

Frequently Asked Questions

1. Are refunds available for cancelled project?

Refunds will not be given for cancelled projects.

2. Will I receive a credit from the cancelled project?

A credit will not be issued for cancelled projects.

3. Will the Office of City Engineer (OCE) plans be approved under the 2022 Infrastructure Design Manual (IDM) and my Building Code Enforcement (BCE) submitted under the 2023 IDM?

No, the same Infrastructure Design Manual (IDM) should be applied to both Building Code Enforcement (BCE) and Office of City Engineer (OCE) plans. If one is cancelled both should be

cancelled and submitted as a new project.



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4. My property is over 15,000 square feet, but detention is not required based on the new rule. Do I need to submit to the Storm group for review?

Yes, other drainage design components still need to be reviewed.

5. Is there a change in the intake process regarding the new detention requirement for the storm department?

Yes. Moving forward, approved Plat | Replat & Harris County Appraisal District (HCAD) documents to be pre-requisite for Storm department Submittal because approved plat | replat and HCAD will be used to determine stormwater detention requirements in Infrastructure Design Manual (IDM) 2023. The project will not be accepted by Building Code Enforcement (BCE) intake if approved plat | replat & HCAD are not submitted.