



Summit SWCD

Education and Outreach

2018 Theme

“Steer Clear of Pollutants- *On the Road to Clean Water!*”



2018 Focus Areas

Winter-Salt

Spring-Car Maintenance & Litter

Summer-Car Wash and Watercraft

Fall-Lawn Equipment Maintenance

Winter-Salt



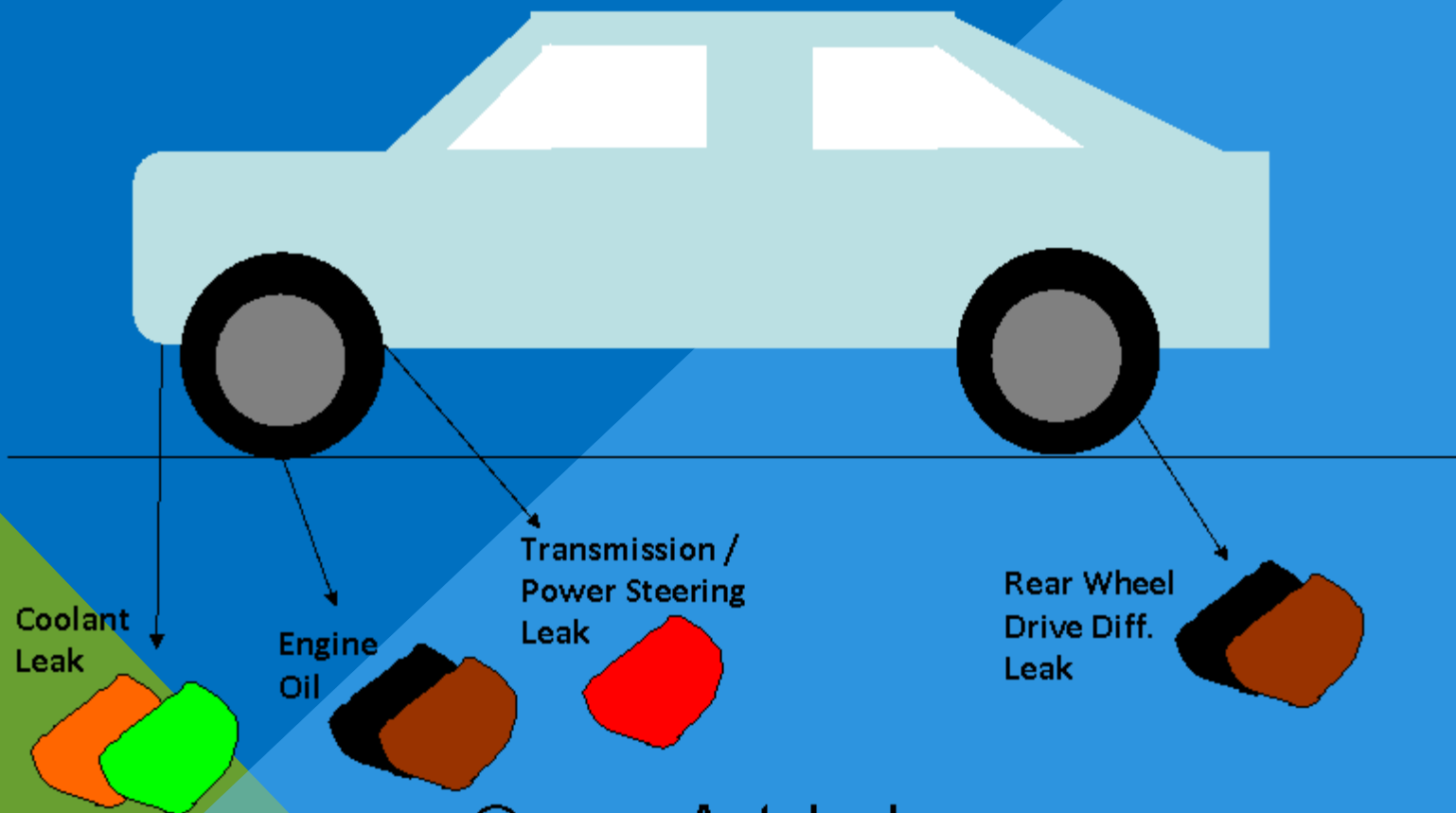
Spring-Car Maintenance & Litter



Don't Drip & Drive

Fix That
Leak!





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Check for Leaks and
Replace Fluids

Carry a Litter Bag in your Car!



We Share this planet with others who don't litter but suffer the consequences of our carelessness.





The environment is not our
ashtray! Properly dispose
of your butts!

Summer-Car Wash and Watercraft



CAR WASH

Wash vehicles on your lawn or at a commercial car wash!

Watercraft



Clean out and treat ballast!
Prevent Spread of Invasive Species.

Watercraft Maintenance



Cleaning protects against spreading invasive species in the Great Lakes.



Properly dispose of boating chemicals, & keep them out of the water.

Fall-Lawn Equipment Maintenance



Check and
repair to
prevent leaks.

