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## York County Water Quality and Flooding Survey

## What do you think of when you hear the word "water?" We want to know!

The York County Planning Commission is conducting a survey to determine how the public feels about our local waters -- keeping our streams clean or, in some cases, cleaning them up; flooding issues; recreational uses; and doing our part to help clean up the Chesapeake Bay.

Water plays an essential part in all our lives, every day. The human body is 65% water and our survival is dependent upon an ample supply of **clean water f**or drinking, bathing and to nourish our crops. Clean water also provides opportunities for swimming, fishing and boating. But, unfortunately, polluted streams can be found throughout the County.

## Did you know that, over the next three years, York County is required to reduce the amount of pollution entering its streams by an amount equal to more than 10,000 dump truck loads?

Water is an important resource but at times it can be very destructive. Storms can cause flooding events that can result in damages to people, property, and the environment.

Please take a few minutes to **click on this <u>link</u> or visit the website below** and **complete a short survey** to share your "water" thoughts with us. If you want to help out even more, forward this email to all of your family and friends who live and/or work in York County.

By submitting the survey by the **January 31, 2015, deadline**, you are eligible to **win one of 12 GIFT CARDS** to a local restaurant or business including Brown's Orchards, Shank's Mare, White Rose and others. You are also helping to make York County a better place to live, work and play.

Thank you!

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