



CITY OF BLUE RIDGE

STORM WATER POLLUTION PREVENTION AND CONSTRUCTION SITE WASTE CONSENT FORM FOR CONTRACTORS / BUILDERS / DEVELOPERS

Project: _____

Developer: _____

Pollution prevention from a construction site is not only about controlling sedimentation and siltation by means of erosion control. All construction site waste that leaves a construction area will eventually make it into the storm water system. Siltation and the contribution of other pollutants from construction sites can cause physical, chemical and biological harm to our nation's waters.

ILLICIT DISCHARGE:

Any discharge from a construction site that is not entirely composed of storm water is known as illicit discharge.

Please identify that you have read and understand the following construction waste guidelines by **initialing each item below**:

_____ During a short period of time, construction sites can contribute more sediment to streams that can be deposited naturally during several decades. The City of Blue Ridge requires that erosion control measures be placed and maintained regularly at all construction sites.

_____ If a construction site disturbs more than one (1) acre of land, it must be covered by the State's TPDES Permit TXR150000 that regulates storm water discharges to state waters.

_____ All building construction debris must be gathered up and removed by the end of each day of construction or just before any projected rain event. This includes, but is not limited to, excavation material, vegetation, bricks, concrete, timber, metals, glass tiles, paper and food waste.

_____ Waste, construction materials and pollutant materials must be kept in the proper City approved containers at designated waste storage areas throughout construction activities.

_____ Weeds, grass, shrubs or brush shall not be deposited in any area that will allow drainage to the storm sewer system or waters of the State.

_____ Any potential storm sewer pollutant (pesticides, grease, petroleum products, paints, toxic chemicals, etc.) must be stored in the upright position and on racks/stands during construction.

_____ Access shall be provided at all times during construction or demolition for waste collection vehicles.

_____ All of the following are indications that storm water leaving a construction site contains an illicit discharge. The **CONTRACTOR MUST KEEP A CONSTANT CHECK THAT ANY WATER LEAVING A CONSTRUCTION SITE IS FREE OF THESE INDICATORS:**

Unusual Color or Cloudiness
Scum or Foam

Strong Musty or Pungent Odor
Oil Sheen

Floating Debris
Surface Algae

_____ If the site contains construction trash, does not maintain its erosion control measures, is releasing illicit discharges or is not in compliance with any portion of the City of Blue Ridge Code of Ordinances (including the Property Maintenance Code) it may be issued a Notice of Violation. Further, the permit will not be released until all issues have been resolved.

My signature below indicates that I have read and understood the above information.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Pollutants Most Commonly Discharged from Construction Sites
Sediment
Solid and Sanitary Wastes
Fertilizer
Pesticides
Oil and Grease
Concrete Truck Washout
Construction Chemicals
Misc. Construction Debris