

# SPOTLIGHT

## COMMON MORNING GLORY



Common morning glory (*Ipomoea purpurea*) growing in curbside leaf litter that has decomposed into soil around a gutter on Naudain Street.

Accumulation and decomposition of leaves from street trees is sufficient during summer to produce soil overlying asphalt pavement around intakes of sewer drains. The common morning glory shown in the photo may be an escapee from a nearby garden.