

# Paintball Fields And Recreational Areas

The *County of San Diego Watershed Protection Program* supports businesses in their efforts to prevent pollution by offering these important Stormwater Best Management Practices (BMPs).

- ! Water that is released into the streets, gutters, and storm drains in San Diego County IS NOT TREATED before it reaches our local creeks, rivers, and the ocean. All sources of pollution are prohibited from leaving your property and entering streets or storm drains. Only rainwater is allowed in the streets and storm drains. *These tips specific to paintball fields and recreational areas will help keep our waterways clean.*

## General Requirements

- ❑ Remove or secure significant quantities of eroded soils to prevent their entering a storm drain or water way.
- ❑ Locate and mark storm drain inlets.
- ❑ Provide restroom facilities for customers.

## Waterways

- ❑ Do not alter streams, creeks or other waterways for recreational use.
- ❑ Construct appropriate stream crossings and instruct customers to use them.
- ❑ Mark “out of bounds” on sections protecting streams and creeks.

- ! Releasing pollutants directly or indirectly into the storm drain system or waterways is a violation of the County’s Watershed Protection Ordinance (WPO). *Your business is required to comply with the WPO and the above minimum BMPs.*

we can  
**protect our  
waterways**

with just  
a few steps.

**thank you** for doing your part to protect our waterways.



For more information, call the Stormwater Hotline at **(888) 846-0800** or visit [www.sandiegocounty.gov/stormwater](http://www.sandiegocounty.gov/stormwater) for the WPO.