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Don’t be a Litter Bug!

Clean water begins with you and me!

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Toss litter where it belongs; in the trash!

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Aim to be litter free!

- Always dispose of litter, including cigarette butts, properly.
- Cover open truck beds, open trailers, and boats so lightweight items don’t fly out.

Litter & Water Quality

- Containers with hazardous materials can leak and contaminate our soil and water.
- Litter finds its way into lakes, streams, and oceans, harming wildlife and water supplies.

Littering makes no sen$e!

- One mile of highway contains about 16,000 pieces of litter. Estimated cost of pickup? Almost $5000! (30 cents per piece!)
- A conviction of littering can carry a fine of $1000 and up to 12 hours of community service.
- In 2005, 135 billion beverage bottles and cans were trashed. Had these containers been recycled, they would have been worth over $2.1 billion!

Report litterbugs!

Call 1-800-DOT-4YOU with the vehicle’s license plate number, location, and type of litter.