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Public Involvement



 On February 1, 2011, Alabama Department of **Environmental** Management (ADEM) issued Phase 2 of The University of Alabama National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) stormwater discharge permit.



Public Involvement

- As part of the UA discharge permit, EHS has developed a stormwater management plan which is composed of 6 elements.
 - Public Involvement is one of the six minimum control measures.



Best Management Practices

- The Best Management Practices (BMPs) for the public involvement measure are:
 - Stormwater Management Committee
 - Storm Sewer Marking Program



Stormwater Management Committee

- The stormwater management committee provides consultation to EHS regarding the stormwater program.
- Committee membership consists of:
 - UA Stakeholders
 - Individuals with an applicable expertise
 - Student representative



Stormwater Management Committee UA Stakeholders

- UA stakeholders include representatives from:
 - EHS
 - Construction Administration
 - Grounds
 - Athletics
 - Plumbing Shop
 - Student Recreation
 - Garage Services



Stormwater Management Committee Functions

- The Stormwater Committee will review educational material, inspection protocols, investigation methods and guidance information.
- The Stormwater Management Committee meets on an as need basis, but at least annually.
 - EHS will maintain committee meeting records.



Stormwater Management Committee Open to the Public

- At least one stormwater committee meeting annually will be open to the public.
- Public notices of stormwater committee meetings will be published in the Crimson White and/or will appear on EHS social media sites.



Storm Sewer Marking Program

- EHS has a system for marking storm sewer inlets.
- This program provides a way for organizations and individuals to make a handson contribution to local water quality.
- If you or your group would like to be involved, contact EHS at 205-348-5905.





Environmental Health & Safety

 For any concerns, questions, or comments regarding stormwater, contact Environmental Health & Safety (EHS) at 205-348-5905.