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Our University through our Center for Sustainable Development has a policy on preventing and reducing marine pollution of all kinds, in particular from land-based activities. This is included in our Policy Guidelines for Sustainable Development under Chapter 1 - Environmental Sustainability, subsection 1.2. Water Usage and Care has specific policy guidelines for better wastewater management on the different campuses of the University. These guidelines encompass water usage and conservation management, water quality monitoring, wastewater treatment facility, and discharging of wastewater. The non-regulation of water discharge will be a source of eutrophication to the marine environment leading to pollution.

In addition, subsection 1.4.2 Water Efficiency states that the adaptation of efficient practices, plan, design, materials, fixtures, equipment, and methods that reduce water consumption results in cost savings. Subsection 1.4.3 Material Sustainability governs all matters related to resource efficiency and material selection and use with the least impact on the environment and Subsection 1.4.4. Solid Waste Management requires the adoption of efficient waste management practices and the use of eco-friendly materials.