



Stations Worksheet

Dirty Water, Dirty Government

Station 1/4

Questions

1. Why was it important for governments to come up with “solutions for the entire watershed?”
2. What was the Sanitation Compact and why were states being urged to join it?

Station 2/4

Questions

1. What is the message of the political cartoon? How is the author depicting the message?
2. How did loose government regulations on water lead to the Cuyahoga River catching on fire?

Station 3/4

Questions

1. What measures were put in place to protect water with the passage of the Clean Water Act?
2. How has the change in the clean water act played a role in the algae bloom see at Lake Erie?

Station 4/4

Questions

1. What changes are taking place in federal environmental protections with the Trump administration?
2. Why might certain groups be pleased with the Trump administration’s stance on federal environmental regulations?