

# How to Prevent Stormwater Pollution

## -Manufacturing, Storage and Transportation Facilities-



Store materials, parts, equipment, and waste inside or in covered (roofs, tarps) and contained (curbed, bermed) areas to protect them from rainwater.

Regularly inspect storage containers for signs of wear and leaks. Keep all containers closed and sealed.

Keep dumpster areas clean and lids closed at all times. Do not place liquids in dumpsters.

Keep raw materials off of the ground using pallets.



Clean spills immediately and with dry methods (kitty litter, rags, brooms, etc.). Do not wash down spills or pavements into the street, floor drains, or storm drain inlets.

Dispose of cleaning supplies and rags according to proper hazardous waste disposal methods.

Sweep or spilled or excess solid materials (metal shavings, etc.) and dispose of according to proper hazardous waste disposal methods.



Regularly sweep and clean facility, equipment, and vehicles.

Do not wash vehicles and equipment in non-designated areas where wash water can enter drains or wash off into landscaping or into the street.

Place drip pans under vehicles and equipment. Regularly monitor and empty them.

Use and properly maintain dust collection systems.

Use oil/water separators and dispose of waste properly.

Perform painting and sanding operations inside. Use tarps or plastic sheeting to enclose area if done outside and avoid windy days.

Handle solvents and perform solvent cleaning in designated areas only.

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