

**2023 Stormwater Pollution Prevention
Social Media Campaign
www.Glastonburyct.gov/stormwater**

Post date: Wednesday, 3/29 at 10:30 am

When you wash your car in the driveway, or on any paved surface, the soap and cleaning substances spread down the street and into the storm drains and eventually end up in Glastonbury's bodies of water.

By washing your car on gravel or grass surfaces, or in a commercial car wash, you're helping to reduce these pollutants! As the weather gets warmer, please keep this in mind and spread the word to your neighbors! Visit www.Glastonburyct.gov/stormwater for more information.

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#cleanwater #stormwaterpollutionprevention
#themoreyouknow #doyourpart



Post date: Monday, 4/3 at 1:00pm

Did you know that our storm drains feed directly into Glastonbury's local water sources? For this reason, storm drains are designed for RAIN, nothing else!

When walking your pet(s), ALWAYS bring waste bags with you and dispose of them in the nearest trash can.

NEVER throw pet waste bags into the storm drains! This can pollute our water and our community members.

Keep Glastonbury's water clean and properly dispose of your pet waste. Visit www.Glastonburyct.gov/stormwater for more information.

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**Pet waste
does NOT
belong in our
storm drains!**

Protect Glastonbury's bodies of water and NEVER dispose of pet waste or other items in the community's storm drains.

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Post date: Friday, 4/14 at 11:00am

Did you know that heavy rain can cause excess fertilizer to pass into storm drains and travel to Glastonbury's local bodies of water? Fertilizer pollutes resident's water and can also effect oxygen levels for various fish species.

When planning your lawn fertilization, check the weather and AVOID fertilizing before heavy rain or severe storms.

It's also best practice to sweep up excess fertilizer from paved surfaces to ensure it doesn't end up in our storm drains/water sources.

Visit www.Glastonburyct.gov/stormwater for more information.

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#planahead #savethefish

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Mow with purpose!
Help protect Glastonbury water sources
BEFORE YOU MOW YOUR LAWN:

CHECK THE WEATHER!
AVOID MOWING BEFORE HEAVY RAIN OR SEVERE STORMS

SWEEP UP EXCESS FERTILIZER FROM PAVED SURFACES

These simple actions can help prevent stormwater pollution!

Post: Post on Wednesday, 4/19 at 10:30 AM

It's Spring Cleaning season! In the spirit of the season, the Town encourages local business owners to sweep their parking lots and rid them of any debris/substances that could potentially wash away into town storm drains!

Keeping lawn fertilizers, de-icers, and other substances OUT of the storm drains helps keep Glastonbury water sources free from pollution!

Community members are also encouraged to clean parking lot drainage systems annually (e.g. catch basins, swales, etc.) to rid them of accumulated sediment and debris.

Please share with your fellow entrepreneurs and thank you in advance for doing your part to prevent stormwater pollution!

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Post: Post on Thursday, 4/27 at 11:00 AM

Storm sewers drain directly into Glastonbury lakes, streams, and other water bodies. When pet waste, garbage, and other pollutants are thrown into the storm drains, they are passed along to contaminate our water sources!

If you wouldn't want to drink it or bathe in it, DON'T put it in the storm drains! Find the nearest trash barrel and do your part to keep our community healthy!

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Post date: Saturday, 4/29 at 1:00 PM

Oil leaks pollute our water! If you have an oil leak issue with your vehicle, please address it as soon as possible and make every effort to prevent motor oil / oily substances from entering and polluting our storm drains. This is essential to protecting Glastonbury's lakes, rivers, and water sources.

Visit www.Glastonbury-ct.gov/stormwater for more information.

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