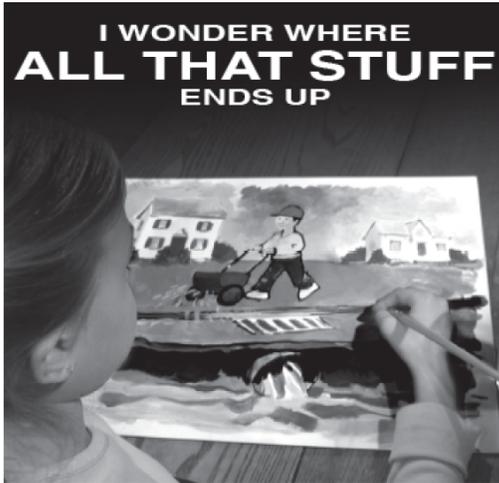


ILLICIT DISCHARGE DETECTION AND ELIMINATION

The Village of Wauconda needs your help in protecting our valuable water resources by eliminating illicit discharges to the storm sewer system. An illicit discharge is defined as any discharge to the storm sewer system that is not composed entirely of storm water. Sources of illicit discharges may include materials such as:



- * Sanitary wastewater
- * Gas & motor oil
- * Household cleaners
- * Paints
- * Pesticides
- * Solvents
- * Vehicle spills
- * Weed killers
- * Radiator flushing disposal
- * Laundry wastewaters

Disposing of household chemicals and wastes by dumping them in to the storm sewers is illegal and a major cause of stormwater pollution. If you witness or are suspicious of any illegal dumping, please report it to the Village Hall at 847-526-9600. Public complaints provide the most common source of information. When calling we'll ask you for the location of the dumping and the material being dumped (if known). We'll also ask your name and phone number in case we need additional information.