

WORD FIND #1

Find the bolded words in the puzzle below. They can be found horizontally, diagonally, or vertically.

RUNOFF – rainfall or snow melt which is not absorbed by soil, evaporated, or transpired by plants, but finds its way into streams as surface flow.

STORM WATER – storm water runoff, snow melt runoff and surface runoff and drainage.

PESTICIDE – a chemical used to kill destructive insects or other small animals.

WASTEWATER – the spent or used water from a home, community, farm, or industry that contains dissolved or suspended matter.

CONTAMINATION – water quality impairment to a degree that creates a public health hazard through poisoning or through the spread of disease.

GROUNDWATER – the water below the land surface.

SURFACE WATER – water found over the land surface in stream, ponds, and marshes.

POLLUTION – an alteration of the quality of state water by waste to a degree that unreasonably affects their beneficial uses or facilities that serve their beneficial uses.

WATERSHED – the total land area that contributes water to a river, stream, lake or other body of water.

WETLAND – an area that is saturated by surface or ground water with vegetation adapted for life under those soil conditions, as swamps, bogs, fens, marshes, and estuaries.

