
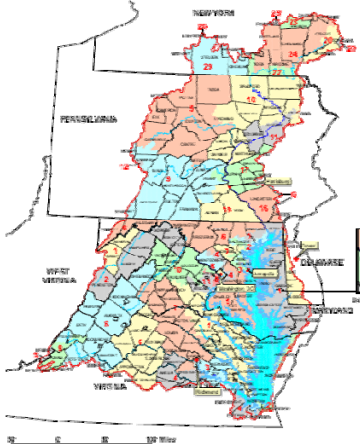


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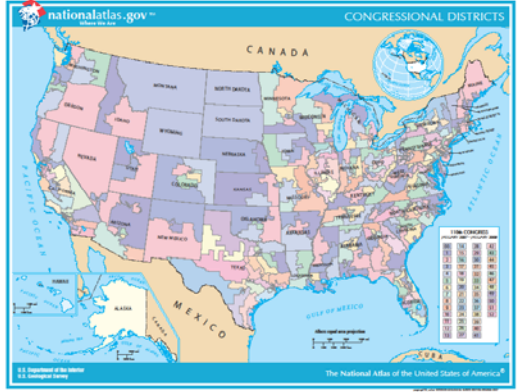
The Mission of the Choose Clean Water Coalition is to serve as a strong, united, effective advocate for restoring the hundreds of streams and rivers that make up the Chesapeake Bay watershed by coordinating policy, message, and actions and fostering accountability for clean-up success at the federal, state and local levels.

### Chesapeake Bay Watershed

### Congressional Districts in the Chesapeake Bay Watershed

### National Organizations Engaging on Regional & Local Issues

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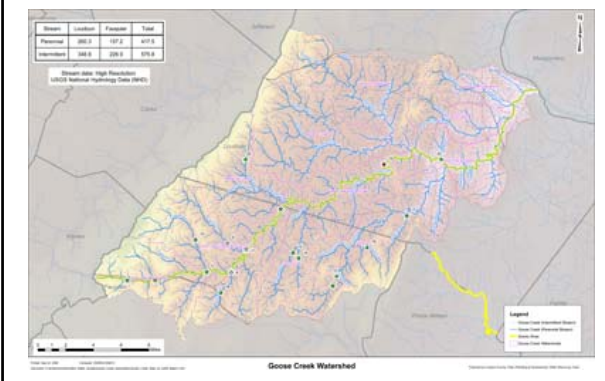
### Chesapeake Bay Watershed Coalition Members— March 2011

