

STORM SEWERS DRAIN TO CREEKS AND WATERWAYS!

You can protect the environment by reporting illicit stormwater discharges.



What is an “Illicit Discharge”?

An illicit (illegal) discharge is any discharge to the storm sewer system (storm drains, pipes, stormwater basins, swales, etc.) that is not composed entirely of stormwater. Disposal of anything other than stormwater to the storm sewer is illegal.

Examples of illicit discharges include:

- Motor oil, antifreeze, transmission fluid, gas diesel, etc.
- Detergents, solvents, and degreasers
- Household waste including cooking oil
- Construction waste (paint, debris, etc.)
- Pesticides and fertilizers
- Excessive dirt, gravel, and yard waste
- Pet waste

To report an illicit discharge, contact the Penn del Borough Office at 215-757-5152.