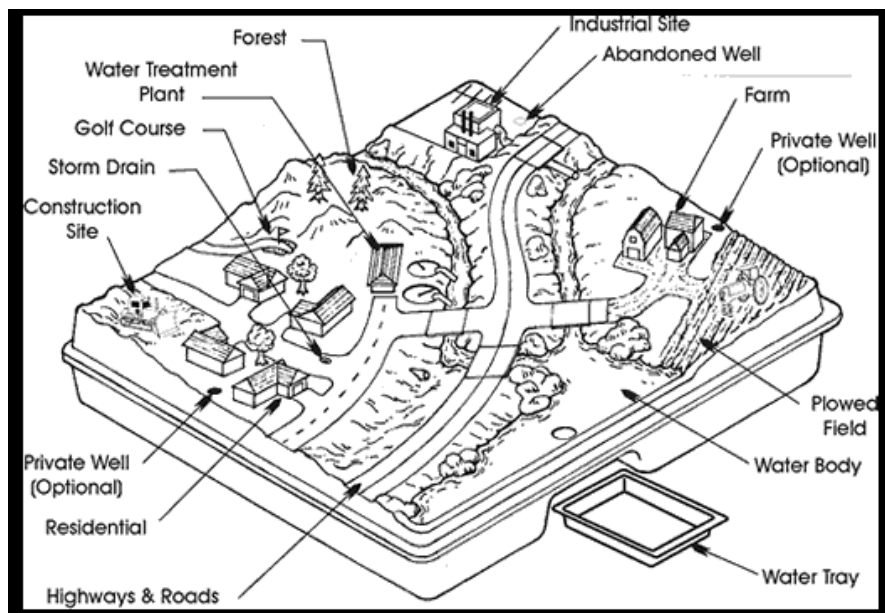




HANDS-ON LEARNING EXPERIENCE! WATERSHED MODEL DEMONSTRATES STORMWATER RUNOFF POLLUTION AND ITS ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS

This model of a watershed illustrates how materials and pollutants are washed into our local waterways. The audience will learn what the definition of a watershed is, discuss sources of water pollution, as well as demonstrate the two types of pollution; point source and non-point source and then see and discuss what takes place on the model when it rains. Following this demonstration, there will be discussion of ways to mitigate the water pollution/runoff problems. This model, along with the 69-page *User's Guide* offers a hands-on, visual approach to learning and discussing the hydrologic cycle, water quality, land use, ecosystem health, fish and wildlife habitat, and a variety of other science and social science issues. Skagit CD staff are available to present the model, or it may be borrowed for use by local teachers.



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CLASSROOM!**

To schedule a watershed model presentation in your classroom, please contact Cindy Pierce at The Skagit Conservation District at (360) 428-4313 or email cindy@skagitcd.org.

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