

Wet Swale Maintenance Schedule and Guidelines

This document must be recorded as an addendum to the stormwater management/ BMP facilities operation and maintenance agreement

Routine Maintenance Guidelines

Swales must be inspected to ensure that they operate in good working condition and in accordance with the approved design and specifications. Items in need of repair must be immediately addressed.

Routine Maintenance Tasks	Frequency
Remove trash and debris	As needed
Check and repair eroded areas	Annually
Remove any invasive vegetation	As needed
Inspect plant composition for consistency with approved plans and correct any deficiencies	Annually
Replace any dead or dying plantings	Annually
Remove accumulated sand or sediment	Annually
Inspect for and repair any eroded or blocked check dams	Annually
Inspect for and remove any clogging at inflow and outlets	Annually