

METEOROLOGIST MESSAGES 3/31/05

- Water pollution alert! Rain is expected, please don't litter. Trash can clog storm drains and flood local waterways.
- Water pollution alert! Rain is expected, please don't litter. Trash can flow through storm drains and pollute local creeks and the Bay.
- It's a water pollution rainy day alert in the Bay Area. Please don't litter—let's keep the Bay clean.
- Rainy day alert from the Bay Area Clean Water Agencies: please don't litter. What you dump on the street could be washed into the Bay.
- Heavy storms cause an upsurge in water pollution. Trash left on streets or sidewalks can flow through storm drains and pollute the Bay. Pitch in and keep the Bay clean.
- Litter is never a good thing, but on rainy days it's especially bad. Rain washes roadside litter into storm drains and pollutes the Bay. Put your trash in the garbage where it belongs.
- A rainy day in the Bay Area calls for a water pollution alert. Keep the Bay clean by putting trash in garbage cans. Don't litter—scattered trash gets washed into local waters when it rains.
- Scoop your dog's poop—especially when rain is forecasted. Pet waste left on streets and roads can introduce bacteria to local creeks and the Bay.
- Heavy storms can cause an increase in water pollution. Rain washes trash off roads and into storm drains that flow into the Bay and local creeks.
- Litter and rainy days don't mix. Protect Bay waters: don't litter. Put a trash bag in your car and throw it in the garbage when you get home.
- Water pollution alert! Rain is in the forecast. Dumped garbage could wash into local waterways.
- Water pollution alert! Heavy storms forecasted. Rain could carry trash through storm drains into local waterways. Don't pollute!
- Rainy day alert from the Bay Area Clean Water Agencies: Please don't apply pesticides or fertilizers today. Rain washes applied chemicals off treated surfaces and can pollute local creeks and the Bay.

- Water pollution alert! Rain could wash fertilizers right off the lawn. Save time and money and wait until it's drier weather.
- Rain is in the forecast! Now isn't a good time to apply pesticides. Rain will wash them off plants. Save applications for drier weather.
- Rain is in the forecast! Is your car leaking oil? Clean your driveway before the oil is washed into the nearest storm drain, polluting local waterways.
- A heavy storm is in the forecast! Working on your home? Bring paint cans and other items indoors to prevent gusty winds from blowing them over and spilling their contents into the streets where they can be washed into local waterways.
- Heavy rain is in the forecast! Still putting in that driveway? Make sure tarps are secure so that dirt won't be washed into the street and storm drain. Storm drains flow directly to the Bay!
- Rain is in the forecast. Please pick up yard trimmings and bag properly. Don't leave on the sidewalk to be washed away on a rainy day.
- Water pollution alert! Prevent clogged storm drains. Clean out your storm drains as frequently as possible. It will help prevent clogging when rains come.
- Water pollution alert! When rain comes, storm drains can get backed-up. Do your part and clean out your storm drains now.