



Protecting Alameda County Creeks, Wetlands & the Bay

To learn more, visit www.cleanwaterprogram.org

All storm drains in Alameda County flow directly to our creeks, wetlands and the Bay. They do not flow to a water treatment plant, as many people believe. Each of us can help ensure that only rain enters the storm drains. Everyday actions, such as properly disposing of wash water, litter and hazardous materials, can prevent pollution and keep our water clean. The Clean Water Program empowers local residents to protect water, and makes it easy for businesses to comply with water pollution regulations.

**Everything that goes into the
storm drain ends up in our water.**





- * No toxic chemicals like oil-based paint, solvents and bleach. For safe disposal options visit www.household-hazwaste.org
- * Ninguna sustancia química tóxica como pinturas al óleo, disolventes ni cloro. Para averiguar las formas seguras de desecharlas, visite www.household-hazwaste.org
- * 不含有毒的化學物質，如油性漆料、溶劑和漂白劑。對於安全棄置方案，請瀏覽 www.household-hazwaste.org.



YES

NO