



KEEP THE DUST DOWN

Springtime is dust season in Anchorage

While cleaning parking lots and sidewalks this year, do all you can to keep the dust down. It'll mean cleaner, healthier air for you, your employees, and all of us!

As a Green Star business, we are concerned about dust control and would like you to minimize dust as much as possible.

Please follow these guidelines:

- ◆ Use wet sweeping methods. Make sure ample water is available. Provide a water truck, if needed, or tap a hydrant.
- ◆ If a vacuum truck is used, make sure it has a filtering device (like a baghouse) which is operating properly.
- ◆ Pay special attention to driveways where dirt and sand is "tracked out" onto roadways. Sand carried onto high traffic areas is more likely to become airborne. Clean these areas thoroughly.
- ◆ Sweep early and often. It will help keep dirt and other pollutants (oil, metals, bacteria, etc.) out of our creeks and waterways.
- ◆ Do not sweep or wash material into storm drains and catch basins. It may cause clogging, and pollutants may be carried directly to waterways.
- ◆ Please, do not use leaf blowers or other similar devices.

EVERYONE BENEFITS FROM CLEAN AIR!

For more information, call Green Star at 278-7827 or the Municipality of Anchorage Air Quality Program at 343-4713