



What YOU can do to protect your source of Drinking Water

Yard Maintenance

DO:

- ✓ Apply chemicals only as directed.
- ✓ Cultivate plants which discourage pests to reduce pesticide usage.
- ✓ Leave lawn clippings on lawn or compost them.
- ✓ Pull weeds by hand.
- ✓ Clean up after pets.

DO NOT:

- ✓ Over apply fertilizers, herbicides or pesticides.
- ✓ Use gas powered leaf blowers or weed whackers.

Automotive

DO:

- ✓ Recycle used oil and antifreeze at service stations.
- ✓ Have automotive fluid leaks fixed.
- ✓ Clean up spills immediately.
- ✓ Drive only when necessary.

DO NOT:

- ✓ Pour used oil, antifreeze or other chemicals on the ground or down storm drains.

Storm Drains and Plumbing

DO:

- ✓ Take unwanted chemicals to hazardous waste collection sites.

DO NOT:

- ✓ Pour chemicals into storm drains, plumbing drains or drainage ditches.
- ✓ Use toilets as trash cans.