

UNDERGROUND STORAGE: Operation and Maintenance

- The underground stormwater management facility shall be inspected yearly at a minimum and after severe storm events.
- The facility shall be cleaned when sediment has accumulated to the point the pipe invert and joints cannot be properly inspected.
- When any debris that might obstruct the outfall is observed, the facility shall be cleaned.
- The facility shall be cleaned immediately after petroleum spills.
- The inlet and outlet pipes shall be checked for any obstructions at least once every (6) months. If obstructions are found, the owner shall have them removed and properly disposed of.
- All spoils/debris from the underground storage shall be hauled to an approved Maryland Department of the Environment disposal site. Contractors may be required to provide dump tickets showing dump site, date, amount dumped and contractor to jpslater@howardcountymd.gov, 410-313-6490 (fax) or 6751 Columbia Gateway Drive, Suite 514, Columbia, MD 21046.

