

Stormwater Pollution Prevention for: Pets

City of Moore Environmental Services



Lake Thunderbird TMDL

In recent years stormwater pollution has negatively affected the water quality within Lake Thunderbird. The City of Moore is committed to reducing these pollutants in order to help the lake remain a viable regional resource for recreation, fish and wildlife preservation.



Only rain in the storm drain!

****For More Information****

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Stormwater Pollution Management

City of Moore's Stormwater Ordinance (15-602) prohibits non-stormwater discharges into storm sewer systems. The City's storm sewer system was built to collect and transport rain to prevent flooding in urban areas. Anything that flows or is discharged into the storm sewer system goes directly into local creeks without any treatment. As water flows on the ground it picks up a variety of pollutants that flow into local stormwater ponds, creeks and eventually flows to Lake Thunderbird.

The Fertilizer Myth

Contrary to popular belief, dogs do not produce usable manure-fertilizer for grass and plants because they are carnivorous. Beneficial manure-fertilizer comes from herbivores like horses and cows.

Potential Pet Impacts

- Pet waste
- Pet bath water
- Flea shampoos, sprays and collars



Pollution Prevention:

- Always pick up your pet's waste in a plastic bag and throw it in the trash
- Wash your pet in the bathtub or sink; When outside, wash your pet in a grassy area where water will not run down the street or directly drain to a drainage channel
- Use oral or topical flea products to protect your pets

