SANITARY WASTE MANAGEMENT



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USE: Prevent the introduction of wastes from construction site toilet facilities to storm drains or receiving waters.

DESIGN SPECIFICATIONS:

- Provide accessible restroom facilities on-site.
- Portable toilets should not be located near drainage facilities or receiving waters, nor should they be located in areas that will collect water.
- Do not discharge or bury wastewater at the construction site.
- Position portable toilets so that they are secure and will not be tipped or knocked over.
- Provide secondary containment pans under portable toilets, where possible.
- Provide tie-downs or stake downs for portable toilets in areas of high winds.
- Educate employees, subcontractors, and suppliers on locations of facilities.

MAINTENANCE:

- Inspect portable toilets for leaks, and repair or replace any leaks immediately.
- · Maintain clean restroom facilities and empty waste regularly.
- Ensure that the sanitary/septic facilities are maintained in good working order and wastes are transported offsite by a licensed service.