

## **Solutions to Stormwater Pollution**

### **Limit Use of Fertilizers and Pesticides**

- Perform soil test to determine need
- Follow instructions for correct application
- Try alternatives, e.g., plants that repel insects
- Landscape using native vegetation and plants

### **Clean Up After Pets**

- Use newspaper, bags or pooper-scoopers
- Dispose of pet waste in the trash
- Never discard waste in a storm drain

### **Don't Feed Wildlife**

### **Don't Litter**

- Reduce, re-use and recycle
- Keep litter out of storm drains
- Participate in community cleanups



### **Dispose of Yard Waste Properly**

- Keep leaves and grass out of storm drains
- Use leaves and grass clippings for compost
- Recycle grass clippings back into the lawn

### **Properly Use and Dispose Of Hazardous Products**

- Don't pour hazardous products down the drain
- Use natural or less toxic alternatives
- Properly label and store hazardous products
- Locate a hazardous waste disposal facility

## **Take Action and Be Part of the Solution**

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