

	<b>Queen Anne's County Fire &amp; EMS Commission Operations Manual</b>	No. 06.22
	<b>Spill Response Unit Standard</b>	Effective Date: September 4, 2014  Revised Date:

**I. SCOPE**

- A. This standard applies to all Queen Anne's County Fire Department's.

**II. PURPOSE**

- A. To establish a standard for a Spill Response Unit.

**III. RESPONSIBILITY**

- A. All Queen Anne's County Fire Department's will be responsible for ensuring strict adherence to this standard.

**IV. STANDARD**

- A. A Spill Response Unit shall be an enclosed unit used to store and transport materials for responses to incidents involving hydrocarbon spills. This unit shall be able to carry the equipment listed below without being overloaded. This unit shall meet DOT specifications and shall not exceed chassis manufacturer's GVW. This vehicle must be registered as an emergency vehicle and meet all codes of the Maryland Motor Vehicle Administration or its successors.

- B. To be numbered with Spill Response Unit and 1-digit number.

- 1. Example; Example; SRU 6.

- C. Minimum equipment to be carried on a Spill Response Unit.

- 1. Absorbent booms 320 feet (8 bales.)
- 2. Absorbent pads (normal size 15"x19") 1600 each (8 bales.)
- 3. Absorbent sweep (normal size 19"x100") 800 feet (8 bales.)
- 4. Absorbent dust (hydrophobic) 12 bags.
- 5. Oil-dry style granular absorbent 40 pounds.
- 6. Two street or course bristle brooms.
- 7. Forty each contractor plastic trash bags.

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8. Two non-sparking or non-metallic scoop shovels.
9. One pound plug/patch paste.
10. One plug/wedge kit.
11. Twelve each MDE spill reports (blank.)
12. Six pairs of various sizes of gloves and boots resistant to hydrocarbons (not structural PPE.)
13. Twelve each of various sizes of Tyvek suits for clothing or PPE protection only.

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