

## STORMWATER SUMMARY

Rain water runs off all impervious surfaces including roofs, driveways, sidewalks, parking lots, and streets collecting pollutants such as oils, fertilizers, metals, plastics, debris and bacteria along the way to the storm drain. In St. Bernard Parish, all of our storm water is pumped directly into Bayou Bienvenue, Lake Borgne, and the Violet Canal. Keeping non-stormwater liquids and debris out of our storm drains helps to keep our lakes, bayou, and canals clean. It also prevents flooding by clogged drains, so please help our community by making sure only rain goes down the drain inlets!



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Wash your cars on grass or gravel! Safely dispose of used auto fluids and batteries.



Washing cars and degreasing parts can send detergents and automotive fluids into the storm drain system.



When walking your pet pick up waste and dispose of it correctly.



Pet waste left on the ground washes into our storm drains.



Dumping anything into the storm drain system is illegal.



Safely dispose of waste and hazardous material. Call 504-278-4327 if you observe or suspect illegal dumping.



Litter and debris that enters our storm drains pollutes our lake and canals; Debris also causes flooding by clogging catchbasins.



Dispose of waste in its proper place.