

CHATTAHOOCHEE
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Keeping Watch Over Our Waters

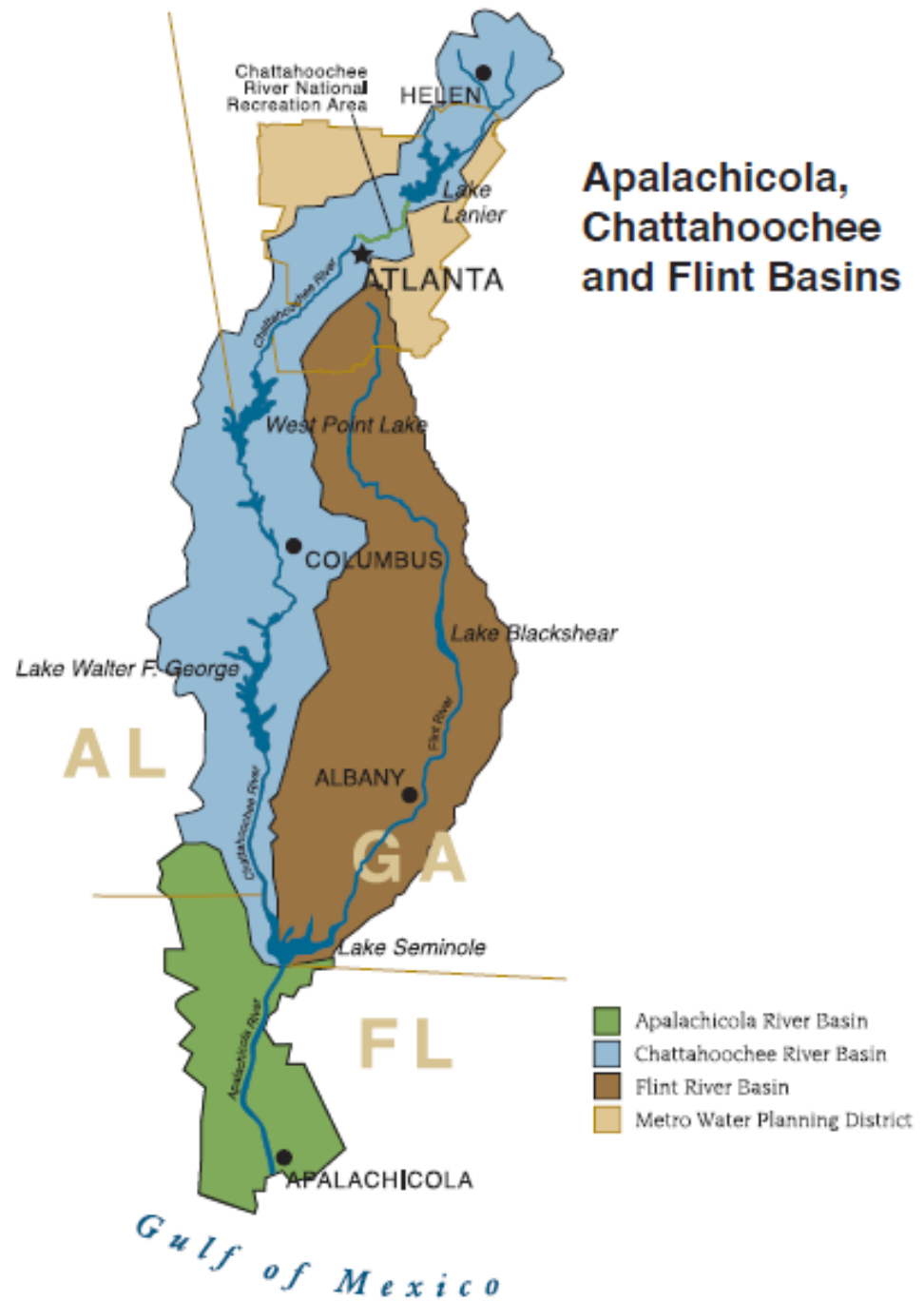
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Chattahoochee Riverkeeper

- Established in 1994
- Mission
- 11th licensed program by WKA
- Over 7,000 members
- Offices in Atlanta, Gainesville, and LaGrange
- Advocacy, education, research, communications, cooperation, monitoring, and legal action



ACF Basins



State of the Chattahoochee

GA's 2012 305(b)/303(d) Impaired Waters List

A look into the Chattahoochee Watershed:

