

# WHAT IS STORMWATER



<http://www.maciverinstitute.com/tag/water/>

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Any water from rain or melted snow that runs untreated into catch basins (storm drains) and into local water bodies.

Stormwater can pollute our local water bodies and cause other harmful effects to ecological health and the environment.



<https://www.jimnissystems.com/services/storm-drains-catch-basins/>

## WHAT POLLUTES STORMWATER?

- Chemicals
  - Household cleaning products
  - Car fluids
  - Detergents
  - Road chemicals
- Fertilizer and pesticides
- Yard waste
- Pet waste
- Litter
- Soapy car wash water

