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Dayton's

The A-MAZE-ING Journey of Stormwater

1. Storm clouds gather water and produce rain, which is called stormwater once it reaches the ground.

2. Rain runs off roofs and into gutters, which channel the water to the ground.

3. Once on the ground, stormwater is either absorbed into the grass to feed plants, or it will run off the sidewalks and driveways and into the street.

4. Storm drains collect stormwater from the street into underground discharge pipes.

5. These discharge pipes empty into our local creeks and rivers, like the Great Miami River.

6. Dayton's waterways provide important habitats for fish and wildlife.

So whatever you do... DON'T POLLUTE OUR STORM DRAINS!