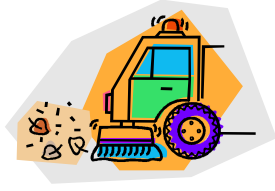


# Storm Sewer System



## **Street Sweeping**

Conewago Township routinely street sweeps the nearly 30 miles of Township owned roads.

The purpose of street sweeping is to remove debris, such as anti-skid and stone particles, from the roadway to prevent those particles from washing into the storm sewer systems.

This ensures a better driving surface for motorists and also promotes the functionality of the storm sewer system by ensuring the conveyance of water.

## **Flooding in a Roadway**

Do not drive across any flooded roadways. Report flooded roadways in Conewago Township to Adams Co. Control at 624-2101.

## **The Do NOT's of Storm Drains!**

**NOT TO DISPOSE**, discharge or deposit **grass** clippings, loosely placed piles of **leaves**, and motor oils, fuel and lubricants, paints, detergents, and other chemicals into the street, street storm drains and inlets and into drainage easements, streams and creeks:

The discharged clippings are washed into the stormwater collection systems and can clog both inlet boxes and pipes causing localized flooding. The clippings are also considered an organic pollutant in the waterways and as such, they threaten the health of our waterways, both locally and watershed wide.

Stormwater collection drains are for the collection of stormwater runoff only. We respectfully ask that you **NOT** discard or dump detergents, paints, oils, and other chemicals and caustic substances into the drains.