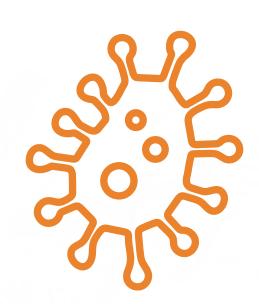
# OUR WATERSHEDS OUR RESOURCES:



## SAN CLEMENTE COASTAL STREAMS WATERSHED

The San Clemente Coastal Streams Watershed is only as healthy as we make it. By taking simple actions in our homes and communities we can all help the San Clemente Coastal Streams Watershed thrive!

#### **COMMON POLLUTANTS**



#### **Bacteria**

- Pet waste
- □ Sewage spills
- Sewer lateral leaks
- Septic system leaks

Find out how you can prevent these pollutants from entering our waterways:

#### h2oc.org



#### **Nutrients**

- Fertilizers
- Detergents



#### Metals

- □ Brake pad dust
- Exposed scrap metal piles

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#### WHAT IS A WATERSHED?

A watershed is the land area that channels rainfall to creeks, streams, rivers, and eventually to reservoirs, bays, and the ocean.

### San Clemente Coastal Streams Watershed at a glance:

- 18 square miles
- Begins south of San Juan Hills High School
- Discharges to the Pacific Ocean at Poche Beach and San Clemente City Beach

#### **Cities in the Watershed:**

- San Juan Capistrano
- Dana Point
- San Clemente

#### Also includes:

- Orange County Flood Control District
- Unincorporated Orange County

Poche Beach

North City Beach

Pacific Ocean