

Share Arkansas Water Quality Efforts

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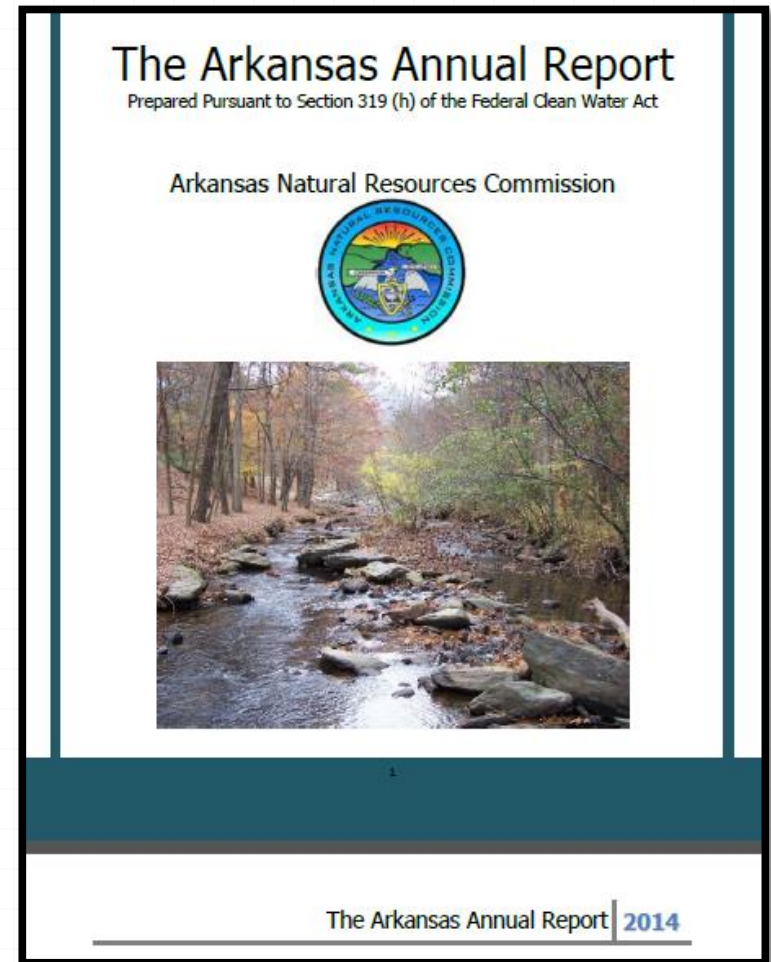


Oct. 14 – Sept. 15
Snapshot Reports



Share NPS Improvement Activities

- o Snapshot of current Arkansas water quality improvement efforts
- o Go beyond the 319 grant program
- o State report to EPA



2013-2014 Snapshot Reports



Pilot Form

Snapshot of AR Water Quality Efforts: Share Nonpoint Source Pollution Activities

We would like to hear about any efforts working to improve water quality in Arkansas. Please help us to understand more about the work your organization or agency is doing by completing this form.

If you have questions, please call or email Tony Ramick at 501-682-3914 or tony.ramick@arkansas.gov.



Primary Project or Activity Contact:

Name: _____ Title: _____

Organization/Agency: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

City: _____ Alternate Phone: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ E-mail: _____

Please complete this form for only one project or activity. If reporting more than one project or activity, please fill out additional forms for each project.

1. Project or Activity Title:

2. Start Date: _____ End Date: _____ Ongoing

3. Has a report for this project or activity been developed? Yes No If yes, how can it be obtained?

If a report is not available, please provide a brief project or activity description:

4. Watershed(s): _____ 5. Hydrologic Unit Code(s) #: _____

6. Counties where the specific project or activity is or did occur:



Pilot and Feedback on Snapshot Form

- Create an online submission process
- Update with new funding programs
- Include a submission for photos
- Include counties
- Other small changes



Why report?

- o Capture water quality improvement activities happening outside of the 319(h) program
- o Better understand the beneficial impacts of such activities
- o Share Arkansas' level of commitment to improving water quality



Who should report?

- o Anyone working on water quality improvement projects or activities such as:
 - Conservation Districts
 - County Extension Offices
 - Research Teams
 - Engineering Consultants
 - Municipalities



How to report?

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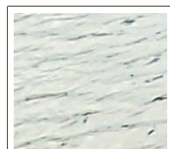
Arkansas Public Policy Center

The Public Policy Center exists to provide Arkansans with timely, credible, unbiased and research-based information and education about public issues. Public issues are defined as pressing and emerging issues that involve multiple points of view and have widespread consequences.

Our goals are to:

- Increase citizen knowledge, awareness and understanding of public issues;
- Enhance public participation in decisions regarding public issues and
- Help citizens craft, evaluate and implement alternative solutions to public issues.

