yard waste at the Winnebago County Landfill.

Curb-side recycling collection was performed once every week and curb-side garbage collection was performed once every week.

No Town employees received stormwater training during 2014 (Town does not have employees, except office staff).

h. Winter Road Management Activities (Optional reporting for 2014):

Provide the name, title, and phone number for the individual(s) with overall responsibility for winter roadway maintenance.

Describe the types of products used for winter road management (e.g. deicing, pre-wetting, salting, etc.).

Describe the type of equipment used to apply the products.

Report the amount of product used per month.

Report the snow disposal locations, if snow is hauled away.

Describe any anti-icing, equipment calibration, and salt reduction strategies considered.

Describe any other additional measurable data or information that the permittee used to evaluate its winter road management activities.

SECTION V. Permit Conditions (continued)

c. Municipal facility(s) (Optional reporting for 2014):

Provide an inventory of municipally owned or operated structural storm water management facility(s), include: Location of each facility and contact information for the individual(s) with overall responsibility for each facility.

Describe the housekeeping activities and best management practices installed to reduce or eliminate storm water contamination.

Discuss recommendations for improvements to current storm water management practices at the facility(s) and a timeline for installation and/or implementation of these recommendations.

Describe the municipal facility(s) employee training on storm water pollution prevention provided.

Describe the spill prevention and response procedures in place at the municipal facility(s).

- d. Storm Water Quality Management:** Has the municipality completed a pollutant-loading analysis to assess compliance with the 20% TSS reduction developed urban area performance standard? Yes No

If yes, provide the following: Model used SLAMM Version 9.2.1 Reduction (%) 40

If no, include a description of any actions the municipality has undertaken during 2014 to help achieve the 20% standard.

- Has the municipality completed an evaluation of all municipal owned or operated structural flood control facilities to determine the feasibility of retrofitting to increase TSS removal? Yes No

If yes, describe:

Please refer to the Town of Vinland Stormwater Management Plan, August 2008 currently on file with the DNR. The Stormwater Management Plan included an analysis of existing flood control facilities. The Town's urbanized area does not contain any existing flood control facilities or structural BMP's.

- e. Best Management Practices Maintenance:** Does the municipality have a maintenance program for installed storm water best management practices? Yes No

If yes, describe the maintenance program and any maintenance activities that have occurred for best management practices in 2014. If available, attach any additional information on the maintenance program.

Winnebago County handles the maintenance program for privately-owned BMPs located in the Town. Winnebago County relies on the BMP owner to complete the required maintenance in accordance with the approved plan. In 2014, the Town performed routine maintenance activities for the one publicly-owned pond, including trash removal and vegetation management.

- f. Storm Sewer System Map:** Describe any changes or updates to the storm sewer system map made in the reporting year. Provide an updated map if any changes occurred during the reporting year.

No significant changes or updates to system map.

SECTION VI. Fiscal Analysis

- a. Provide a fiscal analysis that includes the annual expenditures for 2014, and the budget for 2014 and 2015. A table to document fiscal information is provided on page 8.**

SECTION VI. Fiscal Analysis (continued)

b. What financing/fiscal strategy has the municipality implemented to finance the requirements of the general permit?

- Storm water utility General fund Other _____

c. Are adequate revenues being generated to implement your storm water management program to meet the permit requirements? Yes No

Please provide a brief summary of your financing/fiscal strategy and any additional information that will assist the Department in understanding how storm water management funds are being generated to implement and administer your storm water management program.

The Town obtains funds from its General Fund.

