

Be careful where you wash the car

you may be cleaning out the rivers



When dirty water is poured down stormwater drains, the dirt and chemicals contribute to the pollution of our waterways. Water washing from roads and down drains is carried through a network of pipes, straight into the Avon, Heathcote and Styx rivers and then into the sea. So when you wash your car, wash it on grass or take it to your local car wash. It makes a real difference to our waterways.

Christchurch Waterways. Let's change our ways, to change our waterways.

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