

**AGENCY OF NATURAL RESOURCES
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION**

NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT

NOTICE: Public comments are invited on a Draft National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) general permit for residually designated stormwater discharges to Bartlett, Centennial, Englesby, Morehouse and Potash Brooks. Previously, on June 19, 2009, the Department issued notice of initial designation to property owners with designated stormwater discharges. Comments are invited on both the draft general permit and on whether the designation of any particular stormwater discharge(s) is appropriate.

DESCRIPTION: Pursuant to a Vermont Environmental Court Judgment Order (In re: Stormwater NPDES Petition (Conservation Law Foundation Appeal) Docket No. 14-1-07 Vtec (Aug. 28, 2008)), the Vermont Agency of Natural Resources (VTANR) has prepared a NPDES permit for residually designated stormwater discharges to Bartlett, Centennial, Englesby, Morehouse, and Potash Brooks.

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: Written comments will be accepted through the close of business **October 30, 2009** (4:30 PM). Comments should be submitted in writing to:

VT Department of Environmental Conservation, Water Quality Division
Building 10 North
103 South Main Street
Waterbury, VT 05671-0408
Attention: Jennifer Callahan

or as a Microsoft Word or Adobe .pdf email attachment to: jennifer.callahan@state.vt.us

The previously noticed public informational meeting on the draft permit will be held on **October 14, 2009 at 6 PM** in the South Burlington City Hall Conference Room, 575 Dorset Street, South Burlington, Vermont.

DOCUMENT AVAILABILITY: The draft general permit and related fact sheet are available for download from the Department's Water Quality Division website at www.vtwaterquality.org or by calling (802) 241-3780. Office hours are 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM, Monday through Friday. A copy of the initial designation notice for Bartlett, Centennial, Englesby, Morehouse and Potash Brooks, as well as a list of property owners that received such notice, is also available at this website.