

WV-VA WATER QUALITY MONITORING PROGRAM

TU and its West Virginia and Virginia Councils are partnering with the West Virginia Rivers Coalition (WVRC) to initiate a new volunteer water quality monitoring program. The program will focus on training volunteers to monitor coldwater resources in West Virginia and Virginia that have the potential to be impacted by the increasing shale gas development.

The goals of the project are twofold. First, to educate volunteers about the potential impacts to fish and wildlife resources in the shale gas region of West Virginia and Virginia and train volunteers to effectively monitor the water quality in these areas. And second, to work with these trained volunteers to conduct water quality monitoring in all priority watersheds that have been identified by WVRC and TU's science team as critical for protecting ecologically significant lands and waters.



Date: Saturday June 21st, 2014

Time: 9:00 AM—2:30 PM

(registration opens at 8:30 AM)

Location: Ivy Creek Natural Area Education Building

1780 Earlysville Road, Charlottesville, VA 22903

Registration Information

To register for this training please go to the Events tab at www.wildvirginia.org and select registration, before June 18th. Space is limited to 25 registrants on a first come first serve basis.



Trout Unlimited's (TU) West Virginia and Virginia Water Quality Monitoring Program is a partnership between Trout Unlimited, the West Virginia Council of Trout Unlimited, the Virginia Council of Trout Unlimited, the West Virginia Rivers Coalition, and the program is made possible by funding from the Appalachian Stewardship Foundation.