

1.4 Activities at the Facility

The facility is owned and operated by Anne Arundel County Bureau of Utility Operations. The maintenance yard is the base for operations for repair and maintenance of all county owned water and sanitary sewer services where the repair and maintenance operations occur off the premises. The staff report to the facility to receive any work assignments, collect maintenance vehicles and/or equipment, collect or deposit bulk storage and/or repair materials. They then leave the site to perform their required maintenance or repair duties and return to the site when they need supplies or have finished their work assignment. Activities on site are limited to storage of bulk repair material – sand, gravel, crushed stone, bituminous cold patch material, top soil, spoil material, ductile iron pipes, fittings, manhole covers, etc...; equipment storage, combination jet/vac trucks, generators, flatbeds, a fuel truck, work trucks, dump trucks, back hoes, excavators, etc...; reclamation, sorting and disposal of waste generated from maintenance operations - spoil material, worn or old equipment, grease, used oil, etc...; and perform minor maintenance of vehicles and equipment. Storage of materials onsite is based on usage rates that vary over time and with seasonal/workload fluctuations. The temporary spoils area is used for storage of soil, concrete, blacktop, etc... of any material removed from maintenance sites before being sorted, as necessary, and disposed of at the county owned landfill.

The minor maintenance of vehicles and equipment is performed in the inside garage. The facility performs all type of minor repairs and vehicle maintenance and has hydraulic jacks to lift vehicles to perform the necessary maintenance. All manner of chemicals and materials that are used for repair and maintenance of vehicles are stored within the maintenance and repair shop.

There are no fueling operations or fuel stations located onsite. However there is a 2000 gallon fueling truck stored onsite that is used in the repair and maintenance operations.