



*Clean painting equipment in the designated location.*

**DO**

- ✓ Wash equipment in the paint room that drains to a collector or sanitary sewer.
- ✓ Outside washing areas must be in designated areas only. Designated area should be reviewed by UK Environmental Management and approved by the facility supervisor.
- ✓ Keep equipment in clean and good working order.
- ✓ Repair equipment leaks of oil and other fluids promptly.
- ✓ Collect waste wash water and place it in containers for removal and proper disposal if an approved drain is not nearby.
- ✓ See **Fact Sheet 8.8** when using pressure washers and steam cleaners.

**DON'T**

- ✗ Wash equipment in outside areas that drain directly to stormdrains.
- ✗ Don't allow pressure washer overspray to collect on building walls or doors.
- ✗ Don't allow spilled solvent wastes to reach the floor drain.
- ✗ Don't use soaps or detergents for outdoor cleaning operations.

**Materials & Waste Management**

- ▲ ALL paint must be non-hazardous.
- ▲ Store collected drip pan waste in clearly labeled drums.
- ▲ Conduct a hazardous waste determination for collected wastes.
- ▲ Dispose of collected wastes using an industrial waste vendor.

**Facility Checklist**

- Check to ensure equipment cleaning is being done in the designated location.
- Drain is connected to Sanitary Sewer and approved for use.
- Check aerosol can disposal drum and have it picked up by UK Environmental Management when full.
- Assure aerosol can disposal drums are labeled as "Hazardous Waste"

**Tips and Tricks**

- ! Use eco-friendly paints when feasible.
- ! UK Environmental Mgmt. 859-323-6280.
- ! Commonwealth Stadium and Shively Field have indoor paint storage facilities.

**If...Then**

- If solvents or degreasing wastes are spilled, contain the spill and clean up using a spill kit. (**See Fact Sheet 10.1**)

**Training:** 1 per Year

**Season:** Spring

**Relevant Environmental Programs**

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| <input checked="" type="radio"/> KPDES | <input type="radio"/> Pesticides       |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> MS4   | <input type="radio"/> SPCC             |



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## NOTES

- 1) UK Environmental Management is located at 355 Cooper Drive, Lexington, KY 40506-0490, 859-323-6280, [ehs.uky.edu/env](mailto:ehs.uky.edu/env).