



The City and County of Honolulu’s Storm Water Program is composed of eleven City departments which provide essential services and maintain compliance with federal, state, and local directives and regulations.

Under the lead department, the Department of Facility Maintenance, the Storm Water Quality Division and Road Maintenance Division hold the primary supporting roles for this program and provide majority of the services used by the public. The Storm Water Quality Division administers the City’s National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit and enforces the Revised Ordinances of Honolulu Chapter 43, Article 11. Responsibilities of the eleven departments are described below.

STORM WATER QUALITY DIVISION
DEPARTMENT OF FACILITY MAINTENANCE

- *Volunteer cleanups (i.e. Adopt-A-Channel, Adopt-A-Block, Storm Drain Marking)*
- *Public education and outreach to targeted audiences*
- *Private commercial & industrial facility inspections*
- *Third party construction Best Management Practices inspections*
- *Permanent post-construction Best Management Practices inspections*
- *Storm drain system inspections*
- *Enforcement of Illicit Discharge & Illegal Drain Connections to City MS4*
- *Stream & end of pipe outfall sampling and monitoring*
- *Trash reduction, erosional area, & storm drain retrofit improvements*
- *Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) waste load tracking & monitoring*
- *Regulation of private sector construction & land development*

ROAD MAINTENANCE DIVISION
DEPARTMENT OF FACILITY MAINTENANCE

- *Stream maintenance & beach mouth opening*
- *Storm water system inspections & maintenance*
- *Stored property & sidewalk nuisance ordinance support*
- *Roadside & median landscape maintenance*
- *Street sweeping*
- *Bus stop litter container pickup*
- *Downtown-Chinatown Clean Team*

DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING & PERMITTING

- *Licenses for private storm drain connections*
- *Issue permits for building, grading, grubbing, stockpiling, land use, etc.*
- *Administers & enforces Rules Relating to Water Quality*
- *Regulation of private sector construction & land development*

DEPARTMENT OF DESIGN & CONSTRUCTION

- *Leads facilities projects*

CITY FACILITIES

Department of Enterprise Services | Department of Parks & Recreation | Department of Transportation Services | Department of Design & Construction | Department of Environmental Services | Department of Facility Maintenance | Department of Information Technology | Department of Land Management | Honolulu Emergency Services Department | Honolulu Fire Department | Honolulu Police Department | Honolulu Authority for Rapid Transit

The above departments are responsible for storm water management for their respective projects and facilities, including training, maintenance, planning, & plan implementation.

CITY PROJECTS

Department of Parks & Recreation | Department of Transportation Services | Department of Design & Construction | Department of Environmental Services | Department of Facility Maintenance | Honolulu Authority for Rapid Transit

The above departments are responsible for design, construction, & construction management.

EMERGENCY & AFTER HOURS RESPONSE

Honolulu Police Department

Responds to active dumping into the City's storm drain system & documents complaints after hours

Honolulu Fire Department

Responds to & addresses emergency spills

Department of Environmental Services

Responds to emergency wastewater spills