

Appendix C - Disposal Alternatives Table

General Construction, Painting and Maintenance

Discharge/Activity	Disposal Techniques
Excess oil-based paint	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Recycle/reuse; donate to nonprofit organizationDispose of as hazardous waste
Excess water-based paint	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Recycle/reuse; donate to nonprofit organizationFor small quantities, let the paint residue dry in the can; remove lid; dispose in trashFor large quantities, solidify with cat litter, air dry, then dispose in trash
Clean-up of oil-based paint	Wipe paint out of brushes, then: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Filter and reuse thinners and solventsDonate to nonprofit organization or dispose of as hazardous waste
Clean-up of water based paint	Wipe paint out of brushes, then: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Rinse to sanitary sewerDispose in trash
Empty paint cans (dry)	Remove lids, dispose lids and cans in trash
Paint stripping substances (with solvent)	Dispose of as hazardous waste
Exterior cleaning of buildings (high pressure water)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Prevent entry into storm drain and remove offsiteWash onto soil-covered area, spade inMop up washwater and discharge to sanitary sewer
Exterior cleaning of buildings (mercury, chromium, or other hazardous materials in paints)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Use dry cleaning methods (e.g. sand blasting)Mop up wash water, reduce volume by evaporating liquid mixtureDispose of as hazardous waste
Exterior cleaning of buildings (paint contains lead)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Dispose of as hazardous wasteFor assistance, contact EPA 1-800-LEAD-FYI
Paint scraping/sand blasting (no hazardous materials in paints)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Dry sweep, dispose in trash

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| Construction & demolition debris (no hazardous materials in debris) | <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Reduce/reuse concrete, wood, or other construction materials▪ Transport to landfill as construction and demolition waste |
| Construction & demolition debris (hazardous materials such as asbestos in debris) | <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Follow landfill packaging requirements; transport to landfill as asbestos waste or other hazardous waste |

Building & Property Management/Maintenance

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| Leaking garbage dumpsters | <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Collect and contain leaking material▪ Repair leak, return dumpster for repair. |
| Washwater from cleaning garbage dumpsters | Filter wash water through grease interceptor; contact wastewater treatment plant staff before discharging to sanitary sewer |
| Cleaning driveways, paved areas | Sweep & dispose in trash.
For vehicle leaks: <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Clean up leaks with rags or absorbents▪ Sweep using granular absorbent material (e.g., cat litter)▪ Mop & dispose of mop water in sanitary sewer |
| Cleaning sidewalks, paved areas | <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Clean up leaks with rags or absorbents▪ Sweep using granular absorbent material (e.g., cat litter)▪ Either mop & dispose of mop water in sanitary sewer or collect all water from cleaning and pump to sanitary sewer. |

Vehicle Maintenance

Discharge/Activity	Disposal Techniques
Used motor oil	Use secondary containment while storing; send to recycler
Antifreeze	Use secondary containment while storing; send to recycler
Other vehicle fluids and solvents	Dispose of as hazardous waste
Automobile batteries	Send to auto battery recycler

Vehicle Maintenance

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| Vehicle washing | <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Recycle wash water▪ Contact local wastewater treatment plant before discharging to oil/water separator connected to sanitary sewer |
| Mobile vehicle washing | <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Recycle wash water▪ Contact local wastewater treatment plant before discharging to oil/water separator connected to sanitary sewer |
| Rinse (new car fleets) | <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Contact local wastewater treatment plant before discharging to oil/water separator connected to sanitary sewer▪ Contact operator of storm drain system regarding approval to discharge, if rinse water is free of detergents or other cleaners. |
| Vehicle leaks (auto repair shops) | <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Sweep up leaks using granular, absorbent material (e.g., cat litter)▪ Mop and dispose of mop water to oil/water separator connected to sanitary sewer |

Other Wastes

Discharge/Activity

Contaminated pumped ground water, infiltration/foundation drainage

Disposal Techniques

Treat as necessary; with prior approval from wastewater treatment plant, discharge to sanitary sewer