Stormwater Theme Educational and Outreach Methods of Delivery



Brochures

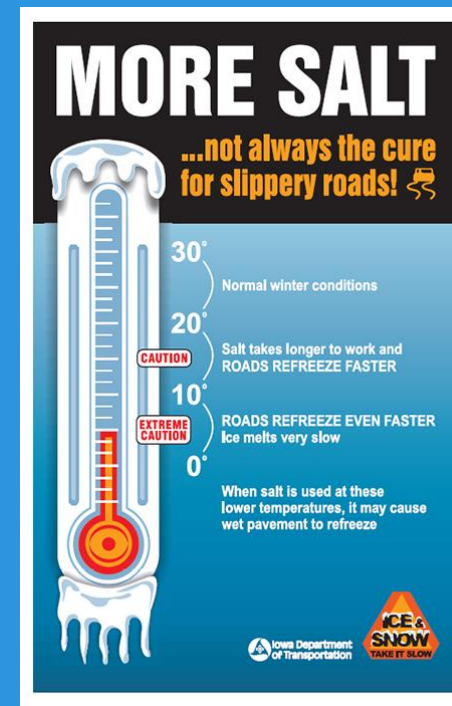
Billboard



Newsletters



WINTER NEWSLETTER, 2018



**Lake Erie Starts Here!
Don't Waste It!**



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Power Point Presentations



**Attendance at
Community Events.**



Banners and Posters

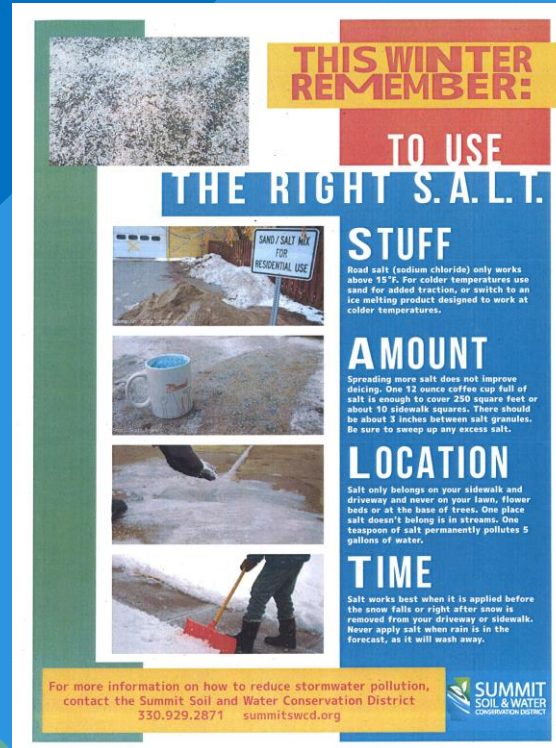


Steer Clear of Pollutants

Use a car wash or wash your car on the lawn to keep soapy water out of storm drains, ditches, and waterways.

Check your vehicles and equipment for leaks and spills. Clean up spills with absorbent materials.

Recycle used oil and other automotive fluids.



THIS WINTER REMEMBER:

TO USE THE RIGHT S.A.L.T.

STUFF

Read salt (sodium chloride) only works above 12°F. For colder temperatures use sand for added traction, or switch to an ice melting product designed to work at colder temperatures.

AMOUNT

Spreading more salt does not improve driving. One 12 ounce coffee cup full of salt is enough to cover 250 square feet or about 10 sidewalk squares. There should be about 3 inches between salt granules. Be sure to sweep up any excess salt.

LOCATION

Salt only belongs on your sidewalk and driveway and never on your lawn, flower beds or at the base of trees. One place salt doesn't belong is in streams. One teaspoon of salt permanently pollutes 5 gallons of water.

TIME

Salt works best when it is applied before the snow falls or right after snow is removed from your driveway or sidewalk. Never apply salt when rain is in the forecast, as it will wash away.

For more information on how to reduce stormwater pollution, contact the Summit Soil and Water Conservation District 330.929.2871 summitswcd.org



LAKE ERIE: Don't Waste It!

Pick up after your pet in every season.

Properly dispose of household hazardous waste.

Winter, Spring, Summer or Fall

Be a friend to the environment by keeping pollutants off the land and out of the storm drain.

Don't dump yard waste in or near a stream.

Keep leaves out of the storm drain.

SUMMIT SOIL & WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

For more information, **all you have to do is call.**
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Minimum Control Measure II

Public Involvement/Participation



Community Car Wash



Totally
FREE
Community
Car Wash



Storm Drain Marking



Macroinvertebrate Sampling



Raingardens



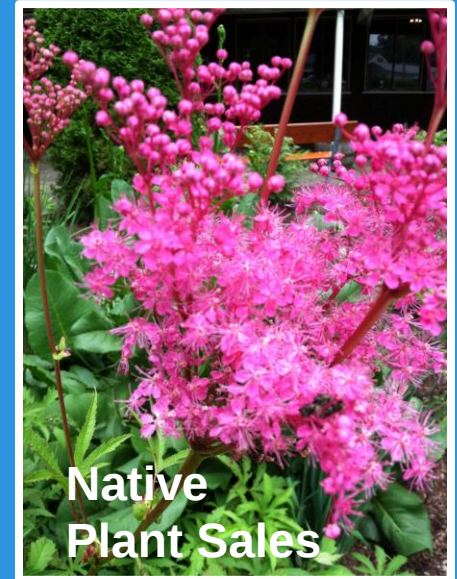
Rainbarrel



Clean-Ups & Garlic Mustard Pulls



Promoting Conservation Through Sales



Traditional Education



Educators'
Workshops



In The Classroom



Models for Teacher Use



Enviroscape



Streamulator



Groundwater Model

Envirothon



Urban Agriculture



THANK YOU for listening!



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