

**Illinois EPA - Bureau of Water
Clean Water Act Activities
October 2002 Highlights**

Youth Watershed Summit -

Five students and a teacher from Taylorville High School are representing Illinois at the Youth Watershed Summit, October 6 through the 10, 2002. The students were selected to represent Illinois after their team won first place in the Illinois Envirothon contest May, 2002. The Youth Watershed Summit is being held at the Smithsonian Environmental Research Center in Edgewater, Maryland.

Clean Water Act Display –

The Bureau of Water in conjunction with Brookfield Zoo has developed a static display (photo attached) highlighting accomplishments of the Clean Water Act over the last 30 years.

Display Schedule:

October 7 – 15	Illinois DNR Building, Springfield
October 21 – November 1	Illinois State Library, Springfield
November 6 – 7	2002 Water Conference, Champaign
November 15 – December 6	Illinois State Capitol Rotunda, Springfield

To schedule the display contact 217/782-3362.

National Monitoring Day -

Citizen monitors, established volunteer monitoring organizations, federal, state and local monitoring staff are invited to participate in National Water Monitoring on October 18, 2002. Participants are encouraged to register their monitoring location by visiting, <http://www.yearofcleanwater.org>. The deadline for entering testing data is November 15th, 2002. The data will be used to prepare a “snapshot” report summarizing the role and accomplishments of the participants. The data will also be available for view on the Year of Clean Water website.

Clean Water Act – Mini Brochure

Illinois EPA has developed a pocket-size brochure which highlights the accomplishments of the Clean Water Act since 1972. Copies are available upon request at 217/782-3362.

Clean Water Act – Banners

Large banners are still on display at Illinois EPA and on the Illinois State Fairgrounds at Watershed Park. The banners will be on display until the end of the year.