Policy Areas



Water Quality

Arkansas is a water rich state but has its share of polluted waterways. We offer further understanding of federal and state water policy.

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Stormwater Education

When it rains, snows or sleets in Arkansas, where does that water go?

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Farm to School

Farm to school is a movement now reaching more than 40,000 schools. What are recommendations for those interested in expanding such efforts?

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Upcoming Events and News

2015 ANRC Nonpoint Source Stakeholder & Project Review Meeting

Water Quality Snapshot Reporting



Share your water quality improvement efforts with us. The time period involves projects completed July 1, 2014 - Aug. 30, 2015.

The deadline to submit information is Sept. 30, 2015.

Report online by clicking [here](#).



Publications

Economic and Environmental Issues in Arkansas: A Policy Perspective Series

Additional Publications

**Snapshot of Arkansas Water Quality Efforts
from July 1, 2014 through August 30, 2015:
Share Nonpoint Source Pollution Activities**

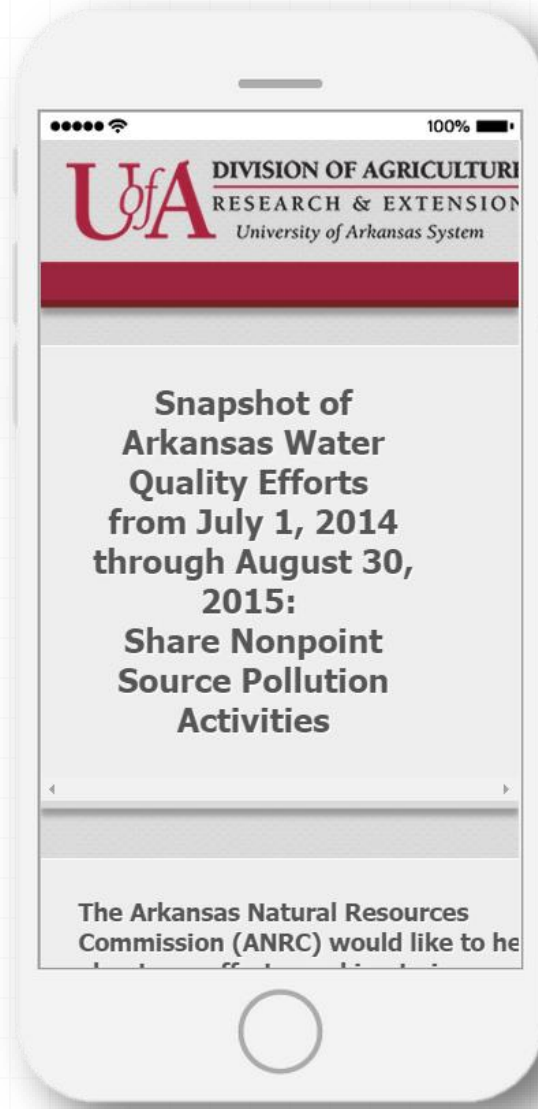
The Arkansas Natural Resources Commission (ANRC) would like to hear about any efforts working to improve water quality in Arkansas that occurred from July 1, 2014 through August 30, 2015. Snapshot reports to be submitted by September 30, 2015.

The Public Policy Center at the University of Arkansas Division of Agriculture is coordinating the collection of projects or activities addressing water quality occurring around the state.

This report will assist ANRC with getting a "snapshot" of current nonpoint source (NPS) pollution prevention or reduction efforts. These snapshots will help state and federal agencies better understand the current work in Arkansas to address NPS.

We appreciate you taking the time to complete this Snapshot Report to help us better understand the work your organization or agency is doing in Arkansas.

**Compatible with
mobile devices
(i.e. phones, tablets)**



Primary Project or Activity Contact:

Name:

Title:

Organization/Agency:

Address:

City:

State:

Zip Code:

Phone:

Alternate Phone:

Email:

How many projects or activities would you like to report?



Share Funding Sources

- o Report on funding from these sources:
 - Conservation Reserve Program - CRP
 - Environmental Quality Incentives - EQIP
 - Mississippi River Basin Initiative - MRBI
 - National Water Quality Incentive – NWQI
 - Regional Conservation Partnership Program – RCPP
 - Section 319(h) Nonpoint Source Pollution Management Program
 - Wildlife Habitat Incentive Program (to 2014) – WHIP
 - Wetlands Reserve Program (WRP)
 - Others



From the list below, please indicate the percentage of the major project components (all must total to 100% overall):

Best Management Practice (BMP) Implementation	<input type="text" value="50"/>
Outreach and Education	<input type="text" value="30"/>
Monitoring	<input type="text" value="10"/>
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10 Snapshot Projects reported to date



Project Submission Details

- o Original **Deadline Sept. 30**, extended deadline to have projects submitted by **Nov. 1, 2015**
- o Please send any feedback about how to improve the form or reporting process to:
publicpolicycenter@uaex.edu



Thank you

Questions?

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