



# *City of Lambertville*

*City Hall*

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## **Mission of the Lambertville Stormwater Focus Group**

The Lambertville Stormwater Focus Group (SFG) is established to engage community members to discuss and provide feedback to staff. The SFG will meet three times during the feasibility study duration. Key discussion topics include:

1. Stormwater related problems, needs, and issues within the City.
2. Priorities for stormwater services in the City.
3. Level and extent of stormwater services, investment in the capital improvements program, approach to water quality protection, minor and major flooding in the community and other key program policies that will guide the stormwater management program.
4. Policy options on stormwater funding mechanisms.
5. A financial strategy for long term sustainability of stormwater infrastructure management and water quality protection measures.

## **Ground Rules for Participation in the Focus Group**

Having ground rules will make meetings more efficient and pleasant for everyone, as members provide feedback. The following set of simple ground rules is only a suggestion and have been proven effective in other settings.

- Speak your mind, actively participate.
- Listen carefully, be willing to be persuaded by others' ideas.
- Come prepared (do your homework) so you share a common understanding and have the facts.
- Be willing to spend the time needed to provide input.
- Be open to other ideas as there are many valid viewpoints.
- Consider Princeton's needs as well as the needs of the people or interests you represent.