

America's Disposal Crisis

Current Impact and Future Outlook

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Miami Septic Company Caught Dumping Liquid Waste Into Storm Drains

In February 2016, a tipster reported a septic truck driver for dumping liquid waste next to a Kmart off Biscayne Boulevard. Sure enough, when county investigators set up surveillance in the parking lot, they quickly spotted the driver pumping waste directly into a drainage manhole.

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County workers caught a truck from Joe's Septic dumping liquid waste into a storm sewer off Biscayne Boulevard. Miami-Dade County

Septic Company Fined \$900K For Dumping Sewage Into Manholes



By Peak Johnson

For illegally dumping waste into manholes in Fort Wadsworth, NY, and into Brooklyn's Gowanus Canal, A&L Cesspool Service Corporation will have to pay \$900,000 in penalties.

According to [SILive.com](#), the company pleaded guilty in Brooklyn federal court to conspiracy "to violate the [Clean Water Act](#), unlawfully discharging pollutants into a United States waterway and four counts of illegally dumping pumped sewer waste in violation of its permit."

Officials said that the company did hold permits for disposing the liquid waste that it had removed from blocked sewer lines at designated wastewater treatment facilities.

Authorities said that workers then illegally dumped the waste at different locations, which included "manholes at Fort Wadsworth, John F. Kennedy International Airport, and a city housing authority development in Brooklyn, as well as in the Gowanus Canal."

Is there an issue today?



**What will that
look like in the
future?**

What are you paying for septic disposal?



What are the solutions?

New Innovations!



**What does the future look
like?**

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