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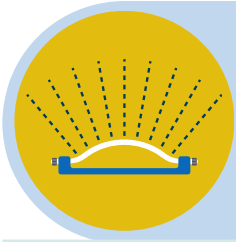
5 Tips for preventing stormwater pollution

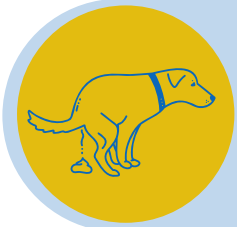


1. Wise Watering

Slow, deep watering is more effective than multiple waterings, causing runoff that carries soils, nutrients, and pesticides.

2. Secure Trash

Dispose of waste in trash cans or pack it out if none are available in a public space. Litter can clog storm drains and intensify flooding.



3. Don't Poo-Lute

Always pick up and dispose of waste in trash cans or in the toilet. One gram of waste contains 23 million fecal coliform bacteria.

4. Schedule Maintenance

Have septic systems on your property and vehicles you own regularly inspected to maintain proper function to reduce pollution.

5. Yard Waste Disposal

Bag or mulch it! Please keep yard waste out of the street. Leaves and grass contain phosphorus, which contributes to algae growth.

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