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## Public Comment Period Closes September 1 for County's Stormwater Manual

[The Beaufort County Stormwater Department](#) is in the final week of seeking public input on the draft “[2016 Beaufort County Manual for Stormwater Best Management and Design Practices](#)”. The public comment period will close on September 1, 2016, and the final draft will be presented for adoption to the [County's Stormwater Management Utility Board](#) at their [regularly scheduled meeting](#) on September 14, 2016. The meeting will take place in the Executive Conference Room, [Administration Building, Beaufort County Government Robert Smalls Complex, 100 Ribaut Road, Beaufort](#).

The Manual contains the design and construction standards for stormwater facilities, such as detention ponds and pipe systems, as well as regulations related to the County's Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System (MS4) permit. Local engineers, developers, homebuilders, and the general public commonly use the Manual to aid them in stormwater management on their properties. Comments can be submitted to the Beaufort County Stormwater Department at [wstormwater@bcgov.net](mailto:wstormwater@bcgov.net) or 843-255-2805.