

MEMORANDUM

**CITY OF MERIDEN**  
**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS**



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Director of Public Works

FROM : Mark G. Zebora, Director of Parks and Public Buildings, Pierre Blanchet,  
P.E./L.S., City Engineer

SUBJECT : Catch Basins

DATE : May 25, 2007

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NPDES regulations require the City of Meriden to notify residents that water entering catch basins ultimately discharges into a brook, stream, wetland, etc. To accomplish this, beginning on July 1, 2007, the new City Standard catch basin tops shall include the following statement:

**“Drains to Watercourse”**

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me directly.

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Director of Public Works

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