

ALABAMA WATER WATCH

MONITORING SITE DATA FORM

Sampling Sites: Use the acronym “CLASS” to remember the general factors to consider when selecting a water monitoring site: to be convenient, to have legal access, to be accessible and safe, and to be strategic. Optimal monitoring sites are those that provide the best information to satisfy objectives with the least amount of effort. Choose a site that is not too difficult or dangerous to access and is strategically located to be efficiently monitored. It is essential to know the precise location of a monitoring site for full use of the data. Please carefully describe your site information and submit this form with your first set of data taken at the site.

Monitor(s): _____

Contact Phone Number: _____

Contact Email: _____

AWW Group Affiliation (e.g. Dry River Watch) _____

Waterbody: _____

Watershed: _____

County, State, and Zip Code Where Site is Located: _____

Site Location Description: Be very detailed. Include information such as the name or number of the nearest road. Indicate if it is upstream or downstream of a bridge, etc. Please submit a map, a photo (optional) and a geo-reference. Call the AWW office for assistance.

Latitude: _____ **Longitude:** _____ **Elevation (m):** _____

*****Do not write below this line. AWW office use only.*****

AWW Site Code Number* _____ **HUC12 Number** _____

* An 8-digit number will be assigned by the Alabama Water Watch office when the above information is submitted **along with the first water monitoring data form**. This Site Code is based on the watershed, group and specific location of the site.



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