

**TOWN COUNCIL STAFF REPORT**  
**\*HRPDC STORMWATER MOA:**  
**TUESDAY, APRIL 4<sup>th</sup>, 2023\***

The Town of Smithfield participates in a regional stormwater management program administered by the Hampton Roads Planning District Commission (HRPDC). Eighteen local governments and the HRPDC executed the MOA which established the Hampton Roads Regional Stormwater Management Program on September 5<sup>th</sup>, 2003. These parties have continued to extend and renew the agreement until June 20<sup>th</sup>, 2023. This proposed agreement will become effective on the first day of July 2023, and remain in effect for a term of ten years, and is between the eighteen local governments in Hampton Roads and the HRPDC and will establish and maintain the Hampton Roads Regional Stormwater Management Program, which will provide the administrative framework localities use to address certain stormwater management requirements under the state and federal laws and regulations.

Under this agreement, the HRPDC staff provides technical and administrative assistance, while also providing education training and programs, in addition to multiple other responsibilities and resources. Local Governments are responsible for participation and involvement in the various committees and sub-committees, along with participation in community outreach and education.

For clarification, a finalized draft version of this MOA follows this staff report.

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