

## WATER QUALITY STEWARD CHECKLIST



- Put litter in its place - in the trash can.
- Never dump trash or chemicals into the water.
- Never dump anything down the storm drain. (**Only let rain go down the drain**)
- Wash cars at a car wash or on grass using a minimum of chemicals.
- Plant ground cover in bare spots or use mulch to prevent erosion.
- Plant hardy trees, shrubs and flowers that require little watering or chemical use.
- Don't cut shrubs and trees along stream banks.
- Recycle and dispose of household chemicals at a collection center.
- Repair auto leaks.
- Report chemical leaks and spills.
- Help with neighborhood cleanups.
- Tell others what they can do to lessen polluted runoff.