

Clear Choices Clean Water March 2024 Social Media Posts



The pledge for the month of March is **Pet Poo!** One simple choice is to bag it and throw it in the trash.

If you haven't already, remember to "like" and "follow" the <u>Clear Choices Clean Water</u> <u>Facebook page</u> and @clearchoicescleanwater on <u>Instagram</u> and <u>Twitter</u>. This will allow you to share our posts with your constituents.

If you'd like to post on your page directly (rather than share one of our posts), the following are a few sample posts. Feel free to tweak, add, and combine with your own content! Please **DO NOT** remove the Clear Choices Clean Water logo from the images or cover it with your logo.

- Have you ever thought about where your pet's waste ends up when you leave it at the park or on the sidewalk or even in your yard? It actually contributes to a huge pollution issue in our waterways. Take the pledge to ALWAYS pick up YOUR pet's waste: <u>https://indiana.clearchoicescleanwater.org/pledges/pet-poo/</u> #cleanwater #petpoo #pickitup
 - Image: PooTrashPhoto.jpeg
- Did you know that dog poo left in a yard takes more than a year to fully decompose, and every time it rains, another load of pollution is sent to the waterway? Dog poo is not a good fertilizer, so don't leave it around to feed your lawn! Take the pledge to pick up your pet's waste here: <u>https://indiana.clearchoicescleanwater.org/pledges/pet-poo/</u> #cleanwater #petpoo #pickitup
 - Image: rottweiler- by water.jpg
- Need motivation to pick up your pet's waste? It protects those around you. Fecal coliform bacteria from pet poo can cause illness and disease like the deadly *E. coli*. Pet waste can also transmit viruses and parasites. Humans who come in contact with pet waste could contract campylobacteriosis, salmonellosis, and toxocarisis, which may cause abdominal cramps, fever, coughing or wheezing, hives, and possibly permanent vision damage. Do your part and pick up your dog's poo!"
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- Image: CuteDog.jpeg
- Thinking picking up pet poo is gross? Letting it contaminate our waters is much worse!
 - Video: <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=z8xheuD7sbw</u>