

Activity: Vehicle and Equipment Fueling**GHP-12****Approach
(cont'd)**

- Observe Federal and State requirements regarding stationary above-ground storage tanks with special attention given to secondary containment.
- Avoid mobile fueling of mobile construction equipment around the site; rather, transport the equipment to designated fueling areas. With the exception of tracked equipment such as bulldozers and perhaps forklifts, most vehicles should be able to travel to a designated area with little lost time.
- For a quick reference on disposal alternatives for specific wastes, see the table presented in the Employee/Subcontractor Training BMP fact sheet, [Table GHP-14-1](#).
- Locate fueling areas on a paved surface where practical.
- Protect fueling areas with berms and/or dikes to prevent run-on, runoff, and to contain spills.
- Use vapor recovery nozzles to help control drips as well as air pollution where required by Air Quality Management Districts.

Maintenance

- Keep ample supplies of spill cleanup materials on-site.
- Inspect fueling areas and storage tanks on a regular schedule.

**Inspection
Checklist**

- Secondary containment area is properly maintained and preventing petroleum products from runoff to streams and ditches.
- Construction site has proper materials for cleaning spills.
- Fueling tanks are working properly.