

NUISANCE WATER DISPOSAL FLOWCHART

Does water need to be removed from the site?

YES

Is the water originating from?

- Remediated groundwater
- Non-contact cooling water
- A disposal as directed by Alberta Environment

YES

Is the water quality below [Wastewater Bylaw](#) limits (Schedule A & Schedule B) ?

YES

Discharge to Sanitary Sewer

[Apply for a Clear Water Waste Disposal Permit](#)

Contact the Industrial Monitoring Group via 3-1-1 for more information

NO

Is the water originating from?

- Roof and foundation drainage
- Accumulated storm drainage or groundwater
- Hydrant flushing / fire flow testing
- Hydrostatic testing
- Commercial snow melting

NO

NO

Dispose at Alberta Government-approved facility

YES

Is the water contaminated? (i.e. Above [Environmental Quality Guidelines for Alberta Surface Waters](#))

NO

YES

Is the water treatable? (i.e. Treatable onsite with commercially available equipment)

YES

Discharge to Storm Sewer

[Apply for a Drainage Notification or Drainage Permit](#)

OR
Contact the Stormwater Pollution Prevention Group via 3-1-1 for more information