Do you:
• Have a stormwater and chemicals pollution prevention plan
• Keep your property free of litter
• Properly apply fertilizer
• Plant trees
• Landscape your property to filter water
• Maintain green spaces
• Protect storm drains
• Use best management practices on construction sites
• Promote environmental awareness
• Use rain barrels
• Have a rain garden
• Recycle hazardous materials

Then we want to recognize you as a
Stormwater Superstar!

MAKE A DIFFERENCE
By working together on best management practices for stormwater, we can improve the quality of the water in the Ottawa River. If you currently have any of these practices in place at your business or organization, we want to honor you in our annual stormwater superstar recognition.

If you would like information on implementing any of these practices, please contact Beth Seibert at the Allen Soil and Water Conservation District at 419-223-0040 x107 or beth@allenswcd.com.

Do your part to make a difference for water quality in our community.
Why is it important to protect stormwater?

Stormwater is water from rain or melting snow that does not soak into the ground. It flows from rooftops, over paved areas, bare soil, and sloped lawns. As it flows, stormwater runoff collects litter, animal waste, salt, pesticides, fertilizers, oil and grease, soil and other potential pollutants, and washes them into the storm drains. Storm drains generally flow directly to the Ottawa River without treatment. That’s why it’s so important to keep everything but clean water from going down the drain and impacting drinking water.

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