

# Stormwater Standards

Clackamas County Service District No. 1

## APPENDIX C

*Integrated Pest Management Guide*

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## **Integrated Pest Management Guide**

### **C.1 Introduction**

Integrated Pest Management Plan (IPM Plan) goal is to manage pest damage by the most economical means, and with the least possible hazard to people, property, and the environment. IPM Plan is most effective in conjunction with measures that prevent the introduction or establishment of new invasive species.

In 2012, the District partnered in a multi-departmental effort to create the Clackamas County Integrated Pest Management Plan (IPM Plan). This IPM Plan provides guidelines for an effective and environmentally sensitive approach to pest management based on the life cycles of pests and their interactions with the environment. This IPM Plan does not seek to impose new rules and regulations but rather to assist the implementers of this plan in:

- 1) Using integrated pest management approaches to achieve environmentally responsible outcomes.
- 2) Taking all reasonable precautions to protect environmental and human health.

Effective IPM begins with proper planning and decisions to evaluate the potential risks and benefits for each pest or site to yield the best overall outcome. Pest control actions should vary according to pest, current and desired site conditions.

### **C.2 Clackamas County Integrated Pest Management Plan**

The Clackamas County Integrated Pest Management Plan is available for viewing or download from the Water Environment Services website at:  
<http://www.riverhealth.org/wes-development-resources> .