

CONSTRUCTION—WALLS



Be an Everyday Clean Water Hero!

Be AWARE, take ACTION, report ACTIVITIES that adversely affect streams, drainage channels and the ocean.

BE AWARE:

Construction projects, including concrete and rock wall building, have the potential to contaminate storm water runoff with sediment, debris, and other pollutants. Contaminated storm water runoff can flow into the City's storm drainage system, which routes storm water directly to streams and eventually to the ocean. Sediment, debris, and other pollutants can endanger reefs and aquatic plants by clouding the waters and blocking the sunlight needed to survive.

TAKE ACTION:

- Store all materials on the project site; do not stockpile materials on sidewalks, roadways, driveways, or easements that are not part of the project site. If the use of the City right-of-way is necessary, a street usage permit is required. For more information about this permit visit www1.honolulu.gov/dts/usage/street.htm.
- Stockpiles should be contained on property using sediment barriers or tarp covers to prevent sediment runoff.
- When cleaning concrete from equipment and vehicles, wash in a designated and contained area. Use containment vessels to collect concrete wash water when cleaning equipment. DO NOT wash equipment in the streets or allow the wash water to enter storm drains.
- Keep work areas clean by sweeping up waste and debris daily around and adjacent to your construction site then dispose of the debris properly.

REPORT ACTIVITIES:

City's Environmental Concern Line at **768-3300** or visit www.cleanwaterhonolulu.com

