

FOLLOW THE FLOW

Where does water go?

Do you know the water that falls on your property as rain or snow can leave your property as polluted runoff?

Not all water soaks into the ground. When it leaves your property, it can pick up pollutants such as soil, lawn chemicals and pet waste. The polluted runoff flows untreated into our streams, rivers, lakes and bays.

As the snow melts or the rain falls, follow the flow. Watch the path water takes, and think about ways to keep it on your property longer, encourage it to soak into the ground, and prevent it from reaching our water bodies as polluted runoff.

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