

Don't be a drip...

...Fix that leak!

But it's only a few drops..

In high traffic areas, those drops add up quick.

- Your car contains fluids that allow it to function properly. When these fluids leak, much bigger problems may occur. Fixing a small leak now may prevent big car repair bills in the future.
- Fluids in your car can be extremely toxic. Fix your leaks so children and pets don't play in toxic puddles or drink toxic fluids.
- Lake Erie starts here – when it rains the fluids from your car wash into local rivers and streams that drain to the lake. Many of us get our drinking water from Lake Erie.
- Local and migrating wildlife also rely on a healthy Lake Erie system for survival.



Don't Drip & Drive



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Car Wash Woes:

Did you ever wonder where the soapy water goes when you wash your car in the driveway or parking lot?

- Water drains off impervious (hard) surfaces into the road, then into the storm drain.
- Most storm drains go directly to streams without any treatment.
- Car washing facilities are required to dispose of their used, polluted water responsibly.
- If you must wash at home, washing your car in the lawn allows water to be absorbed and filtered before it goes to your local stream.