

## Keep Materials From Contacting Stormwater!

1. Move to shelter.
2. Store maintenance equipment inside or under shelter.
3. Utilize portable shelters (Conex boxes, sheds, tents).
4. Use drip pans and secondary containment.



Maryland Port Administration

## Material Storage



In the case of an oil spill or other illicit discharge of **ANY** size, please contact MdTA Police and SERM

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## Port Emergency Contacts

24-Hour Spill Reporting:

MDE 1-866-633-4686

NRC 1-800-424-8802

<b>MdTA Police</b>	<b>410-537-7911</b>
Operations	410-633-1077
Safety & Environmental	410-633-1145
Security	410-285-2521

## Common Mistakes

1. Containers of liquids and other materials are left outside in contact with stormwater.
2. Closed containers still need storage
  - a. Even if the container can seal (paint cans, drums, etc), it must be kept covered.
3. Maintenance Areas
  - a. Often involve leaks/spills from equipment while servicing.
  - b. Vehicle fluid containers are almost always near a service bay.
  - c. Any maintenance should be performed under cover with associated materials also out of contact with stormwater.
4. If leaks or spills occur, you are responsible for the clean-up and reporting.
  - a. Your company may need to hire a clean-up company.
  - b. All spills must be reported to:
    - i. MDE 1-866-633-4686
    - ii. NRC 1-800-424-8802



## Waste Materials

1. Keep dumpsters closed!
  - o Use dumpsters that do not have a drain.
2. Any waste materials must be moved to their proper location immediately after generation.
3. Do not dispose of hazardous materials in dumpsters.
  - o All hazardous material must be dealt with appropriately following proper state and federal guidelines.



4. Cover and/or berm waste storage areas to prevent contact with stormwater.
5. Regularly inspect storage areas for any leaks or spills.



## Solutions to Properly Store Materials

1. Always utilize space available inside buildings to keep materials away from stormwater.
2. If no space is available in a permanent building, take advantage of temporary/mobile structures.
  - a. Containers
  - b. Sheds
  - c. Tent structures



3. Don't create space outside for materials to accumulate.
  - a. Clean up unused pallets, shelves and benches to prevent ease of access accumulation.

