

CHATTAHOOCHEE RIVERKEEPER®

Keeping Watch Over Our Waters Since 1994

2015 by the NUMBERS

WATER MONITORING



5

years as the #1
Adopt-A-Stream
group in
Georgia

11 major sewer
spills stopped

sites evaluated at the 2nd
River Rendezvous
in Proctor Creek

40

91 nutrient samples collected on
LAKE LANIER, 21 nutrient samples
collected on WEST POINT LAKE

BactriALERT samples collected from
the Chattahoochee River National
Recreation Area in partnership
with the National Park Service and
US Geological Survey

100



3,933

NEIGHBORHOOD WATER WATCH samples at
117 sites, partnering with 81 groups and volunteers

EVENTS, OUTINGS AND TRASH CLEANUP



545
paddlers

1,300 new members

volunteer hours 8,276

36,660

pounds of trash removed; 2,000 recycled

EDUCATION



1

new Floating Classroom launched on
West Point Lake; 5,411 people on
board two Floating Classrooms with
1,677 scholarship participants

558 rain barrels distributed
in the community

students participated
in Adopt-A-Stream
demonstrations

928

ADVOCACY



1

\$10,000,000

judgment against American Sealcoat, an asphalt sealant manufacturer, in a landmark Clean Water Act lawsuit

Bear Creek Reservoir permit application withdrawn after years of advocating for more cost-effective and sustainable means of meeting our water supply needs

1

9 wastewater discharge permits reviewed

19 comment letters written and 33 people testified at state environmental agencies on policies and permits affecting water resources



56 industrial facilities investigated for compliance with stormwater rules



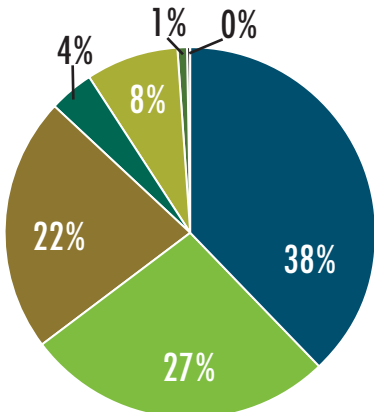
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ACF Stakeholders approving 1 SUSTAINABLE WATER MANAGEMENT PLAN

208

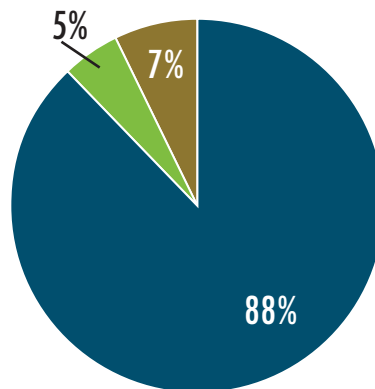
Citizen Hotline calls, 62 field investigations, 12 enforcement actions

CHATTAHOOCHEE RIVERKEEPER 2014 FINANCIALS



INCOME

- Foundations \$764,500
- Individuals \$548,968
- Corporations \$433,300
- Government \$70,000
- Interest/Dividends \$161,009
- Investments \$29,661
- Other \$7,500



EXPENSES

- Programs \$1,407,554
- Administration \$136,489
- Fundraising \$89,651