

Coordinated planning, management, and conservation of the water resources of the Susquehanna River Basin.

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A federal-interstate compact, SRBC builds on five decades of achievements and fosters collaborative partnerships, coordinated action and use of the best science. Program activities align with four key areas:

# **Water Supply**



Water use approvals are grounded in sound science and monitoring — with an eye toward ongoing water supply availability.

# Flooding & Drought



State-of-the-art flood warning system saves lives through early communications of rising river levels to affected communities. Drought planning focuses on protecting water supplies.

### **Water Quality**



State-of-the-art water quality monitoring crosses jurisdictional boundaries. Partnership projects restore impaired streams and remedy harmful mine drainage.

# **Watershed Management**



Projects improve habitat and promote land use practices that support healthy aquatic ecosystems. Water withdrawal approvals include conditions to protect stream flows.

# Online Portals, Story Maps & Dashboards Interpret Scientific Data



The Continuous Instream Monitoring Dashboard provides water quality trends for all stations reflecting more than ten years of instream data.

### Search for information about:

- status of water use projects
- real-time water quality data for local streams
- chemical data for parameters associated with mine drainage impacts
- water use and availability for the basin's watersheds
- nutrient and sediment pollutant monitoring
- flood warning and preparedness

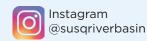
# making HEADLINES

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- SRBC scientists are using eDNA (environmental DNA) to track invasive fish species in the Susquehanna River Basin that may be harmful to native wildlife.
- SRBC continues the **Eels in the Classroom** program to complement ongoing restoration work occurring in the basin.
- The **Hydrologic Conditions Monitor** portal tracks status of water use projects that are impacted by weather and operating restrictions.
- With annual award totals of \$4 to \$6 million, Consumptive Use Mitigation
  Grants support projects that lessen the impacts of consumptive use and
  improve the availability and quality of water in the basin during droughts.
- A recently awarded design contract for treatment of mine drainage will vastly improve the water quality in the basin's Tioga River.
- **Groundwater use projects tap SRBC grants** to improve the collection and reporting of water level data in groundwater wells.

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