MS4 Annual Report Form

This report is being submitted for the reporting period ending March 9, 2013

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Name of MS4/Coalition: City of Saratoga Springs, NY

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12. Evaluating Progress Toward Measurable Goals MCM 3

Use this page to report on your progress and project plans toward achieving measurable goals identified in your Stormwater Management Program Plan (SWMPP), including requirements in Part III.C.1. Submit additional pages as needed.

A. Briefly summarize the Measurable Goal identified in the SWMPP in this reporting period.

Illicit dumping and discharge of pollutants poses a significant threat to stormwater quality. These sources of pollution can be minimized through the implementation of a comprehensive IDDE program. To be effective, the IDDE program should raise public awareness about illicit sources of stormwater pollution and the resulting harm it has on local water resources and the environment.

B. Briefly summarize the observations that indicated the overall effectiveness of this Measurable Goal.

Continued implementation of the City's IDDE Program has helped to identify and eliminate numerous sources of stormwater pollution since the program began. To raise public awareness, (75) "Don't Pollute Stormwater..." markers were installed on storm drains located in high foot traffic areas around the City. In addition, more than (9200) utility bills were mailed to residents quarterly with each bill containing information and tips on preventing stormwater pollution.

C. How many times was this observation measured or evaluated in this reporting period?

9200

(ex.: samples/participants/events)

D. Has your MS4 made progress toward this measurable goal during this reporting period?

● Yes ○ No

E. Is your MS4 on schedule to meet the deadline set forth in the SWMPP?

● Yes ○ No

F. Briefly summarize the stormwater activities planned to meet the goals of this MCM during the next reporting cycle (including an implementation schedule).

The City will continue to implement the IDDE Program. Additional storm drain markers will be installed (or replaced). Residents will continue to receive utility bills which include educational information pertaining to stormwater pollution prevention.