

Youngstown's Plan to Manage Stormwater

The City of Youngstown is required by Ohio EPA to prevent stormwater pollution by carrying out best management practices to reduce runoff, prevent erosion, and keep pollutants out of waterways. Read on to learn about Youngstown's stormwater plan.

PUBLIC EDUCATION & OUTREACH

Engage the public, sharing steps to prevent pollution.

ILLICIT DISCHARGE DETECTION & ELIMINATION

Monitor storm system to prevent non-stormwater from entering rivers.

CONSTRUCTION & POST-CONSTRUCTION

Review plans and inspect sites during and after construction.

POLLUTION PREVENTION FOR CITY FACILITIES

Work with City staff on operations & maintenance procedures.

What can you do to prevent pollution & flooding?

- If you see something being dumped down a storm drain, let the City know.
- Keep leaves and debris off catch basins.
- Minimize use of road salt, pesticides, and fertilizers.
- Pick up after your pets! E. coli bacteria in animal waste is a stormwater pollutant.



Report Stormwater Issues, Illegal Dumping, and Other Concerns:

<https://youngstownohio.gov/seeclickfix>