SECTION VII. Inspections and Enforcement Actions

Note: If an ordinance listed below has previously been submitted and has not been amended since that time, a copy does not need to be submitted again. If the ordinance was previously submitted, indicate such in the space provided.

a. As of the date of this annual report, has the municipality updated or revised its construction site pollutant control ordinance in accordance with subsection 2.4.1 of the general permit? Yes No If yes, attach copy or provide web link to ordinance:

<http://www.co.winnebago.wi.us/lwcd/programs/ordinances>

b. As of the date of this annual report, has the municipality updated or revised its post-construction storm water management ordinance in accordance with subsection 2.5.1 of the general permit? Yes No

If yes, attach copy or provide web link to ordinance: <http://www.co.winnebago.wi.us/lwcd/programs/ordinances>

c. As of the date of this annual report, has the municipality updated or revised its illicit discharge detection and elimination ordinance in accordance with subsection 2.3.1 of the general permit? Yes No If yes, attach copy or provide web link to ordinance:

<http://www.townofvinland.org>

d. As of the date of this annual report, has the municipality adopted any other ordinances it has deemed necessary to implement a program under the general permit (e.g., pet waste ordinance, leaf management/yard waste ordinance, parking restrictions for street cleaning, etc.)? Yes No If yes, attach copy or provide web link to ordinance:

e. Provide a summary of available information on the number and nature of inspections and enforcement actions conducted during the reporting period to ensure compliance with the ordinances described in a. to d. above.

See previous sections

SECTION VIII. Water Quality Concerns

a. Does any part of the MS4 discharge to an outstanding resource water (ORW) or exceptional resource water (ERW) listed under s. NR 102.10 or 102.11, Wis. Adm. Code? (A list of ORWs and ERWs may be found on the Department's Internet site at: <http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/surfacewater/orwenw.html>) Yes No If yes, list:

b. Does any part of the MS4 discharge to an impaired waterbody listed in accordance with section 303(d)(1) of the federal Clean Water Act, 33 USC § 1313(d)(1)(C)? (A list of the most current Wisconsin impaired waterbodies may be found on the Department's Internet site at: <http://dnr.wi.gov/water/impairedsearch.aspx?status=303d>) Yes No If yes, complete the following:

• Impaired waterbody to which the MS4 discharges:
Lake Winnebago

• Description of actions municipality has taken to comply with section 1.5.2 of the MS4 general permit for discharges of pollutant(s) of concern to an impaired waterbody:
Please refer to Chapter 9 (pages 9-8 and 9-9) of the Town of Vinland Stormwater Management Plan, August 2008.

SECTION VIII. Water Quality Concerns (continued)

c. Identify any known water quality improvements in the receiving water to which the MS4 discharges during the reporting period.

No water quality improvements were observed by the Town.

d. Identify any known water quality degradation in the receiving water to which the MS4 discharges during the reporting period and what actions are being taken to improve the water quality in the receiving water.

No water quality degradation was observed by the Town.

SECTION IX. Proposed Program Changes

Describe any proposed changes to the storm water management program being contemplated by the municipality for 2015 and the schedule for implementing those changes. Proposed program changes must be consistent with the requirements of the general permit.

No program changes are anticipated for 2015

SECTION X. Other

Any other additional information the permittee would like to provide in the Annual Report regarding their storm water program?

Fiscal Analysis Table. Complete the fiscal analysis table provided below.

Program Element	Annual Expenditure		Budget		Source of Funds
	2014	2014	2014	2015	
Public Education and Outreach	800	800	800	800	General Fund
Public Involvement and Participation	100	100	100	100	General Fund
Illicit Discharge Detection and Elimination	50	50	50	50	General Fund (Town does not have employees, equipment or facilities that are related to pollution prevention)
Construction Site Pollutant Control	0	0	0	0	Winnebago County collects user fees and administers each aspect of this program for the Town
Post-Construction Storm Water Management	0	0	0	0	Winnebago County collects user fees and administers each aspect of this program for the Town
Pollution Prevention	0	0	0	0	General Fund (Town does not have employees, equipment or facilities that are related to pollution prevention)
Storm Water Quality Management (including pollutant-loading analysis)	0	0	0	0	General Fund
Storm Sewer System Map	0	0	0	0	General Fund
Other:					