

## Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources SWIMS Project Summary

### General Project Information

**Project ID:** RP-054-03  
**Name:** THE NATURE CONSERVANCY: Bad River Watershed Council  
**Type:** River Grant  
**Subtype:** River Planning Grant  
**Status:** COMPLETE  
**Start Date:** 07/01/2002  
**End Date:** 12/31/2003  
**Purpose:** The Nature Conservancy will conduct an organizational development and informational & educational project in the Bad River watershed in Ashland, Bayfield, and Iron Counties. Activities involved with this project include; organization of a Bad River Watershed Council, implementation of a long-term educational effort in the entire watershed, and implementation of a long-term citizen volunteer water quality monitoring program. The educational effort will include the development of a watershed council brochure and the conduct of a sociological landowner survey.

Specific deliverables for this grant project include:

1. A final report that summarizes the grant project activities and includes the watershed council mission statement and bylaws, newsletters, brochure, survey results, and the monitoring program design and manuals.

A special condition of this grant project is the recognition that the water quality data collected by the citizen volunteers and analyzed by field kit methods, does not meet the quality control standards of the U.S. Environmental Pollution Agency or the Wisconsin DNR.

The Department of Natural Resources will be provided with both a paper copy and an electronic copy of the final report. The project results will be disseminated to the public by brochure(s), public meeting(s), and local newspaper articles.

**Objective:**

**Comments:** Grantee is THE NATURE CONSERVANCY

**Outcome:**

**Study Design:**

**QA Measures:**

### People

Name	Role	Status	Start Date	End Date	Organization	Comments
Nature Conservancy,	GRANT_RECIP	ACTIVE	07/01/2002	12/31/2003	Nature Conservancy	Grantee is THE NATURE CONSERVANCY

### Project Statuses

Date	Reported By	Status	Comments
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### Actions

Action	Detailed Description	Start	End Date	Status
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Issue News/Media Release	<p>The Nature Conservancy will conduct an organizational development and informational &amp; educational project in the Bad River watershed in Ashland, Bayfield, and Iron Counties. Activities involved with this project include; organization of a Bad River Watershed Council, implementation of a long-term educational effort in the entire watershed, and implementation of a long-term citizen volunteer water quality monitoring program. The educational effort will include the development of a watershed council brochure and the conduct of a sociological landowner survey. Specific deliverables for this grant project include: 1. A final report that summarizes the grant project activities and includes the watershed council mission statement and bylaws, newsletters, brochure, survey results, and the monitoring program design and manuals.</p>	07/01/2002	12/31/2003	COMPLETE
Social Survey of Residents or Users	<p>The Nature Conservancy will conduct an organizational development and informational &amp; educational project in the Bad River watershed in Ashland, Bayfield, and Iron Counties. Activities involved with this project include; organization of a Bad River Watershed Council, implementation of a long-term educational effort in the entire watershed, and implementation of a long-term citizen volunteer water quality monitoring program. The educational effort will include the development of a watershed council brochure and the conduct of a sociological landowner survey. Specific deliverables for this grant project include: 1. A final report that summarizes the grant project activities and includes the watershed council mission statement and bylaws, newsletters, brochure, survey results, and the monitoring program design and manuals.</p>	07/01/2002	12/31/2003	COMPLETE
Project Deliverable	<p>The Nature Conservancy will conduct an organizational development and informational &amp; educational project in the Bad River watershed in Ashland, Bayfield, and Iron Counties. Activities involved with this project include; organization of a Bad River Watershed Council, implementation of a long-term educational effort in the entire watershed, and implementation of a long-term citizen volunteer water quality monitoring program. The educational effort will include the development of a watershed council brochure and the conduct of a sociological landowner survey. Specific deliverables for this grant project include: 1. A final report that summarizes the grant project activities and includes the watershed council mission statement and bylaws, newsletters, brochure, survey results, and the monitoring program design and manuals.</p>	07/01/2002	12/31/2003	COMPLETE

