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Stormwater is the runoff water after it rains or snows. Stormwater picks up litter, sand, and chemicals as it flows over the land and into storm drains, and it carries these pollutants to our streams, ponds, wetlands and coastal waters.

Simply by putting fewer pollutants on the land, we can help keep stormwater clean. Cleaner stormwater means cleaner water for drinking, swimming, fishing, boating, and protecting wildlife.

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# Please help keep our local waters clean:

-  Never throw, pour or sweep anything down storm drains.
-  Don't litter.
-  Maintain your car to prevent fluid leaks.
-  Recycle used motor oil.
-  Use fertilizers and other lawn chemicals sparingly.
-  Pick up after your pet and dispose of the waste in the trash.
-  Support community efforts to keep stormwater clean.

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