

**Watchung Borough**  
**NJDEP MS4 (Watershed Inventory Report)**  
**Fact Sheet**  
**February 2026**

Watchung Borough (and all NJ municipalities) are permitted to manage and treat municipal stormwater under **NJMS4 (Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System (MS4))** municipal permits, including but not limited to stormwater design, collection, treatment, infrastructure and maintenance activities required per its permit.

To meet its permit obligations, Watchung (and all municipalities) were required to prepare and file an **MS4 (Watershed Inventory Report)** with the NJDEP. An interim draft of this WIP Phase 1 assessment report was completed for Watchung Borough and filed prior to the January 1, 2026 regulatory deadline.

**A copy of the Phase 1 assessment report is available for public review on Watchung Borough's stormwater webpage:**

<https://watchungnj.gov/stormwater>

This current (draft) report will be modified to include additional storm water infrastructure data (also completed for Watchung Borough) and review comments and input from the NJDEP, Watchung Borough staff and the public.

**As part of the permit process, two (2) semi-annual public meetings are required to make the public aware, and to solicit questions or comments regarding the WIP plan.**

Questions or comments regarding the WIP report may be directed to Watchung's Stormwater Consultant (contact information below):

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**Two future additional phases of the WIP reporting will be necessary – the Phase 2 Watershed Assessment Report (due January 1, 2027) and the Phase 3 Watershed Improvement Plan Report (due December 31, 2027).** Additional information on both of these (future) plans will be provided by NJDEP.