## DID YOU KNOW?

If it gets on the ground, it can get into the water.



When rain water falls on impervious surfaces, it can pick up litter, chemicals, yard debris, and animal waste carrying them to the storm drain and making its way untreated to Cypress Creek and the

Tennessee River. These waterbodies provide a source of drinking water, a habitat for fish and other wildlife, and a place for swimming, fishing, and boating.



## PLEASE...

- 1. Nothing in storm drain.
- 2. Pick up litter, including pet waste.
- 3. Repair leaking vehicles.
- 4. Wash vehicles on the lawn.
- 5. Follow directions when using fertilizer and pesticides.
- 6. Store chemicals away from street and storm drains.
- 7. Seed bare spots in your yard.
- 8. Mulch or bag yard debris.
- Direct downspouts away from paved surfaces.
- 10. Cover storage containers & dumpsters.

For more information about UNA's Stormwater Management Plan, contact the Office of Environmental, Health and Safety.