

# County of Santa Clara

## Clean Water Program



### WHO?

The Clean Water Program is a division of the County's Consumer and Environmental Protection Agency (CEPA). The Program is responsible for meeting the requirements of State permits which regulate the discharge of rain water runoff to local waterways.

### WHAT?

Clean Water Program staff will inspect storage areas and outdoor operations for potential sources of stormwater pollutants at your business. If needed, we will identify corrective actions to prevent contamination of stormwater runoff.

### WHY?

Gutters, storm drains, and ditches discharge stormwater runoff to local streams without treatment. The County is required to inspect certain commercial and industrial businesses, and to educate business owners about ways to prevent stormwater pollution.

### WHEN?

Clean Water Program staff will contact you in advance to schedule the inspection.

### Areas Subject to Inspection Include:

- ◆ Outdoor material storage areas
- ◆ Outdoor processing, manufacturing, and repair areas
- ◆ Outdoor waste and disposal areas
- ◆ Outdoor vehicle and equipment parking areas
- ◆ Loading docks, sumps, and exposed equipment



### CONTACT US

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