

CHAPTER 4 TEMPORARY WASTE MANAGEMENT AND MATERIALS STORAGE

4.1 Introduction

Temporary waste management and materials storage best management practices (BMPs), like non-stormwater management BMPs, are source control BMPs that prevent pollution by limiting or reducing potential pollutants at their source before they come in contact with stormwater. These BMPs also involve day-to-day management or operations of the construction site, are under the control of the Contractor, and are additional “good housekeeping practices,” which involve keeping a clean, orderly construction site.

4.2 Temporary Waste Management and Materials Storage Goals

Temporary waste management and materials storage goals consist of:

1. Perimeter Controls

- a. Ensure that no waste or materials, or only a minimal amount, enters or leaves the project area.
- b. Filter waste and materials from discharge waters, as many times as possible needed to meet standards, before leaving the project area.

2. Controls within the Project

- a. Divert waste and materials away from the project, especially disturbed areas.
- b. Protect all bodies of water (ponds, streams, wetlands, etc.).
- c. Store only the materials needed to complete the job onsite.