

Grass Cutting Season is Here

Grass Clippings and Leaf Litter are Stormwater Pollutants and Safety Hazards

LEAVE IT or BAG IT, but **DON'T BLOW IT**



Grass is carried by stormwater runoff into our drains which causes:

- **Pollution** of our water ways
- Contributes to **flooding** in our neighborhoods by clogging storm drains

Tips that make a difference:

- Leave grass clippings on the lawn or compost them
- Sweep grass from all paved areas back to your lawn
- Don't blow your clippings into the street or wash them into the drains
- Cutting near edge of a street or sidewalk your lawnmower should blow clippings towards your yard

