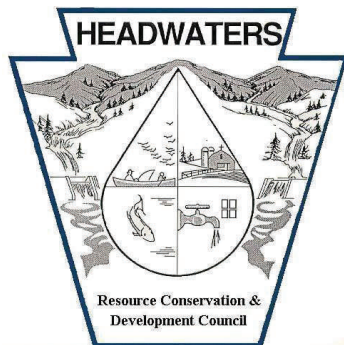


Headwaters

Resource Conservation and Development Council

A FACT SHEET FOR MEMBERS



Some Past Projects:

- **Rural Fire Protection through dry hydrant installation**
- **Urban shade tree inventory in local municipalities**
- **Sponsorship of an annual grazing conference**
- **Installation of practices on farms that protect water quality**
- **Weed education and identification for landowners**
- **Acid Mine Drainage (AMD) Treatment**
- **Long-range planning for watershed organizations**

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The Headwaters Resource Conservation and Development (RC&D) Council is a 501(c)3 organization that works to improve quality of life through natural resource conservation projects that result in community improvement, rural economic stability and environmental enhancement.

The Headwaters RC&D Council area covers Cameron, Centre, Clearfield, Clinton, Elk, Jefferson, McKean, and Potter Counties. An office located in DuBois, PA houses Council staff who assist the Council in achieving its goals.



Water quality testing at an acid mine drainage site.



On-farm practices, such as streambank buffers, protect water quality.

Quarterly RC&D Council meetings are held on the 4th Tuesday in January, April, July and October, and rotate throughout each of the eight Counties it serves. Board membership is made up of delegates chosen by each County's Board of Commissioners, Conservation District and Planning Department. At-large positions are also available to represent the population of the entire Headwaters RC&D area.

Board members attend meetings in order to help guide the Council as needed to begin new projects or continue to implement projects already underway. Members may participate in committees that focus on Forestry, Agriculture, Community and Economic Development and Water Resource issues.

Headwaters RC&D and USDA are equal opportunity providers and employers.