

Protecting Our Waters: A Guide to Watershed & Wastewater Management

The Big Picture: Watershed Management

A watershed is the land area where all water drains into a single river or lake.



Setting the Limit: Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL)

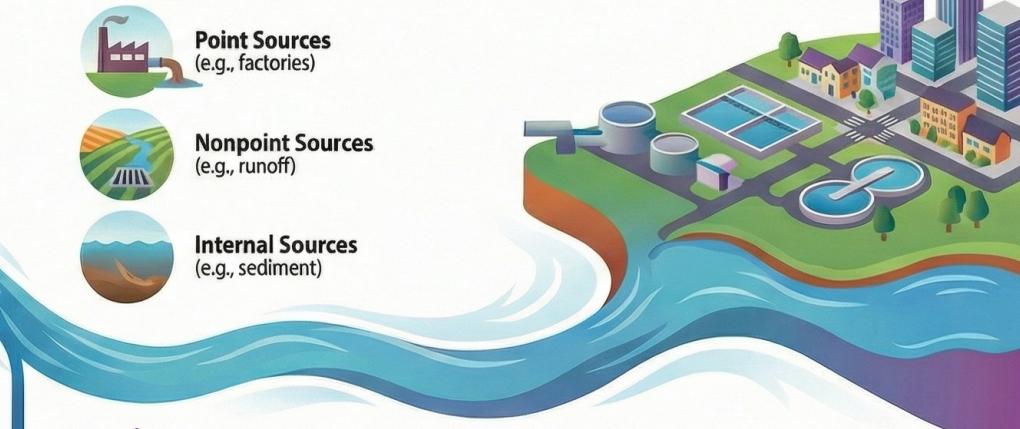
A TMDL calculates the maximum pollution a water body can receive and still meet quality standards.



Pollution Control & Resource Recovery

Tackling Pollution from All Sources

- Point Sources** (e.g., factories)
- Nonpoint Sources** (e.g., runoff)
- Internal Sources** (e.g., sediment)

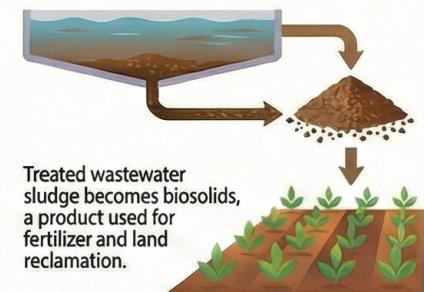


Reusing Greywater



Wastewater from sinks and laundry can be treated and reused for non-potable applications like irrigation.

Creating Value from Waste: Biosolids



Treated wastewater sludge becomes biosolids, a product used for fertilizer and land reclamation.