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2015 STORMWATER AWARENESS SERIES

SESSION #16: After the Snow

The Town of Arlington Engineering Division is hosting a Stormwater Awareness Series open to residents of the Town of Arlington and the general public.

The series is designed to educate residents on Stormwater and the impacts on runoff, water quality, flood control and prevention, erosion and other stormwater related impacts within the Town of Arlington. Information will be provided by stormwater professionals for the purpose of increasing awareness of these issues within the Town and to provide information for residents to help understand how the surrounding environment affects, and impacts, the local water resources and what can be done to reduce these impacts.

The next presentation is scheduled to be held on April 14^{th} 7:00-8:00 p.m. in the Selectmen's Hearing Room, Arlington Town Hall, 2^{nd} floor. The session will include a presentation "After the Snow". Sand & salt, freeze & thaw, and snow & ice, the remedy for winter effects requires special attention in the spring. Information will be provided for businesses and residents about the deleterious effects of winter and the related impacts as they relate to stormwater runoff and how to clean up the after the winter mess deleterious. The presentation will be followed by a question and answer session related to the presentation session topics.

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April 14th, 2015 7:00 p.m. – 8:00pm **Title:** After the Snow

Speaker: Wayne A. Chouinard, PE Town of Arlington Engineering Division



WAYNE A. CHOUINARD, TOWN OF ARLINGTON; ENGINEERING DIVISION
This presentation will provide an overview of stormwater runoff and information for springtime maintenance tasks to counter the side effects of winter. This presentation will review areas for businesses and residents to consider as the cleanup from the winter begins.

After the Snow

The following is an outline of scheduled presentation:

- I. Overview of Stormwater Runoff
- II. Winter Impact
- III. Performing Inspections
- IV. Springtime Cleanup
 - a. Businesses
 - b. Residences
- V. Maintenance & Repairs
 - a. Gutters & Downspouts
 - b. Parking Lots and Driveways
 - c. Catchbasin, manholes and drywells
 - d. Grading & Landscaping

Future Presentations

This is the first presentation of the 2015 Season. The Arlington Engineering Division will continue to plan additional presentations on topics and ideas important to the Town and residents. The next presentation will be an overview of the "Blue Cities Program" to be held on June9, 2015. Please stay tune for future presentations and announcements. Updated information on these sessions will be sent by email via Town of Arlington Notices and posted online at arlingtonma.gov/engineering.

If you would like to view information from past stormwater presentations please visit the stormwater awareness web page:

 $http://www.town.arlington.ma.us/Public_Documents/ArlingtonMA_DPW/engineering/stormwater/awareness/index-or-$

To view a video of past sessions and presentations can also be found in the Stormwater section at

http://vod.acmi.tv/category/government/storm-water-awareness/

All Sessions:

7:00 – 8:00 p.m. Selectmen's Hearing Room, 2nd Floor 730 Massachusetts Avenue Arlington, MA 02476