

**When you're fertilizing the lawn,
remember - you're not just
fertilizing the lawn.**



You fertilize the lawn. Then it rains... The rain washes the fertilizer along the curb, into the storm drain, and directly into our creeks, bays, and the Long Island Sound. This causes algae to grow, beaches to be temporarily closed, and uses up oxygen necessary for the survival of sea life such as fish and shellfish. So if you fertilize, please follow manufacturers directions and use sparingly.

Thank you, on behalf of the Town of Riverhead.

Questions?

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