



STORMWATER POLLUTION POSTER CONTEST 2016



In the Phoenix area, stormwater runoff is carried by curbs or gutters into storm drains. Storm drains are separate from the sanitary sewer and **DO NOT** lead to a treatment plant. Stormwater runoff and any pollutants that are picked up are discharged into our washes, rivers, and lakes without being treated.

Students and teachers are encouraged to visit our website, www.maricopa.gov/stormwater to learn more about stormwater pollution and for ideas to create and submit posters supporting the theme:

“Help Sam Make Clean Storm Drains Happen!”



CONTEST RULES

Who Can Enter? 3rd-4th and 5th-6th grade students in Maricopa County

How to Enter? Send submissions to:

**Maricopa County Environmental Services Department
Stormwater Quality Program
“Poster Contest”
1001 N Central Ave, Ste 301
Phoenix, AZ 85004**

When to Enter? All entries must be postmarked by **March 25, 2016**

Other Requirements:

- Poster size should be no larger than 8 ½” x 11.”
- Artwork must be original; any art medium is acceptable.
- Poster must use the theme **“Help Sam Make Clean Storm Drains Happen!”** and include a brief message and/or picture that support this theme. Image should be large enough to be easily seen and understood. Posters will be judged on originality, artwork, and message delivery. Visit our website www.maricopa.gov/stormwater for poster ideas.
- Entries must have a 4” x 6” index card firmly attached to the back of the poster with the following information: **Student Name, Grade, Teacher’s Name, School Name, Address and Phone Number.**
- By submitting artwork, the artist grants Maricopa County the permission to reproduce and display his/her artwork for use in the County’s Stormwater Program. Entries will not be returned.

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