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**AMENDMENT NO. 12 TO THE DESIGN CRITERIA
AND STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS**

Date: October 10, 2023

Attention: Engineers, Landscape Architects, Architects, Developers and Contractors

Subject: Adoption of the Stormwater Management Criteria, 2023 Edition.

Effective November 1, 2023, the Stormwater Management Criteria (SMC) document (final edition issued October 10, 2023) is adopted under Division II, Section 2400 as the manual to be used for design and analysis of stormwater infrastructure in the City of Manhattan. It supersedes in full the Stormwater Design Criteria given in Appendix I of the City of Manhattan's 1995 Stormwater Management Master Plan as well as any conflicting provisions of prior Amendments. Section 5400 is renamed "Stormwater Design"

As referenced in Chapter 9 of the SMC, water quality designs will continue to utilize the Post Construction BMP Manual (prepared by Wilson & Company & CDM, 2009), except as revised by Amendment No. 13, which is being issued concurrently, as well as any subsequent amendments.

The SMC references the use of the Drainage Submittal Workbook, a set of formatted spreadsheets intended to standardize submittals. Revisions to the Workbook will be shared as needed without further amendment. A major update to the Standard Specifications and Standard Drawings for stormwater is still under development and will be approved through separate amendment. Guidance for issues that may arise during the transition period will be provided by the City Engineer.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Brian D. Johnson".

Brian D. Johnson, P.E.
City Engineer

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Rob K Ott".

Robert K. Ott, P.E.
Director of Public Works

Cc: Karen L Becker, P.E., Principal Engineer

Review History: The SMC was placed on two rounds of public review as part of document development, the first in fall 2022 and the second from August 12 to September 7, 2023. A presentation was given to the City Commission on August 22. More details regarding the review history are provided in the document.