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it goes

take simple  
steps to reduce  
STORMWATER POLLUTION



## Storm Drain Marking Cost Information

The information below was taken from a Maryland website called *Watershed Activities to Encourage Restoration* (<http://www.watershedactivities.com/projects/fall/sdstencl.html>). The costs are based on marking 100 storm drains. This information seems comparable to cost data we have discussed with a leading storm drain marker manufacturer, das Manufacturing (<http://www.dasmanufacturing.com/storm/index.html>), also shown below.

### Pre-made Markers that use Glue Adhesive

- Pre-made markers - \$150-\$450 (depending on size, quality, and if a custom message is added)
- Wire brushes (3) - \$9.00
- Door hangers - \$25.00
- Glue - \$50.00
- Hand cleaner (optional) - \$5.00
- Traffic safety vests (highly recommended) - \$10.00 each

**TOTAL ESTIMATED COST** (without optional items): **\$234-\$534**

### Paint Stencil\*

- Stencil - \$5.00-\$45.00 depending if you are creating your own or purchasing a pre-made stencil
- Paint - \$40.00-\$60.00 depending on if you are using spray paint, the paint quality, and if you are applying a background paint
- Paint brushes and stirrers - \$0.00-\$25.00
- “WET PAINT” signs - \$3.00
- Masking tape - \$5.00
- Drop cloth - \$12.00
- Paint Remover \$10.00
- Wire brushes (3) - \$9.00
- Door hangers \$25.00
- Hand cleaner (optional) \$5.00
- Traffic safety vests (highly recommended) - \$10.00 each

**TOTAL ESTIMATED COST** (without optional items): **\$109-\$194**

\*Paint stencils are generally not recommended as this method does not last as long as pre-made markers, the paint can wash down the stormdrain, and it is also messy to use with youth groups.

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### Cost Breakdown for Pre-Made das Curb Markers

<b>STOCK: Duracast Custom 4" diameter, 2 color (blue/green) with Adhesive Guide das Curb Marker</b>							
Number Ordered	50-499	500	1000	2000			
Cost for EACH	\$2.50	\$2.10	\$2.00	\$1.80			
<b>SPECIAL PRODUCTION: Duracast Custom 4" diameter, 2 color with Adhesive Guide das Curb Marker</b>							
Number Ordered	50-499	500	1000	2000	3000	4000	5000
Cost for EACH	n/a	\$2.99	\$2.34	\$2.10	\$2.00	\$1.89	\$1.79
Cost for Extra Color	n/a	\$0.38	\$0.22	\$0.16	\$0.14	\$0.12	\$0.10
<b>GLUE</b>							
Curb Marker Adhesive 5 oz.: 4.95 EA 6-7 tubes needed per 100 Prices obtained August 2008 and are subject to change. Shipping not included.							



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RI Stormwater Solutions has storm drain markers reading, "Don't Dump, Drains to Stream" available to towns at \$1.80 each. Please contact us at 874-2138 for more details.

