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Find us **online** at
SkagitCounty.net/SourceControl

Translation services and translated materials available upon request. People with impaired hearing/speech call 711.

Los servicios de traducción y los materiales traducidos están disponibles bajo petición. Las personas con deficiencia auditiva o del habla, llamen al 711.

REPORT SPILLS! DISPOSE OF WASTE!

Learn who to contact about spills and where you can dispose of waste by visiting our website at SkagitCounty.net/SourceControl

DIAL 911 in emergency situations that involve hazardous waste spills.

How Our Program Works with You

INSPECTIONS

- Start in January 2023
- Non-invasive
- Attendance not required
- Translation services available

SUPPORT

If we find a possible source of pollution, we will:

Recommend best management practices (BMPs) to reduce impact

Work with you to apply BMPs

Provide technical support in using BMPs

Answer your questions

Follow up to make sure the problem is solved

For more information on the Source Control Inspection Program, visit our website at SkagitCounty.net/SourceControl

HELPING **YOU** HELP OUR **WATER**

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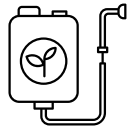
Source Control Inspection Program

Potential Polluters

Here is a list of things that may be causing pollution at your business:

Open or leaky dumpsters

Fertilizer, pesticides, and herbicides

Leaky vehicles

Animal poop

Spilled materials

Wash water

IT ALL
ADDS
UP!

Individual pollutants may not seem like a big deal, but when they all add up it becomes a huge problem!

BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES

Easy techniques to reduce stormwater pollution

- Close dumpster lids
- Replace leaky dumpsters
- Prepare spill kits and plans
- Prevent and reduce spills and leaks
- Sweep regularly
- Clean up animal poop
- Maintain drainage facilities
- Keep wastewater out of storm drains
- Reduce pesticide and fertilizer use
- Comply with permits
- Educate staff on common polluters

For more information on stormwater, pollution, and best management practices, visit our website at SkagitCounty.net/SourceControl

The SCOOP on STORMWATER

What is stormwater?
Stormwater is rain runoff from roads, roofs, parking lots, and other developed surfaces. The water picks up everything it flows over, including chemicals, oils, and dog waste.

Where does it go?
Stormwater flows into rivers, streams, lakes, and marine waters. Water that goes down the storm drain is not usually treated before reaching waterways.

Who does it impact?
Fish, shellfish, wildlife, plants, and... YOU! Polluted stormwater makes it a lot harder to use our water resources. Swimming, fishing, shellfish harvesting, and more are affected.