



WET WEATHER PREPARATION FOR THE 2026/2027 SEASON

In order to prepare for the upcoming **2026/27 Wet Weather Season**, LA Sanitation and Environment (LASAN) has updated the annual Wet Weather Plan in order to protect the public health and safety during a wet weather event. This plan is implemented during the official wet weather season spanning from **October 15 to April 15** of every year.

As part of the implementation of this plan, LASAN has been:

- Meeting regularly to discuss issues encountered during the 2025-2026 wet weather season. LASAN is implementing any **lessons learned**.
- Reviewing wastewater conveyance system flow monitoring locations and performing modeling studies to **update action trigger levels** to ensure resources are allocated when needed.
- Training designated staff on **Storm Commander duties** to ensure effective communication during wet weather events. This training covers not only the historic wet weather challenges in Los Angeles but also recent observations and any necessary considerations related to active conveyance system construction projects.
- Training staff to review and report on the **180+ collection system flow monitoring sites** during wet weather events.
- Enhancing existing reporting protocols** through the use of standardized forms and distribution lists.
- Developing maps and schematics** of the wastewater conveyance system in order to make informed decisions during wet weather events.
- Preparing LASAN's wastewater and stormwater infrastructure** through inspecting, cleaning, and maintaining components in order to optimize overall system performance. LASAN has added the burn areas and other critical areas into storm monitoring.

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