



DID YOU KNOW...

- Storm drains DO NOT drain to the sanitary sewer and storm water is not treated at waste water plants
- Storm drains water is transported by storm drain systems and eventually flows into streams, creeks, lakes, rivers and the ocean
- Storm water can pick up many pollutants along the way such as trash, sediment and nutrients. All which can harm wildlife, their habitat and our drinking water supplies

REDUCE STORM WATER POLLUTION

SWEEP OR RAKE UP DEBRIS ON SURFACES

USE LESS TOXIC CHEMICALS WEED AND PEST CONTROL METHODS. AVOID OVER WATERING.

PROPER DISPOSAL DON'T DUMP CHEMICALS OR OIL DOWN THE STORM DRAIN.

DON'T LITTER. PLACE WASTE IN CONTAINERS FOR PROPER DISPOSAL.

POOLS AND SPA MAINTENANCE. DON'T DRAIN UNLESS NECESSARY. CHECK LOCAL REGULATIONS.

PETS. PICK UP ANIMAL WASTE.

*REPORT IMPROPER DISCHARGE TO CSUN EH&S DEPARTMENT

OUR GOAL

- PREVENT STORM WATER POLLUTION
- PROTECT AND ENHANCE WATER QUALITY IN SURROUNDING WATER SYSTEMS



COMMON URBAN POLLUTANTS

- SOIL AND LANDSCAPE DEBRIS
- PET WASTE
- SOAPS/DETERGENTS FROM CAR WASHING OR CLEANING
- ILLEGAL DUMPING/DISPOSAL
- FERTILIZERS, PESTICIDES AND HERBICIDES
- LITTER AND TRASH
- LEAKING VEHICLES

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