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**Public Hearing on Post-Construction Runoff Control Ordinance and
Interim Stormwater Quality Treatment Engineering Standards**

SALEM, OR – The Marion County Board of Commissioners will hold a public hearing to receive testimony on the proposed adoption of the Post-Construction Runoff Control Ordinance and Interim Stormwater Quality Treatment Engineering Standards on Wednesday, February 22, 2012 at 9:30 a.m. The public hearing will be held in the Commissioners' Board Room located at 1115 Commercial Street NE, Salem. The ordinance outlines DEQ required regulations regarding post-construction runoff control on public and private property.

The Post-Construction Runoff Control ordinance establishes the post-construction runoff control requirements for residential and commercial development and redevelopment in the Stormwater Management Area. The Stormwater Management Area is considered the unincorporated areas around Salem, Keizer and Turner. Construction subject to the Post-Construction Runoff Control ordinance and the Interim Stormwater Quality Treatment Engineering Standards disturb one acre or more or is less than one acre if the project is part of a larger common plan of development or sale that will ultimately disturb one acre or more.

The Interim Stormwater Quality Treatment Engineering Standards are referenced in the Post-Construction Runoff Control ordinance. They provide engineering design standards for stormwater treatment facilities that manage runoff from projects subject to the ordinance. The standards apply to public and private development and are to be used in conjunction with the existing Marion County Public Works Engineering Standards. The standards will become effective February 28, 2012. Substantially complete submittals received prior to that date will be reviewed under the existing standards. Plans for projects within the SWMA submitted on or after February 28, 2012, will be subject to the Interim Engineering Standards.

Interested persons may comment at the public hearing or submit written comments to Marion County Public Works – Environmental Services prior to the hearing. Written comments may be delivered to 5155 Silverton Road NE, Salem, or by e-mail at mknudsen@co.marion.or.us.

For more information regarding the Post-Construction Runoff Control Ordinance, please contact Matt Knudsen at (503) 365-3187, and for more information on the Interim Stormwater Quality Treatment Engineering Standards, please contact Mel Langdon at (503) 588-5036.

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