

Stormwater Is Everybody's Business

Rain is important for drinking water supplies, recreation and wildlife habitats. Rain becomes a problem when, as stormwater runoff, it washes pollutants left on the ground from our activities into our streams and rivers.

YOU can be the solution to stormwater pollution!

- ◆ **Use** pesticides and fertilizers sparingly
- ◆ **Repair** auto leaks
- ◆ **Dispose** of household hazardous waste such as batteries, used oil, cleaning products and paint at designated collection locations. For details and locations of household hazardous waste collections see www.chesco.org/health/hhw.html
- ◆ **Clean** up after your pet
- ◆ **Wash** your car on a lawn or other unpaved areas
- ◆ **Sweep** up yard debris rather than hosing down paved areas
- ◆ **Compost** or recycle yard waste
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Residents, municipalities, businesses and developers need to work together to prevent stormwater pollution.



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