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Pesticides, herbicides and fertilizers that contain harmful chemicals can wash into our Mojave River Watershed and cause stormwater pollution. There are simple things we can do to protect our High Desert water supply without sacrificing beautiful lawns and gardens.

Choose to be stormwater-savvy in just 7 easy steps.

- Use nontoxic products, they're just as effective and better for our water supply
- Never apply pesticides, herbicides or fertilizers 24 hours before a rain storm
- Avoid applying treatment products near a driveway or gutter
- Opt for spot treatment rather than blanketing large areas
- Store lawn and gardening products in a sealed container to prevent spillage and runoff
- 6 Choose native plants and grasses that are drought tolerant and pest resistant
- 7 Sweep and throw away lawn debris in a green waste trash bin

Always dispose of leftover fertilizer, herbicides and pesticides at a Household Hazardous Waste Collection Center.

Household Hazardous Waste Collection Centers

- Town of Apple Valley Household Hazardous Waste Facility 13450 Nomwaket Road
- City of Hesperia Household Hazardous Waste Facility 17443 Lemon Street
- City of Victorville Household Hazardous Waste Collection Center Located on Loves Lane behind the San Bernardino County Fairgrounds