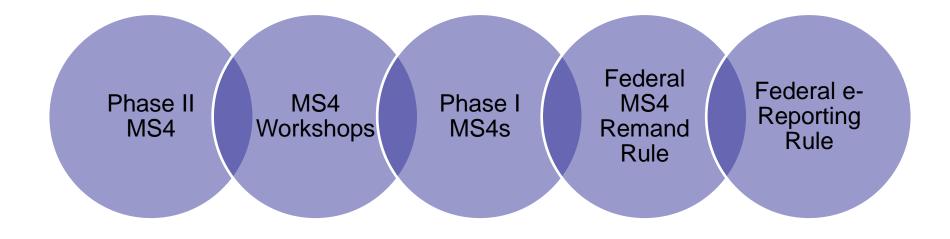


# Status of MS4s Program

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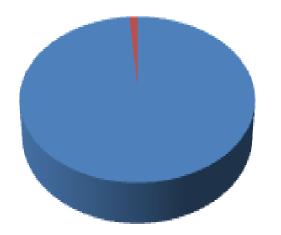
#### Topics





#### Phase II MS4s

- 161 Phase II MS4s
  - 157 Phase II General Permits
  - -4 Phase II Site-Specific



Phase II General
 Phase II Site-specific



#### Phase II MS4s

Individual GPs 🛛 🔳 Co-permit GPs

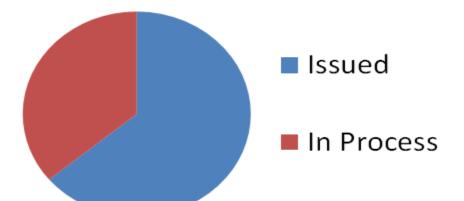
Individual SPs

- 82 Individual General Permits (GPs)
- 2 Co-permitted GPs
- 1 Individual Site-Specific (SPs)
- 1 Co-permitted GPs



# Phase II MS4

- 55 Issued
- 31 In Process
- Major Items

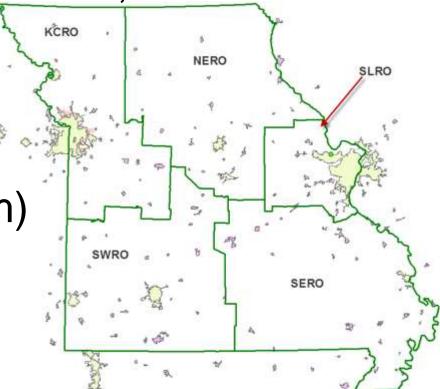


- Compliance ≠ Water Quality Standards
- Reporting
- Built-in TMDL conditions
- Removed Reasonably Mimic
- SWMPs must be reviewed and rated



# MS4 Workshops

- Permit clarity
- Examples of SWMPs, BMPs, Measurable Goals
- Funding sources
- One per Regional Office yearly (minimum)
- Can meet individually





#### Phase I MS4s

- Kansas City, MO0130516 (exp. 9/2009)
- Independence, MO0130401 (exp. 8/2009)
- Springfield, MO0126322 (exp. 7/2007)
   80% completed (processing)
- All 3 expected to be issued in 2017



#### Phase I MS4s

- Minimum requirements and MEP
- MCMs 1 6 same as Phase II
- Listing of Outfalls (certification page)
- Additional Federal Acts
- Permit Shield language
- Integrated Planning language
- Built-in TMDL language



## MS4 Remand Rule

- Effective 01/9/2017
- Only effects Phase II MS4s
- No new substantive requirements
- Two major approaches:
  - Comprehensive General Permit
  - Two-Step General Permit
- SWMPs are to be reviewed and approved



## **Comprehensive General Permit**

- 40 CFR 122.28(d)(1)
- Full set of requirements

   Specific BMPs and Measurable Goals
- SWMPs required, not enforceable
- One size fits all



## **Two-Step General Permit**

- 40 CFR 122.28(d)(2)
- Missouri's approach, more flexible
- Public Notice and Public Hearing for SWMP and renewal applications
- Separately from Master General Permit
- EPA also reviews SWMP and renewal application



## Federal Electronic Reporting Rule

- Applicable to all NPDES permittees
- Electronic submittal:
  - Discharge Monitoring Reports Phase I (12/21/2016)
  - Programmatic Reports (including MS4s) –
     Phase II (12/21/2020)
- Waivers are available



#### Questions

