



CITY OF SPARKS ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL SECONDARY CONTAINMENT REQUIREMENTS

1. Fixed secondary containment area(s) shall be shown on one (1) set of a construction plan submitted to the Sparks Environmental Control Section. The plan shall show height and width of containment curb, and capacity of all containment areas. The containment plan shall be submitted prior to construction.
2. Secondary containment areas must be large enough to contain 110% of the capacity of the largest vessel in the containment area.
3. Containment curbs and floors must be constructed of "non-porous" materials, i.e., cement, and horizontally and vertically reinforced with re-bar. Prohibited materials include, but are not limited to: cinder block, asphalt, and wood.
4. Containment curbs shall be sealed to the surface in such a manner that any liquid accumulation inside the containment area be unable to leak, seep, or escape the containment area.
5. Curbs may be "rounded" to allow for ease of entry and use of forklifts, hand trucks, barrel trucks, etc.
6. For answers to questions concerning these requirements, please call Environmental Control @ 861-4152.