

Storm System Maintenance and Storm Response

Storm System Maintenance



The City of Hollywood Department of Public Utilities works year round to ensure the stormwater system operates as efficiently as possible. This system includes more than 157 miles of storm pipes; more than 4900 catch basins, canals, channels and ditches; and 10 stormwater pump stations.

Storm Response



The stormwater system is continually cleaned and inspected to ensure optimum performance and to meet State and Federal regulations. Field personnel also regularly inspect and maintain the City's pump stations. Our maintenance program continues year round; even during the dry season!



When heavy rains are forecast and there is the potential for flooding, City crews put the stormwater response plan into action. Crews are dispatched to pre-assigned areas to clear catch basin inlets; check and maintain pump stations; deploy portable pumps to help clear stormwater; and close roads if needed.