413 total river miles – 158 listed as impaired

904 miles of impaired tributaries

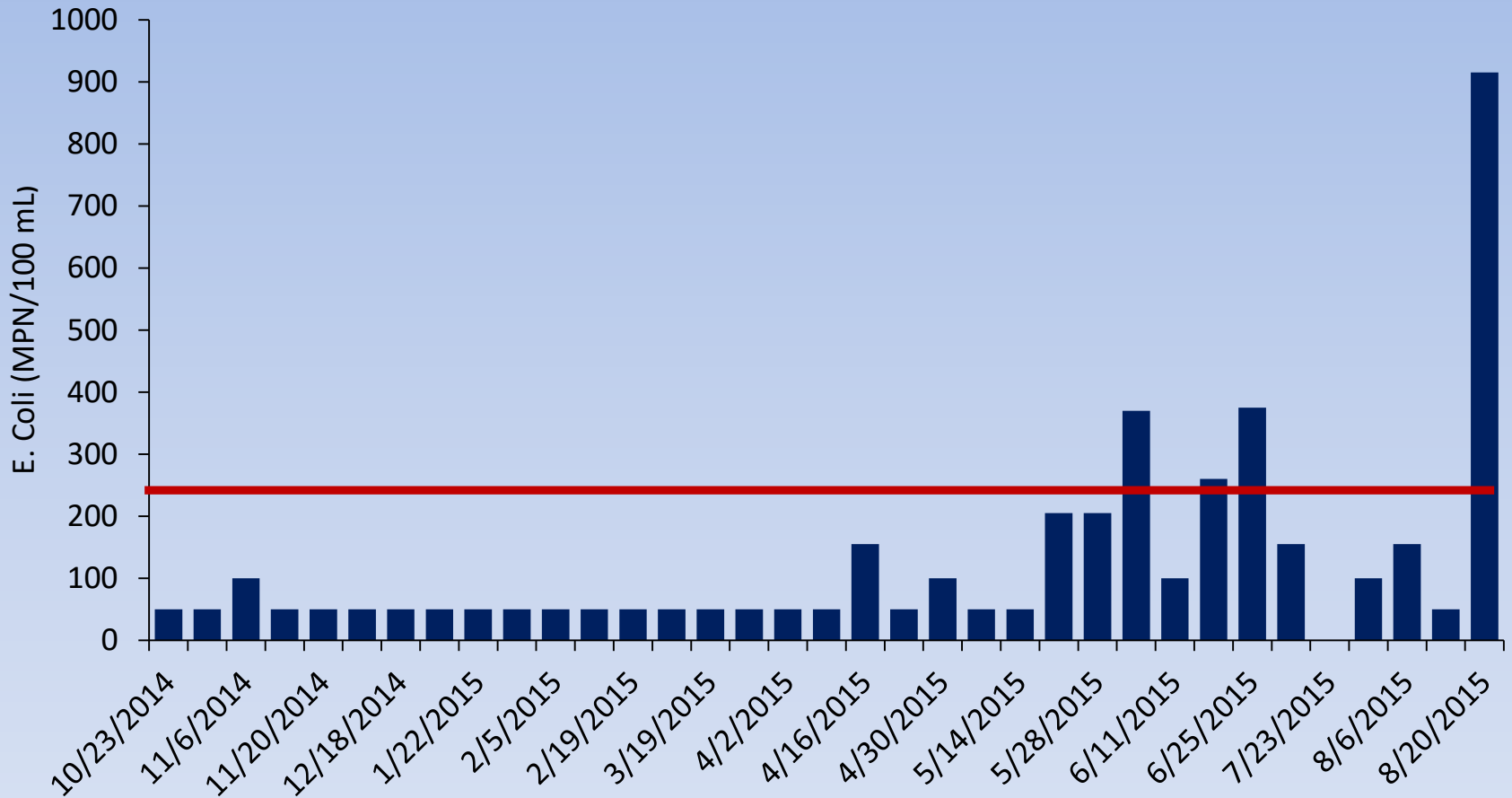
36,863 acres of impaired lakes

***Roughly only 20% of waterways have been assessed

Stormwater Runoff



Chattahoochee River at Roswell Rd.









