

BUILDING A GREENER COMMUNITY ONE YARD AT A TIME.

## Healthy Yards AND Communities

IS a program designed to educate the public on environmentally conscious lawn- and garden-care techniques.

Our choices in our yards influence the entire community. When we choose practices that minimize impact, everyone benefits.

How healthy is your yard? Find out at *www.kansasgreenyards.org* 

## DID YOU KNOW?

- Runoff from sidewalks and driveways enters rivers untreated. Sweep up fertilizer, grass clippings, leaves, or other potential contaminants and dispose of them properly.
- Not every lawn and garden requires the same fertilizer. Have your soil tested before fertilizing to determine what your lawn and garden needs.
- Too much fertilizer can lead to pest problems and excessive growth.
- Overwatering causes shallow root growth. This makes it harder for plants to survive drought or disease and pest infestations.
- The right plant in the right place will thrive, saving you time, energy and money.

For more information, please visit www.kansasgreenyards.org

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