



## Pressure Washing and Surface Cleaning Business Clean Water Business Partner Pledge

Number of Employees: \_\_\_\_\_ Years of Business: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Business: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Website Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**As a City of Chico and Butte County Clean Water Business Partner (CWBP), I pledge to meet the following Best Management Practice (BMP) standards to protect our local waterways from runoff pollution:**

1. Reduce the amount of pollutants and chemicals that enter the storm drain system.
2. Educate customers about how they can help to reduce runoff pollution by posting information.
3. Contain wastewater properly.
4. Dispose of wastewater properly.
5. Use a dry clean up method instead of a hose/pressure washing system whenever possible.
6. Keep site free of litter and debris.

**Tips on how to reduce the amount of pollutants that enter the storm drain system to meet above listed BMP standards:**

- Use mops, brooms or wire brushes to clean sidewalks, buildings, equipment, pavement, driveways and other impervious surfaces before washing.
- Minimize the use of cleaning solutions and agents, and contain runoff.
- Treat remaining wastewater (for example; DI bags).
- Dispose of wash water in the sanitary sewer, never in the storm drain or gutter.
- See brochure for more tips and additional information.

CWBPs receive free advertising and a listing online at [www.keepchicoclean.org](http://www.keepchicoclean.org). The Clean Water Business Partner logo, dated annually, will be provided to each CWBP for their business advertising/promotional use. *CWBPs are required to re-new their pledge annually.*

**By signing this form you agree that the information you provide is true and correct, and that you are pledging to meet the above listed standards.**

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Signature Date

**The Clean Water Business Partnership Program is funded by the City of Chico.**