

City Council Hearing: Resolution 21-0070R



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Plans Review and Inspection Section

MDE

1. Maryland Stormwater Design Manual (2000)
2. Erosion and Sediment Control Manual and Standard Details (2011)
3. MDE Model Standard Plan for Poultry House Site Development on Maryland's Eastern Shore (2011)
4. MDE Maryland Soil Erosion and Sediment Control Standards and Specifications for Forest Harvesting Operations(2015)
5. Stormwater Vegetation Guidance (2019)

Plans Review

- Stormwater Management [SWM] (Art 7, Div. II)
- Erosion & Sediment Control [ESC] (Art 7, Div. III)

Inspections

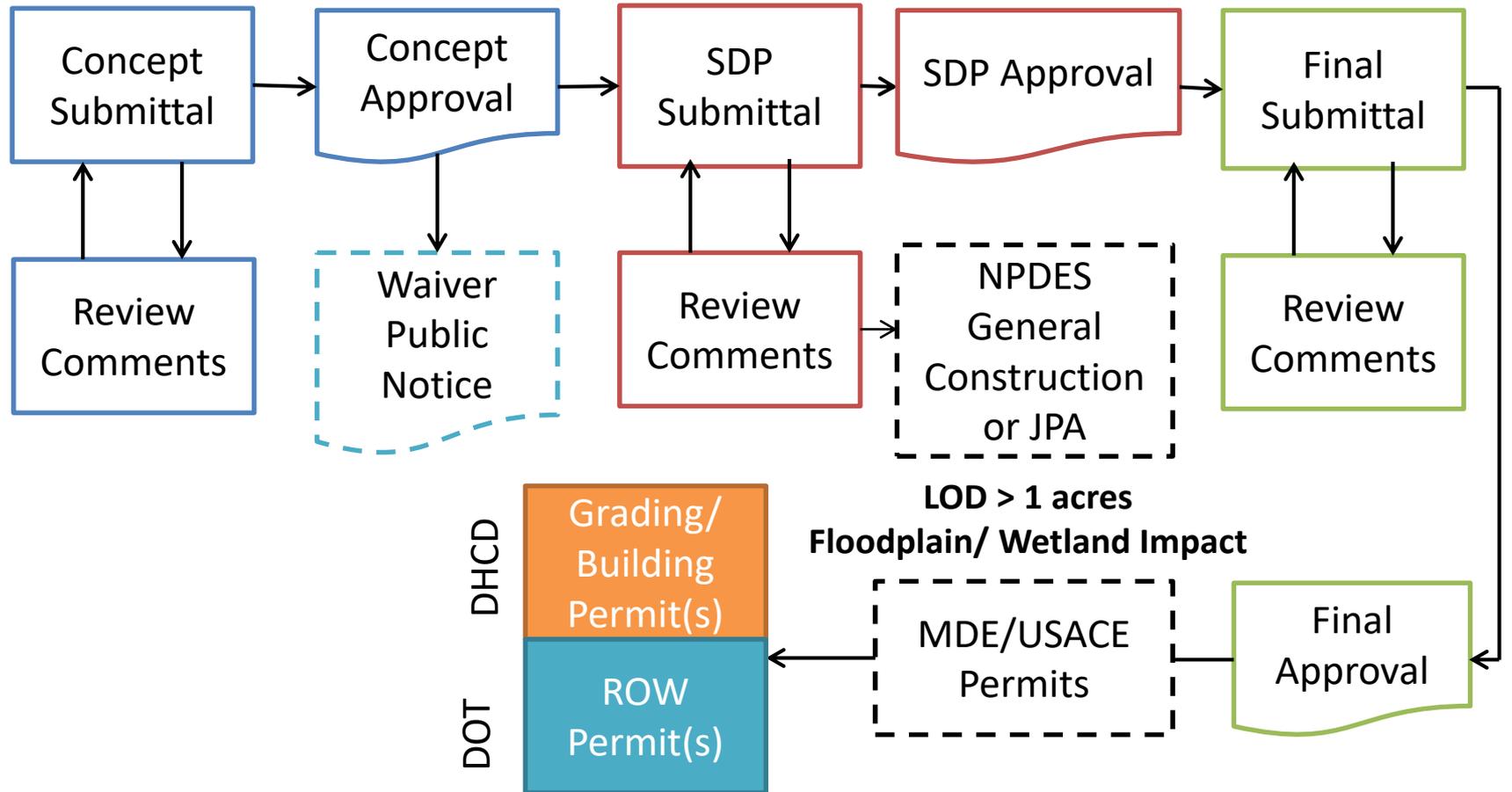
- Pre-construction notification
- Bi-weekly Inspections
- Milestone SWM inspections
- Final Inspection/ Removal of ESC

Post-construction Inspection

- SWM: Every 3 years or by complaint
- ESC: By complaint



SWM /ESC Review Process (3 phase)



Urban Agriculture Policy

Meeting with DPW to review "Concept Agriculture Plan"

Agriculture Practice:
Livestock and Crops

Exempt for SWM/ESC
unless trees are
removed

Agriculture Structure:
Impervious Area

Exempt for ESC,
Standard Plan may be
used for SWM

Non-agriculture

SWM/ESC required



DPW's Commitment to Soil Conservation

1. Staff Training for SWM, ESC, and dam safety (since 2010)
2. 3-1-1 Service Request for ESC (2014)
3. Green Projects Site Coordination meeting (since 2019)
4. Policy for Urban Agriculture for SWM/ESC (2020)
5. Guidance documents on DPW Website (2022)
6. On-line Plan Review System (2022)



Thank you for your time.



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