

Reducing high-nitrogen lawn fertilizers and chemical pesticides can really help improve Long Island's water quality.

So what's on your lawn?



I know... that **pesticides*** contaminate the groundwater we drink and our surface waters, and are harmful to all living things,

And that **high nitrogen fertilizers**** contribute to harmful algal blooms, and to the destruction of our ponds, rivers, bays, fisheries and shellfish beds.

I understand... that you can have a lush, beautiful green lawn without using chemical pesticides or high nitrogen fertilizers.

Therefore I pledge... not to purchase, use or permit these products to be used on my property.

Signature

Email Address

I live in the town of: _____

* **Pesticides** include any lawn product that claims to "kill" or "prevent" weeds. This includes the popular so-called "weed and feed" combination products.

** **High nitrogen fertilizer** is defined as any fertilizer product containing more than 10% nitrogen by weight. Ideally, most of the nitrogen should be water insoluble.

More information at www.ILoveLongIsland.org