
Term	Acronym	Description
Water Quality		Measure of how suitable water is for a particular type of use (such as drinking and bathing) based on physical, chemical, and biological characteristics such as temperature, turbidity, mineral content, and the presence of bacteria
Water Quality Control		Planning, design, construction, operation, maintenance and renewal of infrastructure to remove suspended solids and other contaminants from stormwater, either actively or passively
Watercourse		Open channel, either natural or built or a combination thereof, which gathers or carries surface water with some degree of regularity
Watercourse Erosion Control		Measures employed to prevent or control the loosening and removal of soil from the bank and/or bed of a watercourse by running water; may include bank or bed protection, grading modifications, watercourse realignment and capacity improvements
Windrow		Build-up of material (e.g., leaves, snow) left at the bottom of a driveway, or along a curb
