

Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plans (SWPPP)

Most states now require a state-specific National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit for industrial facilities discharging stormwater to state waters. These general permits are typically based on the facility's Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) code. Sierra Piedmont creates SWPPPs for a variety of clients and also assists in completing the Notice of Intent (NOI).

Additionally, Sierra conducts stormwater training so that our clients meet their annual training requirements. We also assist in the completion of the required annual comprehensive site evaluation and work with clients to collect and analyze stormwater samples.



SOME SPECIFIC EXAMPLES OF OUR SWPPP SERVICES INCLUDE:

Large Beverage Manufacturers – Various Locations
Sierra Piedmont completed many SWPPPs and NOIs for a large beverage manufacturer throughout the United States. In addition, a training module was prepared specifically to address the SWPPP requirements for each site. The training was conducted during the SWPPP site visit and a copy provided to the client for their use in conducting training to new employees, and annual refresher training, as needed.

Trucking Terminals – Various Locations

Sierra Piedmont completed SWPPPs and NOIs for clients with terminals throughout the United States. The goal was to make each SWPPP comply with the specific state permit, but allow for a uniformity at the corporate level. The training was conducted during the SWPPP site visit and a copy provided to the client for their use in conducting training to new employees, as needed, and annual refresher training. Additionally, Sierra provides sampling support to several of the terminals where analytical testing is required. This involves providing the tools needed to sample, keeping the terminal appraised of storm events that may meet the sampling requirements, and reviewing and completing discharge monitoring reports for the client.

