

## Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources SWIMS Project Summary

### General Project Information

**Project ID:** NKE83

**Name:** Upper Yellow River PWS Plan - Nine Key Element Plan

**Type:** Water Quality Planning

**Subtype:** Priority Watershed Plan

**Status:** COMPLETE

**Start Date:** 7/1/1994

**End Date:** 12/31/2014

**Purpose:** The Upper Yellow River Priority Watershed Project plan assesses the nonpoint sources of pollution in the Upper Yellow River Watershed and guides the implementation of nonpoint source control measures. These control measures are needed to meet specific water resource objectives for the Upper Yellow River and its tributaries. Nonpoint sources of pollutants most commonly found in this watershed include: polluted runoff from barnyards and feedlots, sediment from cropland erosion, sediment from eroding streambanks, and runoff from winterspread manure. The purpose of this project is to reduce the amount of pollutants originating from nonpoint sources that reach surface water and groundwater within the Upper Yellow River Priority Watershed Project area.

**Objective:** The primary objective of the project is to reduce nonpoint source pollution to the surface water and groundwater, and to enhance and protect the water quality of streams in the Upper Yellow River Watershed. The Upper Yellow River supports a diverse warmwater sport fishery, as does Puff Creek, portions of Rocky Creek, and the East and South Branches of the Yellow River. Beaver Creek, Cat Creek, Owl Creek and portions of the East Branch of the Yellow River support warmwater forage fishery. The streams are not reaching their highest potential use due to pollution from point and nonpoint sources. Eroding croplands and streambanks and improperly managed livestock operations are the major nonpoint sources of pollution in the watershed.

**Comments:**

**Outcome:** BMPs should be implemented in such a way that will enhance fishery management goals. Specifically, all streambank protection BMPs should be installed in such a way that fisheries habitat is enhanced.

**Study Design:** <http://dnr.wi.gov/topic/nonpoint/documents/9kep/expired/UpperYellowRiver.pdf>

**QA Measures:**

### People

Name	Role	Status	Start Date	End Date	Organization	Comments
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### Project Statuses

Date	Reported By	Status	Comments
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### Actions

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Action	Detailed Description	Start Date	End Date	Status
Nine Key Element Plan	Upper Yellow River PWS Plan - Nine Key Element Plan - The Upper Yellow River Priority Watershed Project plan assesses the nonpoint sources of pollution in the Upper Yellow River Watershed and guides the implementation of nonpoint source control measures. These control measures are needed to meet specific water resource objectives for the Upper Yellow River and its tributaries. Nonpoint sources of pollutants most commonly found in this watershed include: polluted runoff from barnyards and feedlots, sediment from cropland erosion, sediment from eroding streambanks, and runoff from winterspread manure. The purpose of this project is to reduce the amount of pollutants originating from nonpoint sources that reach surface water and groundwater within the Upper Yellow River Priority Watershed Project area.	7/1/1994	12/31/2014	COMPLETE

Details: Parameter	Value/Amount	Units	Comments
BMP Implementation			
Degraded Biological Community			
I & E Activities			
Permit Modification			
Products Developed: Stormwater Plan			
Report Writeup			
Stormwater Goals Addressed: Reduce TSS			
Streambank & Shoreline Protection: Pollutant load reduction			
Total Nitrogen			
Total Phosphorus			
Total Suspended Solids			
Watershed Outreach, Planning			

### Monitoring Stations

Station ID	Name	Comments
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### Assessment Units

WBIC	Segment	Local Name	Official Name
1352800	5	Yellow River	Yellow 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	Method 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
A Nonpoint Source Control Plan for the Upper Yellow River Watershed	The Upper Yellow River Priority Watershed Project plan assesses the nonpoint sources of pollution in the Upper Yellow River Watershed and guides the implementation of nonpoint source control measures. These control measures are needed to meet specific water resource objectives for the Upper Yellow River and its tributaries. Nonpoint sources of pollutants most commonly found in this watershed include: polluted runoff from barnyards and feedlots, sediment from cropland erosion, sediment from eroding streambanks, and runoff from winterspread manure. The purpose of this project is to reduce the amount of pollutants originating from nonpoint sources that reach surface water and groundwater within the Upper Yellow River Priority Watershed Project area. <a href="https://dnr.wi.gov/topic/nonpoint/documents/9kep/expired/UpperYellowRiver.pdf">https://dnr.wi.gov/topic/nonpoint/documents/9kep/expired/UpperYellowRiver.pdf</a>	Charlotte H. Haynes	7/1/1994	

### Budget

**Combined Budgets:**

**Combined WSLH:**

**Combined Total:** \$0.00

### Funding

Organization	Source	Type	Amount	Start Date	End Date
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