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Grant Awarded	<p>The Nature Conservancy will conduct an organizational development and informational &amp; educational project in the Bad River watershed in Ashland, Bayfield, and Iron Counties. Activities involved with this project include; organization of a Bad River Watershed Council, implementation of a long-term educational effort in the entire watershed, and implementation of a long-term citizen volunteer water quality monitoring program. The educational effort will include the development of a watershed council brochure and the conduct of a sociological landowner survey. Specific deliverables for this grant project include: 1. A final report that summarizes the grant project activities and includes the watershed council mission statement and bylaws, newsletters, brochure, survey results, and the monitoring program design and manuals.</p>	07/01/2002	12/31/2003	COMPLETE
Rivers Planning Grant	<p>The Nature Conservancy will conduct an organizational development and informational &amp; educational project in the Bad River watershed in Ashland, Bayfield, and Iron Counties. Activities involved with this project include; organization of a Bad River Watershed Council, implementation of a long-term educational effort in the entire watershed, and implementation of a long-term citizen volunteer water quality monitoring program. The educational effort will include the development of a watershed council brochure and the conduct of a sociological landowner survey. Specific deliverables for this grant project include: 1. A final report that summarizes the grant project activities and includes the watershed council mission statement and bylaws, newsletters, brochure, survey results, and the monitoring program design and manuals.</p>	07/01/2002	12/31/2003	COMPLETE
Informational Meetings	<p>The Nature Conservancy will conduct an organizational development and informational &amp; educational project in the Bad River watershed in Ashland, Bayfield, and Iron Counties. Activities involved with this project include; organization of a Bad River Watershed Council, implementation of a long-term educational effort in the entire watershed, and implementation of a long-term citizen volunteer water quality monitoring program. The educational effort will include the development of a watershed council brochure and the conduct of a sociological landowner survey. Specific deliverables for this grant project include: 1. A final report that summarizes the grant project activities and includes the watershed council mission statement and bylaws, newsletters, brochure, survey results, and the monitoring program design and manuals.</p>	07/01/2002	12/31/2003	COMPLETE

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Develop/Distribute Brochures/Literature	<p>The Nature Conservancy will conduct an organizational development and informational &amp; educational project in the Bad River watershed in Ashland, Bayfield, and Iron Counties. Activities involved with this project include; organization of a Bad River Watershed Council, implementation of a long-term educational effort in the entire watershed, and implementation of a long-term citizen volunteer water quality monitoring program. The educational effort will include the development of a watershed council brochure and the conduct of a sociological landowner survey. Specific deliverables for this grant project include: 1. A final report that summarizes the grant project activities and includes the watershed council mission statement and bylaws, newsletters, brochure, survey results, and the monitoring program design and manuals.</p>	07/01/2002	12/31/2003	COMPLETE

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Information and Education	The Nature Conservancy will conduct an organizational development and informational & educational project in the Bad River watershed in Ashland, Bayfield, and Iron Counties. Activities involved with this project include; organization of a Bad River Watershed Council, implementation of a long-term educational effort in the entire watershed, and implementation of a long-term citizen volunteer water quality monitoring program. The educational effort will include the development of a watershed council brochure and the conduct of a sociological landowner survey. Specific deliverables for this grant project include: 1. A final report that summarizes the grant project activities and includes the watershed council mission statement and bylaws, newsletters, brochure, survey results, and the monitoring program design and manuals.	07/01/2002	12/31/2003	COMPLETE

Details:	Parameter	Value/Amount	Units	Comments
	BMP Implementation			
	I & E Activities			
	PCBs			
	Permit Modification			
	Products Developed:			
	Stormwater Plan			
	Protective Areas: Feet of bank protected			
	Protective Areas: Feet of bank protected			
	Protective Areas: Feet of bank protected			
	Report Writeup			
	Stormwater Goals Addressed:			
	Protective areas			
	Stormwater Goals Addressed:			
	Reduce TSS			
	Streambank & Shoreline			
	Protection: Pollutant load reduction			
	Streambank & Shoreline			
	Protection: Units			
	Streambank & Shoreline			
	Protection: Pollutant load reduction			
	Streambank & Shoreline			
	Protection: Units			
	Streambanks: Feet of bank protected			
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	Total Nitrogen			
	Total Phosphorus			
	Total Suspended Solids			
	Watershed Outreach, Planning			

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### Monitoring Stations

Station ID	Name	Comments
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### Assessment Units

WBIC	Segment	Local Name	Official Name
2891900	1	Bad River	Bad River

### Lab Account Codes

Account Code	Description	Start Date	End Date
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### Forms

Form Code	Form Name
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### Methods

Method Code	Description
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### Fieldwork Events

Start Date	Status	Field ID	Station ID	Station Name
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### Documents

Title	Description	Author	Published	Comments
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### Budget

Combined Budgets:  
 Combined SLOH:  
 Combined Total:

### Funding

Organization	Source	Type	Amount	Start Date	End Date
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