Current National Park Service Chattahoochee River Bacteria Health Advisories

Chattahoochee River at Norcross (Medlock Br. Rd)

Currently, there is not a National Park Service health advisory in effect

Chattahoochee River at Atlanta (Paces Ferry Rd)

Currently, there is a National Park Service health advisory in effect

Current turbidity and estimated E. coli bacteria counts for the Chattahoochee River

Most recent turbidity			Estimated E. coli count
Site	Date/Time	Turbidity, in NTU	
Chattahoochee River at Norcross (Medlock Br. Rd)	10/16 8:15 PM EST	3	40
Chattahoochee River at Atlanta (Paces Ferry Rd)	10/16 7:45 PM EST	23	248

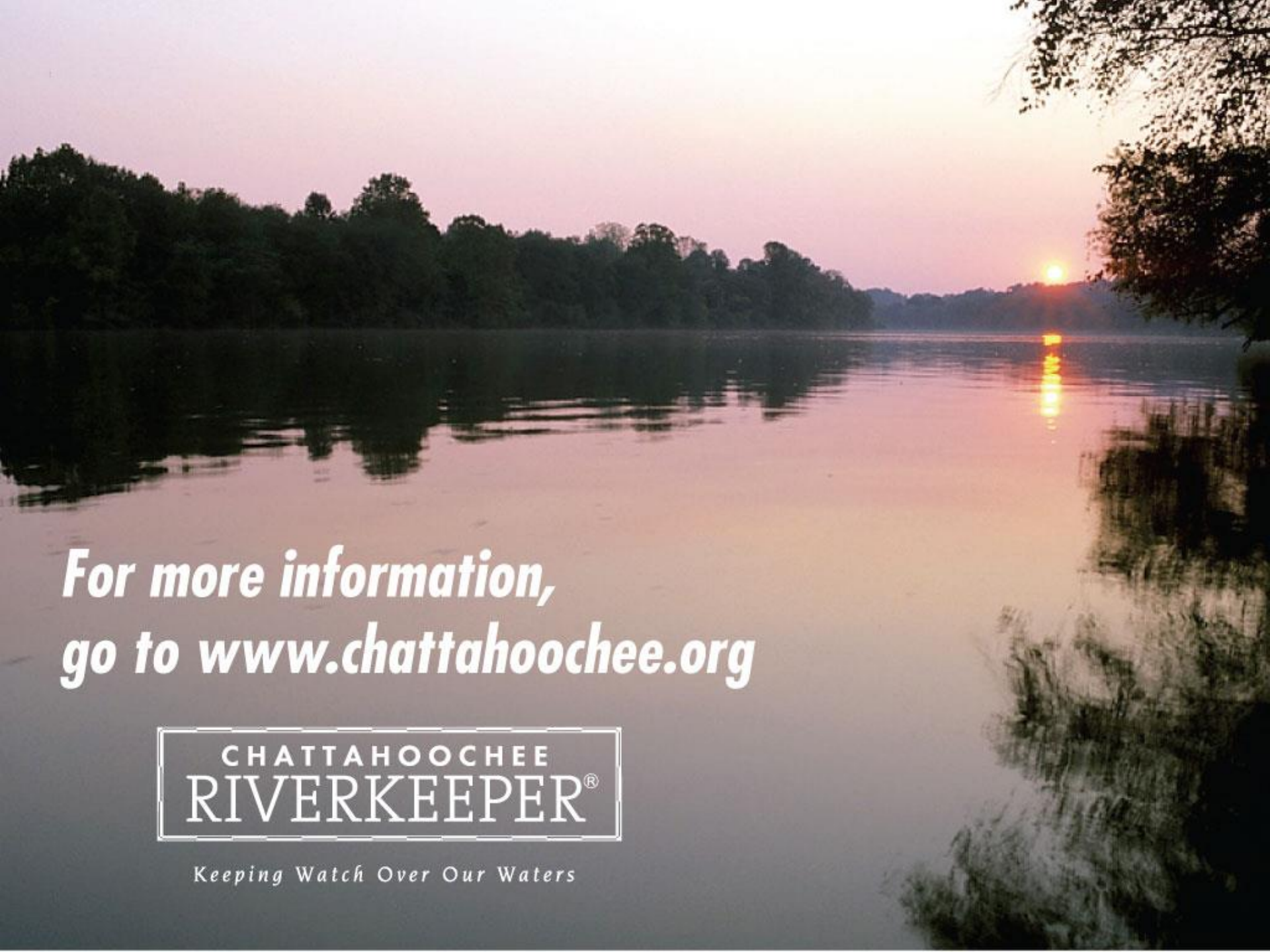
Chattahoochee River at Norcross: The last E.coli water sample was taken on Thursday 10/01 at 11:00 AM; the measured E. coli count was 131

Chattahoochee River at Atlanta: The last E.coli water sample was taken on Thursday 10/01 at 9:00 AM; the measured E. coli count was 753

Neighborhood Water Watch







*For more information,
go to www.chattahoochee.org*



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