

Did you know that, when undertaking home or property improvements, three types of storm water inspectors may visit your project?

These inspectors work to protect our waters, keep your site in compliance, and help our City and County comply with the Clean Water Act.





Environmental Concern Line:

Report illegal discharges by calling (808) 768-3300 or through the Honolulu 311 Phone App

Residential Code Enforcement:

To file a complaint related to zoning and housing code for one and two family dwellings, sidewalk maintenance, vacant lot overgrowth, animal structures, and setbacks call (808) 768-8161

Building Permits:

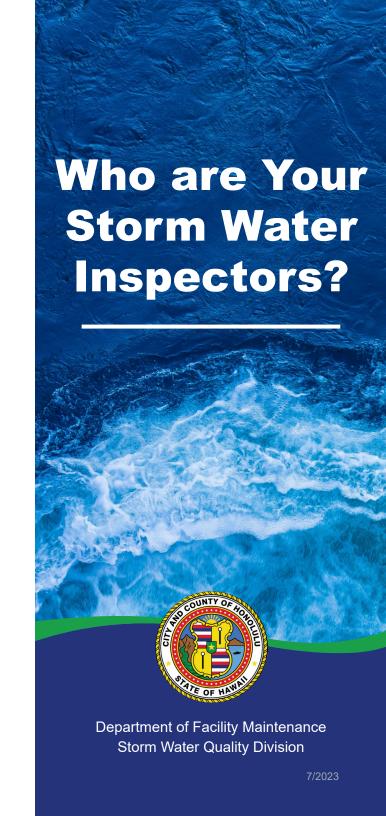
Notify the DPP Storm Water Quality Inspector (and other DPP inspectors) listed on the Building Permit at (808) 768-8141 or dpp.npdes@honolulu.gov

Grading Permits, Trenching Permits:

Call DPP Site Development Division at (808) 768-8084

For more information visit the website stormwaterhonolulu.com





Who are Your Storm Water Inspectors?

A Quick Guide for Homeowners

Erosion and Sediment Control Plan (ESCP) Coordinators

Certified Consultant Hired by Homeowner

What is their role?

Perform pre-construction inspection to verify BMPs are in place and regular BMP inspections thereafter to help homeowners stay in compliance.

Responsible for submitting inspection checklists to DPP at the end of the project.

What do you need to do?

Ensure that the person in charge of construction calls the project's ESCP Coordinator to let them know construction is starting.

If your **ESCP Coordinator changes after permit issuance**, ensure a new Appendix A is submitted and approved by DPP.

When will you see them?

Weekly or Monthly (Based on project type)

Department of Planning and Permitting (DPP) Storm Water Inspectors

City and County of Honolulu

What is their role?

Check compliance with requirements of DPP-issued permits.

May take enforcement actions for non-compliance.

What do you need to do?

Ensure that the person in charge of construction calls the DPP inspectors listed on the permit at least 2 weeks before construction will begin.

Building Permit:

Call the "Storm Water Quality Inspector" and other DPP inspectors listed on the Building Permit.

Grading Permit:

Call the inspector listed on the Grading Permit.

When will you see them?

As needed throughout the project

Acronyms:

BMP: Best Management Practice

DPP: Department of Planning and Permitting **ESCP:** Erosion and Sediment Control Plan

Third-Party Inspectors (3PI)

Consultants Hired by the City

What is their role?

Inspect storm water BMPs only to assess the City's construction storm water compliance program, to meet City, State, and Federal *Clean Water Act* regulations.

May make **recommendations** and reach out to the person in charge of construction and/or the ESCP Coordinator.

May **refer non-compliances** to the City for possible enforcement.

What do you need to do?

No action required.

Third-party inspectors will visit your project site **independently** from DPP inspectors and ESCP Coordinators and report findings to the City.

When will you see them?

Typically monthly

(More often if major or critical deficiencies are observed on-site)