

CATCH BASIN CLEANING

1. Preparation

- a. Clean sediment and trash off grate.
- b. Do visual inspection on outside of grate.
- c. Make sure nothing needs to be replaced.
- d. Do inside visual inspection to see what needs to be cleaned.

2. Process

- a. Clean using a high powered vacuum truck to start sucking out standing water and sediment.
- b. Use a high pressure washer to break up any remaining material in the catch basin, while capturing the slurry with the vacuum.
- c. After catch basin is clean, clean out any sediment that might have entered the pipe.
- d. Systematically clean catch basins per maintenance plan.

3. Clean-up

- a. When vacuum truck is full of sediment take it to the oil/water separator to dump all the sediment/debris out of truck into a drying bed.
- b. Wash down area before leaving the designated dump location.

4. Documentation

- a. Keep logs of number of catch basins cleaned.
- b. Record the amount of waste collected and number of catch basins cleaned and the area they were cleaned in. Keep any notes or comments of any problems.