

Every time it rains,
STORMWATER
runoff deposits debris
like litter, pesticides,
chemicals, motor oil
and dirt directly into
our WATERWAYS.

The best way to prevent stormwater pollution is to **AVOID POLLUTING** in the first place.



What Should You Do?

- NEVER dump anything in a street, storm drain or drainage ditch.
- SCOOP UP after your pet, bag it and throw it in the trash.
- COMPOST or bag grass clippings and leaves.
- REPORT illicit/illegal discharges into storm drains to EHSRM office.
- CHECK for and repair vehicle leaks.
- REDUCE, REUSE and RECYCLE household cleaning/maintenance chemicals.
- RECYCLE motor oil and other vehicle fluids.
- RECYCLE household waste when possible, and DON'T LITTER.
- WASH vehicles at a car wash or in a grassy area, not your drive way.
- SPREAD THE WORD AND GET INVOLVED.