# Narragansett Bay Commission

# SIGNIFICANT INDUSTRIAL USER INSPECTIONS

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- Own and operate the two largest POTWs in Rhode Island
- Service 10 cities and towns
- 1,892 permitted users
- 68 SIUs



Field's Point



**Bucklin Point** 

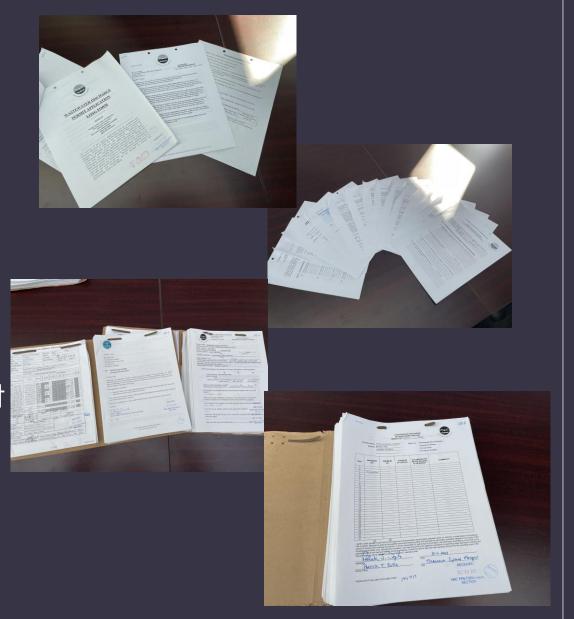
# Significant Industrial User Inspections

- Three types of inspections
- Annual Inspections conducted every 12-month period
- Follow-up inspections conducted throughout the year
- Sampling inspections conducted every 12-month period
- NBC staff inspects and samples SIUs minimally twice per year.
- Additionally, SIUs as well as all other industrial users are inspected in June and December in advance of vacation and holiday shut downs.

### Pre-Inspection

File Review Before leaving the office review all files

- Correspondence
- SMCR
- pH
- Plans
  - Process & Pretreatment
  - Spill Control
  - Toxic Organic/Solvent
     Management



### Consistency

### Checklists

- Annual Inspection
   Checklists to ensure
   all requirements of
   40CFR403 are
   inspected
- Ensures consistency

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#### Annual Inspection Checklist For Significant Industrial Sewer Users

mpa	ny Name:	Engineer:
ntact	t Person(s):	Date:
ner F	Person(s) in Attendance:	
mpa	ny Classification: Electroplater	Metalfinisher
	Other (specify):	
+ T	Outstanding Requirements/Pro-	mace Since I set Inenection
	Outstanding Requirements/F10	ress Shice Last Hispection
(a)	What progress was required of the firm	since the last annual inspection?
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(b)	Has required work been completed?	Yes No
	If no, when will it be completed?	
(c)	What work has facility initiated on its	own to improve wastewater discha
(d)	Has facility expanded/scaled down op	erations? Yes No
(44)	If yes, describe.	
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#### Inspection Checklist For Dental Facilities

spec rson	ion Date: NBC Inspector(s):	
nrt l	- Facility Information	
(1)	Company Owner:	
	Contact Person:	
(3)	Phone Number:	
(4)	Hours of Operation:	
(5)	Type of Dental Facility: Make/Model of Amalgam Separator:	
(6)	Make/Model of Amaigam Separatof:	
	What was required of the firm since the last inspection?	
(2)		_YesNo
(2)	Has required work been completed?  If no, when will it be completed?  Have all required reports (BMP Certification, SMCRs) been submitted	_YesNo on time?
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# Inspection

### Meeting with Contact

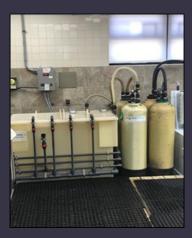
- Who is the NBC
- Purpose of inspection
- Review compliance since last inspection
- Changes in business
- SNC
- Sampling Procedures

### Inspection of Facility

- Inside & Outside
- Process Operations
- Pretreatment System
- pH Reading
- Sample Location
- Spill Control Measures
- Meter Reading
- Litter

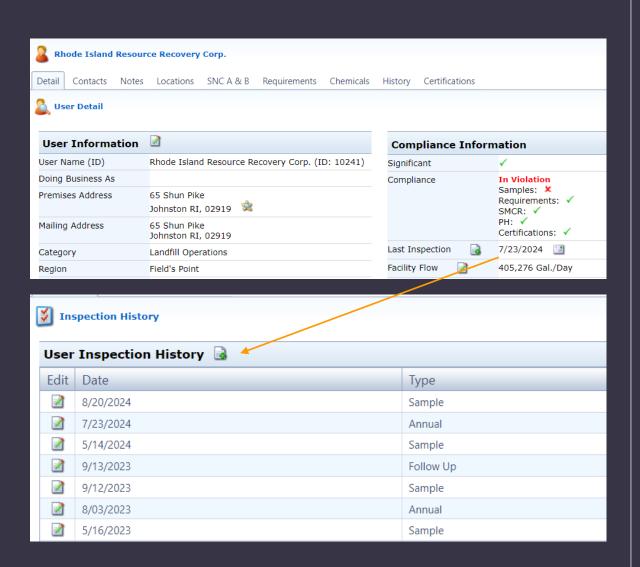
### Final Meeting

- Review Findings
- Detail if there are any violations and/or requirements
- Answer Questions



# Post Inspection

- Complete Checklist
- Write a detailed letter to the company
- Enter the inspection in the Pretreatment System



## Tips

- Prepare file review
- Educate
- Communicate Findings





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