



PROTECT OUR WATER – COMMIT TO ACTION

There are several ways you can get involved and make a difference in your local community to protect water resources. Volunteer your time to monitor or clean-up local water bodies, join a local organization, or even take small actions at home to make a big difference in preventing water pollution and conserving water.

Volunteer Opportunities:

- [Wetland Health Evaluation Program \(WHEP\)](#)
- [Landscaping for Clean Water](#)
- [Adopt a Drain](#)
- [Adopt A River](#)
- [MPCA Volunteer Water Monitoring](#)
- [UMN AIS Detectors](#)
- [Starry Trek](#)
- [Winter Salt Watch](#)

Groups & Organizations:

- [Hastings Environmental Protectors](#)
- [Friends of the Mississippi River](#)
- [Vermillion River Watershed](#)
- [Egan Lakes and Wetlands Volunteers](#)
- [Great River Greening](#)

Other Actions:

- Learn about your [watershed](#) or where your [drinking water](#) comes from
- [Find and fix leaks](#)
- Use [efficient fixtures](#)
- Water friendly [landscaping](#)
- Properly use, store, and dispose of [hazardous household materials](#)

