Did you know that the health of our rivers and streams can be determined by the types of aquatic insects that live in them and the health of the surrounding land? Join the Clinton River Watershed Council's Adopt-A-Stream volunteer water quality monitoring program and become a part of a watershed wide community effort to protect and restore our streams and rivers.

Who: Anyone able to attend training sessions and spend approx. 3 hours, two days a year to monitor a stream/river site in or near your community. Team leaders are also needed.

What: 1) Register for and attend 2 training sessions (Parts I and II). Part I is an overview of the program and macroinvertebrate ID. Part II is a "streamside"

training where you will practice monitoring protocols. 2) Select your adoption site (CRWC will have a site list at trainings) (3-5 people/site recommended).

3) Monitor your site in May and October.

When: Part I trainings will be offered in March and April. Part II trainings will be offered in April and May .

Where: In six Clinton River subwatersheds. You can choose to attend the training sessions in the subwatershed in which you live, or the sessions that best fit your schedule. Visit the CRWC website at: <a href="https://www.crwc.org/programs/stewardship/adoptastream/adoptastream.html">www.crwc.org/programs/stewardship/adoptastream/adoptastream.html</a> or view the attached flyer for dates and details.

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