

# Report Your Concerns About WSL

Residents are the eyes and ears of the community. What you see, hear, smell, and feel could be very important signs of a problem. If you see something that doesn't look right, take photos, record info and let someone know:

## What is worth reporting?

- Anything that seems out of the ordinary or unusual
- Anything that may expose the public or our environment to harmful materials
- Health impacts like difficulty breathing, burning eyes or dizziness
- Spilled, tracked or blown material
- Vehicles leaking fluids or dropping debris
- Strong odors
- Unusual business activity: outside of normal hours, unfamiliar vehicles, equipment or personnel
- Material entering waterways or sewers



The pictures above are from PA DEP Inspection Reports and are good examples of things to report. \*\*\*Residents should never trespass to take pictures or witness activity.\*\*\*

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# Record Keeping Tips



**Take photos!** Take photos and videos. Include time and date stamps if you can. You may miss something that a picture captures!



**Keep a Journal:** Having all of your observations in one place documents patterns and creates a timeline!



**Talk with your neighbors:** Other people may have important details to add.

## Make Sure to Include:

- Date and time of the incident
- Weather conditions - including wind direction, if you know it
- Anything new and unfamiliar that doesn't look right
- Descriptions of how things look, smell, and sound at the time
- Descriptions of how things typically look, smell, and sound
- Any health impacts that you are feeling at the time
- Any changes in the health of outdoor plants, landscaping, or pets
- How it is impacting you: Can you not do things you typically do?  
Is it interfering with work, tasks or other activities?
- Names of people or companies that were present or individuals that you spoke with

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**Keep a Journal:** In order to help protect you and your community, it is important to keep a journal with records of your observations.

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- Any changes in water quality: color, smell, oily sheen
- Any changes in the health of outdoor plants, landscaping, or pets
- Detail any inconveniences or concerns; e.g. truck traffic, noise, dirt, light
- Road dust, dirt and debris
- Record of who you spoke with

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## Examples of things to report:



Hoses from the leachate positioned into stormwater ditch.



Insufficient cover



Fracking tank at leachate load-out completely full



Light tracking from the landill entrance



Industrial wastewater from the truck wheel wash, draining into the storm water dish



Mud and debris along Tyrol Blvd near Jonson Ave.

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