- 13000 Friends of Pennsylvania
- Adkins Arboretum
- African American Land Trust
- Alice Ferguson Foundation
- Allegheny Highlands Conservancy
- Alliance for Aquatic Resource Monitoring (AARM)
- American Canoe
- American Rivers
- Anacostia Riverkeeper
- Anacostia Watershed Rest. Partnership
- Anacostia Watershed Society
- Audubon HQDC
- Audubon Naturalist Society
- Audubon Society of Northern Virginia
- Back River Restoration Committee
- Baltimore Jewish Environmental Network
- Baltimore Water Alliance
- Baltimore Watershed Partnership
- Bay Hundred Foundation
- Blacks of the Chesapeake Foundation
- Bohemian River Association
- CEO Canal Association
- Capison Institute
- Central Lane Unitarian Universalist
- Chapman Forest Foundation
- Chesapeake Bay Foundation
- Chesapeake Bay Maritime Museum
- Chesapeake Baykeepers
- Chesapeake Climate Action Network
- Chesapeake Conservation Landscaping
- Chesapeake Conservancy Community
- Chesapeake Ecology Center
- Chesapeake Eel Alliance
- Chesapeake Stormwater Network
- Chesapeake Wildlife Heritage
- Chester River Association
- Choptank River Eastern Bay Conservancy
- Citizens for a Fort Monroe National Park
- Citizens for Pennsylvania's Future
- Civil War Preservation Trust
- Clean Water Action
- CleanWater Conservancy
- Coalition for Smarter Growth
- Coastal Conservation Association
- Coastal Conservation Association Maryland
- Conservation Waters of Pennsylvania
- Corbis River Conservancy
- DC Environmental Network
- Defenders of Wildlife
- Delaware Nature Society
- Driftwater Citizens for Planned Growth
- Earth Conservation Corps
- Eastern Pennsylvania Coalition for Abandoned Mine Reclamation
- Eastern Shore Land Conservancy
- Elizabeth River Project
- Elk Creek Watershed Association
- Environment America
- Environment Maryland
- Environment Virginia
- Environmental Advocates of New York
- Environmental Defense Fund
- Environmental Working Group
- Evergreen Conservation Finance
- Fleet Fishermen of Virginia
- Freshwater Institute
- Friends of the Blue Ridge Mountains
- Friends of Potomac Creek Watershed
- Friends of Rock Creek's Environment
- Friends of Shenandoah Mountain
- Friends of the Appomattox River
- Friends of the Blue Ridge Mountains
- Friends of the Chesapeake River Watershed
- Friends of the Nantuxet
- Friends of the North Fork of the Shenandoah River
- Friends of the Potomac/Annapolis
- Friends of the Rivers of Virginia
- Gas Drilling Awareness Coalition
- Groundwork Annapolis River DC
- Growth Action Network of An County
- Harris Tullman Underground Railroad
- Isaac Wallis League of America, Inc.
- James River Association
- Kent Island Defense League
- Lansdale Farmstead Trust
- Loudoun Wildlife Conservancy
- Lower Shore Land Trust
- Lower Susquehanna Heritage Greenways
- Lower Susquehanna Riverkeeper
- Lynchhaven NDW
- Maryland Bass Federation Nation
- Maryland CV
- Maryland Nontoxic Network
- Maryland Stormwater Consortium
- Mattawoman Watershed Society
- Nantuxet Watershed Preservation Group
- National Aquarium
- National Conservation Association
- National Wildlife Federation
- Natural Resource Defense Council
- Nature Abounds
- New York League of Conservation Voters
- Northeast Pennsylvania Citizens in Action
- One Thousand Friends of Maryland
- Partners for Open Space
- Partnership for Smarter Growth
- Patuxent Tidalwater Land Trust
- Potomac Creek Watershed and Education Association
- Reach Bottom Concerned Citizens
- Reel Environment
- Rena Valley Conservation Association
- Pennsylvania Council of Churches
- Pennsylvania Farmers Union
- Pennsylvania Interfaith Climate Change Campaign
- Friends of the North Fork of the Shenandoah River
- Phillips Wharf Environmental Center
- Piedmont Environmental Council
- Pinehill Institute
- Potomac Conservancy
- Potomac Riverkeeper
- Philadelphia Citizens in Action
- Prince William Conservation Alliance
- Public Policy Virginia
- Queen Anne's Conservancy Association
- Rainmaking.org
- Restore America's Estuaries
- Rockfish Valley Foundation
- Safe Food and Fertilizer
- Sassafras River Association
- Savage River Watershed Association
- Saw Western Maryland
- Seacoast Virginia
- Severn Riverkeeper
- Shenandoah Riverkeeper
- Shenandoah Valley Network
- Sierra Club- Maryland Chapter
- Sierra Club- Virginia Chapter
- South River Federation
- Southern Environmental Law Center
- Spring Creek Watershed Commission
- St. Mary's River Watershed Association
- Suffield DC Chapter
- Theodore Roosevelt Conservation Partnership
- Tribal Rivers Protection Association
- Upper Susquehanna Coalition
- Virginia Conservation Network
- Virginia League of Conservation Voters
- Virginia State Watermen's Association
- Virginia Wilderness Committee
- West Virginia River Coalition
- Wild/Wide Riverkeeper
- Western Clinton Sportsmen's Association
- Wetlands Watch
- Williams Environmental Trust
- Wild Virginia
- Youghiogheny River Watershed Association

### Policy Priorities for 2011

- Ensuring local implementation of state Watershed Implementation Plans (Phase II of WIP's)
- Improving policies that stop polluted runoff in cities and towns (National & Regional Storm water Rule)
- Protecting communities from water pollution created by gas drilling (Marcellus Shale)
- Ensuring continued federal investment in Chesapeake Bay watershed restoration and protection (Federal Approps)

### Who cares?



Choose Clean Water Coalition + Goose Creek Association =

- Access to National & State NGO Members by GCA for local activism needs
- Larger tool box for GCA, including coalition resources, staff and expertise
- Stronger on the ground relationships for CCW Coalition for local & federal work
- Opportunity to raise GCA priorities to a broader audience
- Opportunity for coalition re-grants on common priorities
- Introduction to broader Bay Funders networks
- Connection to the national fight for Clean Water