CITY OF CAMARILLO STORMWATER QUALITY REQUIREMENTS

The following types of developments are subject to post-construction stormwater quality mitigation identified in the Ventura County Municipal Stormwater Permit (Order 2010-0108) and will be required to submit a Post Construction Stormwater Management Plan (PCSMP) that has received the City of Camarillo Public Works Department approval with the project application. In addition a $2,000 Fee deposit will be required with the PCSMP submittal. The PCSMP template is available on the city’s website; at www.ci.camarillo.ca.us. Project applicants can also contact the City of Camarillo Stormwater Manager at 805-383-5659 for PCSMP requirements.

A copy of the Stormwater Permit can be obtained from the Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board at www.swrcb.ca.gov/rwqcb or call the City’s Stormwater Program Manager at 805-383-5659. Guidance for complying with the requirements can be found in the July 2011 Ventura County Technical Guidance Manual for Stormwater Quality Control Measures (TGM) downloadable at www.vcstormwater.org

NEW DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS

1. Development projects equal to 1 acre or greater of disturbed area that adds more than 10,000 square feet of impervious surface area.

2. Industrial parks with 10,000 square feet or more of total altered surface area.

3. Commercial strip malls with 10,000 square feet or more of impervious surface area.

4. Retail gasoline outlets, automotive service facilities, or restaurants with 5,000 square feet or more of total altered surface area.

5. Parking lots with 5,000 square feet or more of impervious surface area, or with 25 or more parking spaces.

6. Streets, roads, highways, and freeway construction of 10,000 square feet or more of impervious surface area (see Section 2 of the TGM for specific requirements).

7. Projects located in or directly adjacent to, or discharging directly to an Environmentally Sensitive Area (ESA), where the development will (a) discharge stormwater runoff that is likely to impact a sensitive biological species or habitat; and (b) create 2,500 square feet or more of impervious surface area.

8. Single-family hillside homes (see Section 2 of the TGM for specific requirements). Hillside means property located in an area with known erosive soil conditions, where the development will result in grading on any slope that is 20% or greater.

REDEVELOPMENT PROJECTS

Redevelopment projects that fall within any development category (1) through (8) above, and that conduct land-disturbing activities that result in the creation, or addition, or replacement of 5,000 square feet or more of impervious surface area on an already developed site. Existing single-family dwellings and accessory structures are exempt from the redevelopment requirements unless they create, add, or replace 10,000 square feet of impervious surface area. Redevelopment does not include routine maintenance activities that are conducted to maintain original line and grade, hydraulic capacity, original purpose of facility or emergency redevelopment activity required to protect public health and safety.

If a project’s development application was deemed complete for processing prior to October 11, 2011, it may not be subject to the above requirements but would instead comply with Stormwater Quality Urban Impact Mitigation (SQUIMP) requirements identified in the 2002 Technical Guidance Manual. Contact the City’s Stormwater Program Manager at 805-383-5659 for more information.