

#9: Bridge Maintenance

Activities:

Bridge maintenance activities include inspecting, testing, repairing, replacing, maintaining, painting or resurfacing components of the bridge such as the electrical system, substructure, superstructure, surface footing, piers, supports, access roads, abutments, ramps and vegetation management.

BMP Table:

Routine BMPs	
BMPs	Description
Permits	Bridge maintenance activities requiring an HPA will be reviewed with the WDFW and permitted prior to construction in accordance with the HPAs.
Scheduling	If bridge maintenance is to be performed in a seasonal watercourse or stream, schedule the work during dry conditions if possible.
Habitat Measures	Maintain or add areas of spawning, migration, feeding, or rearing habitat as directed by WDFW (HPA) permit, public safety and ROW structure conditions allow. Place appropriate streambed material (HPA).
Equipment/ Tools	Vehicle and equipment maintenance, repair and/or service will be performed at designated repair facilities whenever possible. Use the following practices to reduce the potential for discharge of pollutants to watercourses or streams from vehicle and equipment maintenance, service and repair operations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prohibit discharge of any wastewaters to stormwater drains. Do not pour material down drains or hose down work areas. Use either dry sweeping or damp mopping. • Remove buildup of oils and grease on equipment. • Perform equipment and vehicle maintenance in areas that prevent discharges to the storm drain system. • Use drip pans under equipment when maintaining, repairing or servicing in the field.

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<p>Equipment/ Tools</p> <p><i>Continued from preceding page.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use non-toxic solvents whenever possible. • Clean maintenance area storm drain grates regularly. • Collect and properly manage (recycle or dispose of) used materials: grease, oil, oil filters, antifreeze, cleaning solutions, lead-acid batteries, tires, hydraulic and transmission fluids. • Surfaces shall be cleaned following any discharge or spill incident. <p>At the end of shift, park equipment in designated areas.</p> <p>Clean equipment and tools off site in an area where pollutants can be contained.</p> <p>If unable to move tools and equipment off site, control and remove cleaning by-products.</p>
<p>Material/Debris Disposal</p>	<p>After repairs are completed, remove construction/maintenance waste materials from work site and dispose of and/or recycle.</p>
<p>Spill Prevention & Control</p>	<p>Carry spill kit used for small spills related to equipment failure. At a minimum, WSDOT will carry a five-gallon capacity spill kit designed for petroleum products that will be carried on vehicle or with equipment. Desired outcome is to control, absorb or contain spill for clean up and disposal.</p>
<p>Site Specific BMPs</p>	
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<p>Are you disturbing soils?</p> <p><i>Continued on next page.</i></p>	<p>Exposed and unworked soils shall be stabilized by application of BMPs that protect soil from the erosive forces of raindrop impact and flowing water:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • During winter season – October through June – no soil shall remain exposed and unworked for more than two days. • During the summer season – July through September – no soils shall remain exposed and unworked for more than seven days. • These conditions apply to all soils on site, whether or not at final grade. <p>Minimize disturbance to riparian vegetation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mark job site. • Flag work area.

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<p>Site Specific BMPs</p> <p><i>Continued on next page.</i></p>	<p>Use any of the five BMP outcome categories at or around the work site to reduce turbidity, sediment and/or pollutants from entering watercourses or streams, wetlands, lakes or other waterbodies:</p> <p>“Filter/Perimeter Protection”</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td>Coir Log</td> <td>Kimble Filter Pipe</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Continuous Berm</td> <td>Silt Fence</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Curb Inlet Sediment Trap</td> <td>Silt Mat</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Excelsior Filled Log</td> <td>Straw Bale Barrier (1)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Filter Fabric</td> <td>Straw Bale Barrier (2)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Gravel Filled Sump</td> <td>Straw Bale Barrier (3)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Half Round Filter</td> <td>Straw Log</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Inlet Protection</td> <td>Washed Rock</td> </tr> </table> <p>“Reduce Potential for Contaminants Falling into Water”</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td>Diaper Netting</td> <td>Plywood Work Platform</td> </tr> </table> <p>"Settling"</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td>Coir Fabric</td> <td>Silt Mat</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Continuous Berm</td> <td>Siltation Pond/ Settling Tank</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Curb Inlet Sediment Trap</td> <td>Straw Bale Barrier (1)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Excelsior Filled Log</td> <td>Straw Bale Barrier (2)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Filter Fabric</td> <td>Straw Bale Barrier (3)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Rock Check Dam</td> <td>Straw Log</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Sandbag</td> <td>Temporary Sediment Trap</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Sedimentation Sump</td> <td>Triangular Silt Dike</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Silt Fence</td> <td>Turbidity Curtain</td> </tr> </table>	Coir Log	Kimble Filter Pipe	Continuous Berm	Silt Fence	Curb Inlet Sediment Trap	Silt Mat	Excelsior Filled Log	Straw Bale Barrier (1)	Filter Fabric	Straw Bale Barrier (2)	Gravel Filled Sump	Straw Bale Barrier (3)	Half Round Filter	Straw Log	Inlet Protection	Washed Rock	Diaper Netting	Plywood Work Platform	Coir Fabric	Silt Mat	Continuous Berm	Siltation Pond/ Settling Tank	Curb Inlet Sediment Trap	Straw Bale Barrier (1)	Excelsior Filled Log	Straw Bale Barrier (2)	Filter Fabric	Straw Bale Barrier (3)	Rock Check Dam	Straw Log	Sandbag	Temporary Sediment Trap	Sedimentation Sump	Triangular Silt Dike	Silt Fence	Turbidity Curtain
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