

## UMD 610 – Pollution Prevention/Good Housekeeping BMP

### Title: **Dumpsters Management**

Addresses Minimum Measures: I Public Education and Outreach  
III Illicit Discharge Detection and Elimination  
VI Pollution Prevention/Good Housekeeping

Target Audience: University Employees  
Auxiliary Services  
Facilities Management  
NRRRI  
Students

Description: Inventory containers on campus sites for: location, damage, and overflow issues. Develop interdepartmental dumpster maintenance practices.

#### Measurable Goals

#### Timeline:

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| 1. Review all permanent dumpster locations on campus map and note problems. | • March 2005            |
| 2. Develop checklist to review container condition.                         | • May 2005              |
| 3. Develop draft handling and inspection practice for trash containers.     | • August 2005           |
| 4. Review draft with stakeholders   | • September 2005        |
| 5. Produce dumpster practice brochure and implement                         | • January 2006          |
| 6. Annual inspection of dumpsters   | • Annual start May 2005 |
| 7. Review of effectiveness  | • Annual start May 2006 |

#### Specific Components:

- Identify and create a map of dumpster locations.
- Create handling procedure and annual inspection.
- Develop policy regarding placement sites and storm water management in area.
- Prepare checklist for container inspection and procedures. Distribute to departments for annual inspections.
- Develop policy/procedure for trash cans/cigarette bins.
- Develop dumpster fact sheet.

#### Educational Components:

- Inform university employees, A/Es, and contractors through email, website, and/or meetings.

Responsible Party: University of Minnesota Duluth Storm Water Steering Committee

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