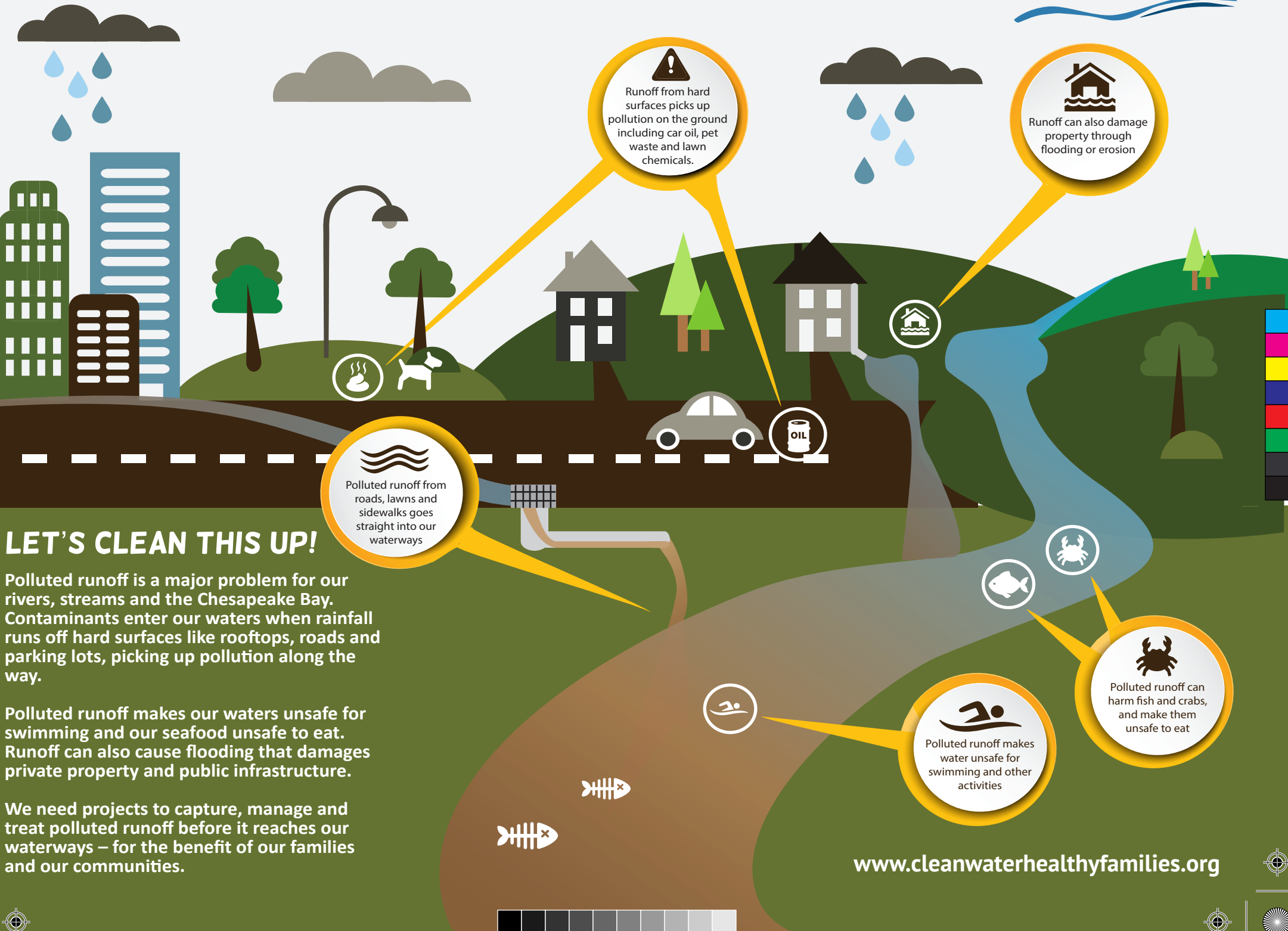


WHEN IT RAINS, IT DRAINS & POLLUTES!

Clean Water, Healthy Families



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Runoff from hard surfaces picks up pollution on the ground including car oil, pet waste and lawn chemicals.

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Runoff can also damage property through flooding or erosion

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Polluted runoff from roads, lawns and sidewalks goes straight into our waterways

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OIL

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Polluted runoff can harm fish and crabs, and make them unsafe to eat

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Polluted runoff makes water unsafe for swimming and other activities

LET'S CLEAN THIS UP!

Polluted runoff is a major problem for our rivers, streams and the Chesapeake Bay. Contaminants enter our waters when rainfall runs off hard surfaces like rooftops, roads and parking lots, picking up pollution along the way.

Polluted runoff makes our waters unsafe for swimming and our seafood unsafe to eat. Runoff can also cause flooding that damages private property and public infrastructure.

We need projects to capture, manage and treat polluted runoff before it reaches our waterways – for the benefit of our families and our communities.

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