

**Stormwater Management**  
(636) 379-7632



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**Trash, Debris, Landscape Materials, Oil/Gas/Biofuel, Cooking Oil, Building Materials/Carpet/ Pad Paint, Solvents, Cooking Oil, etc**

Have been dumped illegally in the storm sewer inlet, detention basin, drainage pathway, or along a creek bank.

This is a violation of City Ordinance relating to Chapter 405, section 245 Stormwater Quality Management and Illicit Discharge Control and 220.020 Nuisance Code.

Any person found to be in violation of the provisions of this section shall be subject to a penalty as set out in Section 100.010 of this Code. The judge hearing the violation may also order the removal or abatement of such nuisance and assess the costs of abatement to the person determined to be in violation.

These items should be disposed of in the following manner:

- ✓ Bagged for Trash/ Recycling Service
- ✓ Concrete and Sediment (dirt) hauled off
- ✓ Oil/Gas/solvents/biofuels recycled or taken to service garage (This is a direct violation of State and Federal Regulations and subject to large fines from all entities)
- ✓ Cooking Oil should be disposed of as directed on packaging.
- ✓ Storm sewer openings or pathways to openings should not be obstructed by landscape or other materials.

Reasons for not dumping are as follows:

- ✓ All of the above can alter the integrity of the water quality. This can cause increased nutrients, decrease oxygen, and cause death of aquatic plants and organisms.
- ✓ The result is a degraded stream with reduced biodiversity and increase in cost to treat our drinking water.
- ✓ The result could be flooding or drainage issues to adjacent properties

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