

OIL (USED) / POL ACCUMULATION POINT

Establish/Operate/Close

POSSIBLE CONTAMINANTS OF CONCERN

POL accumulation points are used to accumulate recyclables (used oil, used antifreeze, and recyclable fuel. Refer to applicable environmental sheets for specific procedures.

CHARACTERIZATION

Recycling these items prevents environmental pollution and conserves valuable resources.

HANDLING PROCEDURES

- Step 1** Unit Commander or Activity Director selects a POL accumulation point operator and schedules Oil Handling Personnel training.
- Step 2** EQO submits POL site diagram and memorandum to the HW Program Manager to establish POL site.
- Step 3** HW Program Manager provides training on proper set up and operation of the POL site.
- Step 4** POL accumulation point operator oversees operation, conducts weekly inspections and maintains the POL site folder.
- Step 5** HW Program Manager conducts unannounced assessments documenting POL site deficiencies and corrective action.
- Step 6** EQO oversees site operation, reviews POL folder documentation and assessments, and enforces compliance.



SCU's must be purchased by the unit.

GENERAL INFORMATION

- If all vehicles and generators are deployed and there is no need to accumulate POL products, refer to “How to Close a Used Oil and/or Used Antifreeze Accumulation Point”, Chapter 7 in the front of this book.
- In a unit/activity moves from one building/location to another, close the POL accumulation point and submit a POL establishment memo and site diagram for the new location.
- Forms needed to open/close/move a POL Accumulation Point can be found in Appendix E of this handbook.
- For more information, contact **Environmental Division Hazardous Waste**.