

The Minnesota Pollution Control Agency (MPCA) developed this table to consolidate all timeframes listed in the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES)/State Disposal System (SDS) Construction Stormwater (CSW) Permit listed in one place. Local stormwater staff in regulated municipal separate storm sewer systems (MS4) communities can use this table to know the expectations for municipally owned or operated projects and for construction sites they are inspecting.

Times	Immediate	24 hours	End of next business day	72 hours	7 days	14 days	Within 30 days of event	3 years	Other timeframes
Activity	Initiate soil stabilization where construction activity has permanently or temporarily stopped and will not resume for 14 days, or for 7 days if the site discharges to a special or impaired water	Complete stabilization of exposed soil that is within 200 feet (ft) of a Public Waters that has a "work in water restrictions" during specified fish spawning times	Repair or replace nonfunctional best management practices (BMPs)	Be available onsite - staff who are trained in conducting inspections or responsible for the stormwater pollution prevention plan (SWPPP)	Complete stabilization of soils for projects within one mile aerial radius of a special or impaired water, where work has temporarily or permanently ceased on any portion of the site	Complete stabilization of exposed soils after construction has permanently or temporarily stopped in that portion of the site (see 7 days if the site discharges to a special or impaired water within a one mile aerial radius)	Submit a Permit Modification Form if ownership changes	Retain records after the permit is closed	<i>30 days before work starts:</i> Submit a copy of the (SWPPP) to the MPCA if construction will disturb 50 or more acres and may discharge to a special or impaired water located within a one aerial mile radius
	Replace downgradient sediment controls that were adjusted or removed to accommodate short-term activity	Stabilize ditch bottoms within 200 ft of a surface water or property line (see 14 day requirements for remaining portion)	Repair or replace perimeter control devices when they are nonfunctional	Drain and remove sediment from sedimentation basins when sediment reaches half the storage volume	Conduct inspections of the entire site	Complete stabilization of temporary or permanent ditches or swales after connection to surface water or property edge (see 24 hour requirements for bottom 200 ft)	Submit the Notice of Termination (NOT) Form to end permit coverage when the project is finished and final stabilization is complete	Complete refresher training in erosion prevention, sediment control, permanent stormwater management, and/or the Construction Stormwater Permit	<i>7 days before work starts:</i> Submit permit application to the MPCA (see 30 days before work starts)
		Stabilize temporary or permanent ditches or swales that were being used as sediment containment during construction but are no longer used	Repair or replace perimeter control devices when sediment reaches half the device height	Provide the SWPPP, including all certificates, reports, records, or other information, to federal, state, and local officials, upon request	Amend the SWPPP if inspections identify that changes are needed				<i>Before land disturbing activities begin:</i> install sediment control practices on downgradient perimeters and upgradient of buffer zones
		Install energy dissipation at pipe outlets			Remove all deltas and sediment in surface waters and restabilize exposed soil				<i>For sites that construction activity has ceased and there is permanent cover on all exposed soils:</i> inspect the site if the ground isn't frozen at least once a month for 12 months
		Inspect the site if 0.5 inches or more of rain falls within a 24 hour period							<i>If sediment is in the streets:</i> Remove it frequently enough to minimize off-site impacts
		Record all inspections and maintenance activities							
		Inspect site after runoff occurs if construction was suspended due to frozen conditions							
		Remove tracked sediment from all paved surfaces							