

An illustration of three cartoon dogs standing on a light grey shadow. From left to right: a reddish-brown dog with floppy ears, a black and white dog with yellow markings, and a small light blue dog with black ears. Above each dog is a speech bubble. The first bubble is yellow and says 'I POOP'. The second is teal and says 'YOU SCOOP'. The third is orange and says 'GOT IT?'.

I POOP

**YOU
SCOOP**

GOT IT?



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Dog waste carries harmful microorganisms that can have a major impact on wildlife and the environment, so picking it up is not only good manners, it's the law.



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We want to hear from you!

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The 78 million dogs living in the United States create 10 million tons of poop annually – that’s a lot of ick on our lands! And the longer dog waste stays on the ground, the greater contamination becomes. Bacteria, worms and other parasites thrive in waste until it’s washed into the waters.

Picking up our dog’s waste and throwing it out is a small change that can make a big difference in keeping our waters clean.