



# KEEPING BAYOU TEXAS HEALTHY

## STORMWATER:

Stormwater is rain & irrigation that carries debris into bayous & bays.

To reduce stormwater runoff and keep it clean:

1. Use fertilizers sparingly.
2. Landscape with swales and berms.
3. Minimize paved surfaces outside the home.
4. Clean up after your pet.



## Landscaping for Healthier Waterways:

Plant native landscapings that are friendly to the Florida environment.

## Ways to transition to healthy landscaping:

Group plants with similar water needs. Select native or adapted plants & trees appropriate for your soil & location. Reduce water-thirsty lawn areas by increasing plant beds, natural areas & ground covers.