

Paycheck Stub/Facebook Phrase Ideas

Clean Water Action Messages

Turn off the faucet to save water and save money! Learn more tips at www.swmpc.org/what_can_i_do.asp

Get your septic tank pump and inspected every 3 years! Do your part to keep Michigan's water clean and safe! Learn more at www.swmpc.org/septic.asp

Water your lawn and garden in the morning or evening when temperatures are cooler to minimize evaporation. www.swmpc.org/lawn_care.asp

Spread a layer of organic mulch around plants to help retain moisture, save water, time, and money in the long run. www.swmpc.org/lawn_care.asp

Adjust your lawn mower to cut 3 inches from the ground. A taller lawn shades roots and holds soil moisture better than if it is closely clipped. www.swmpc.org/lawn_care.asp

NEVER dump anything down storm drains! Also do not let leaves or soil enter storm drains. They usually lead to the nearest stream or lake! www.swmpc.org/keepitblue.asp

Don't waste water - fix that dripping faucet and other leaks. www.swmpc.org/what_can_i_do.asp

Don't dump hazardous material down the drain - dispose of them properly. Learn how at www.berriencounty.org/recycle

Help protect Michigan's waters and wildlife by reporting water pollution to the Pollution Emergency Alerting System - **1-800-292-4706** or www.tworiverscoalition.org/hotline.asp

When planting flower gardens, consider using native plants, find more on native plants here - www.wildflowersmich.org

Consider planting a rain garden to do your part for clean water! www.raingardens.org

Install a rain barrel to do your part for clean water!
<http://berrienconservationdistrict.webs.com/rain-barrels>

Test your soil to see if fertilizer is needed. Fertilize sparingly and use Phosphorus free (zero in the middle). www.tworiverscoalition.org/phosphorus.asp

Protecting Lake Michigan begins in your yard – use fertilizer without phosphorus!
www.tworiverscoalition.org/phosphorus.asp

Protect our lakes and rivers - Pick up after your pet and throw the waste in the garbage.
www.swmpc.org/pet.asp

General Water Messages

____(your municipality)_____ cares about clean water! Visit
www.swmpc.org/what_can_i_do.asp to see what you can do to help Keep It Blue!

Save water because we all need it! To learn more visit
www.swmpc.org/what_can_i_do.asp

Learn tips for cleaner water! www.swmpc.org/what_can_i_do.asp

Conserve water and reduce your water bill! Visit www.swmpc.org/what_can_i_do.asp

C'mon guys, get water-wise www.swmpc.org/what_can_i_do.asp

Let us keep Michigan's water pure by using simple tips! Learn more at
www.swmpc.org/what_can_i_do.asp

Install a water-efficient showerhead. They're inexpensive, easy to install, and can save you up to 750 gallons of water a month. www.epa.gov/watersense