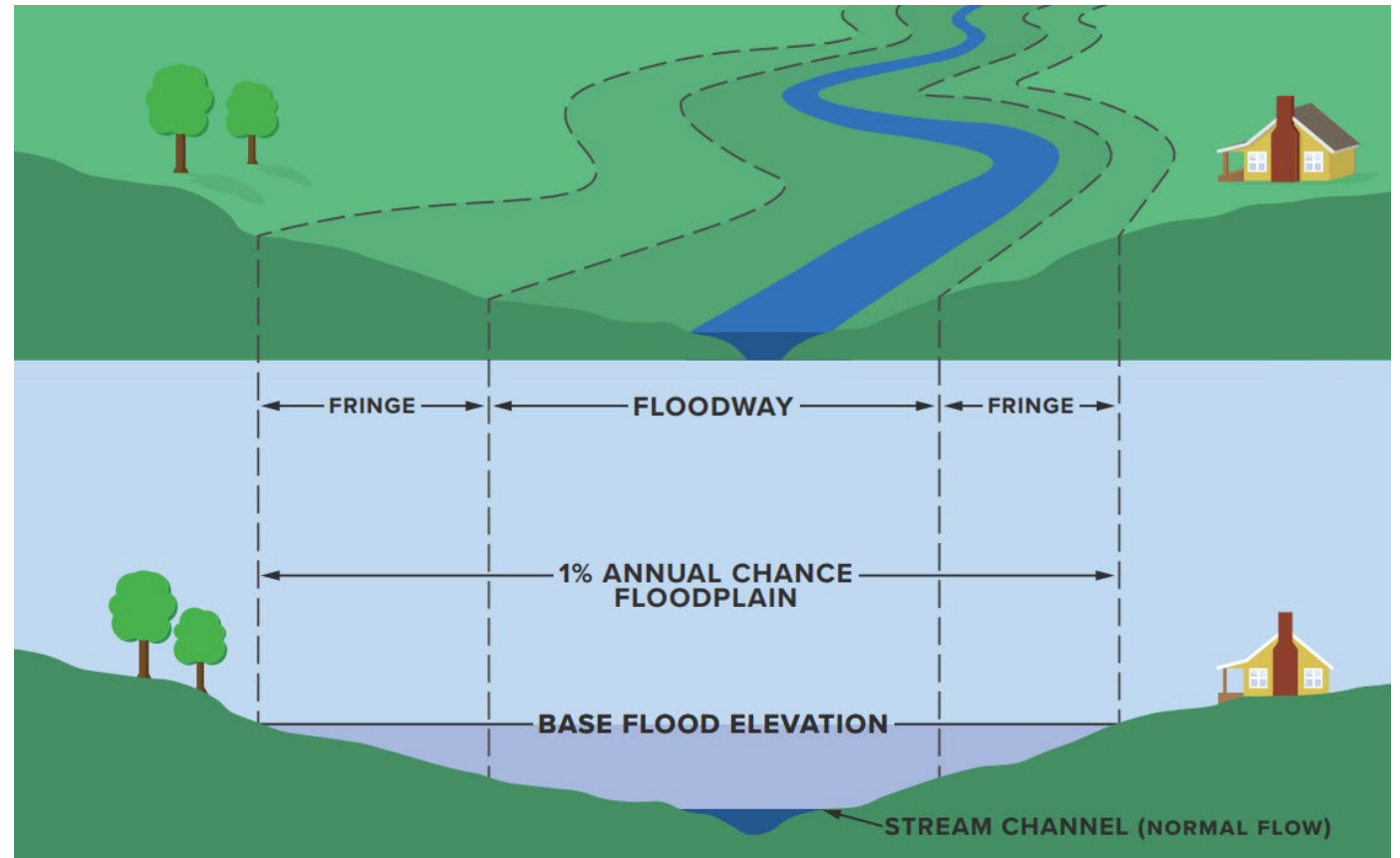


DNR Division of Water Information and Updates

The Flood Control Act (IC 14-28-1) requires the prior approval of the DNR Division of Water for any construction in the floodway including an obstruction, fill, excavation, or the construction of a building.

The DNR Division of Water's jurisdiction under the Flood Control Act is limited to activity in the floodway.





Visit : infip.dnr.IN.gov

Indiana Floodplain Information Portal 2.1
DNR Division of Water | Data Download | Overview | FEMA Map Service Center

Find address or place

Floodplain Analysis & Regulatory Assessment (FARA)

- Point of Interest
- Base Flood Elevation Point
- POI
- FEMA Zone AE Floodway; FEMA Administrative Floodway
- FPA Jurisdictions

RGB

- Red: Band_1
- Green: Band_2
- Blue: Band_3

Long: -85.86007275194721
Lat: 39.07757621949746

Approximate Ground Elevation: 586.1 feet (NAVD88)
Base Flood Elevation: 590.0 Feet (NAVD88)
Drainage Area: **Not Available**

How to create a FARA Report

1. Zoom to your location using the + and - buttons in the map or your mouse wheel. To create the report, zoom in at least to the level where the FEPs appear.
2. Click on the Geoprocessing tool
3. Click on the Point icon
4. Click on your location in the map. A purple dot will appear after you click.

You can remove the point by using the red trash can in tool pop up and reposition as needed.

5. Select the map scale from the drop down menu (6000, 12000, 24000).

6. Once the point is placed correctly, click the RUN icon.

7. Once tool is successful a link will appear in the pop up. Open the link for YOUR PDF report.

FARA Report Generator

Point of Interest

Map Scale

6000

Run

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Gold Prospecting
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Exemptions

Agriculture Fence
Agriculture or Residential Stream Crossings
Creek Rock Removal
Logjams
Maintenance and Reconstruction of Regulated Drains
Streambank Protection
Tree Removal

Indiana Waterways Inquiry Request



- IDEM and DNR partnered together to create the **Indiana Waterways Inquiry Request** to help Indiana citizens determine when or if they need a permit to complete a project. It can be accessed the following website (www.waterways.IN.gov).
- The **Waterways Inquiry Request** relates specifically to:
 - Isolated Wetlands Permits
 - Section 401 Water Quality Certifications
 - Constructions in a Floodway permits
 - Other construction along streams, lakes or dams

- All online, communication and submittal of documents will be through the online system
- A complete application will be needed to start the review of an application
- Guided questions will assist in making sure a complete application is submitted
- Guided question can assist in determining if your project might meet a general license or exemption
- The system will have the ability to contact DNR staff for more guidance or request a pre-application meeting
- Any deficiency items, after submittal, will need to be addressed quickly
- These changes are focused on decreasing review time
- Water use and well logs will also be incorporated into the system

SWWF Registration and Water Use Reporting

- Online registration for new SWWFs
- GIS integration
- New online water use reporting system

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Annual Usages

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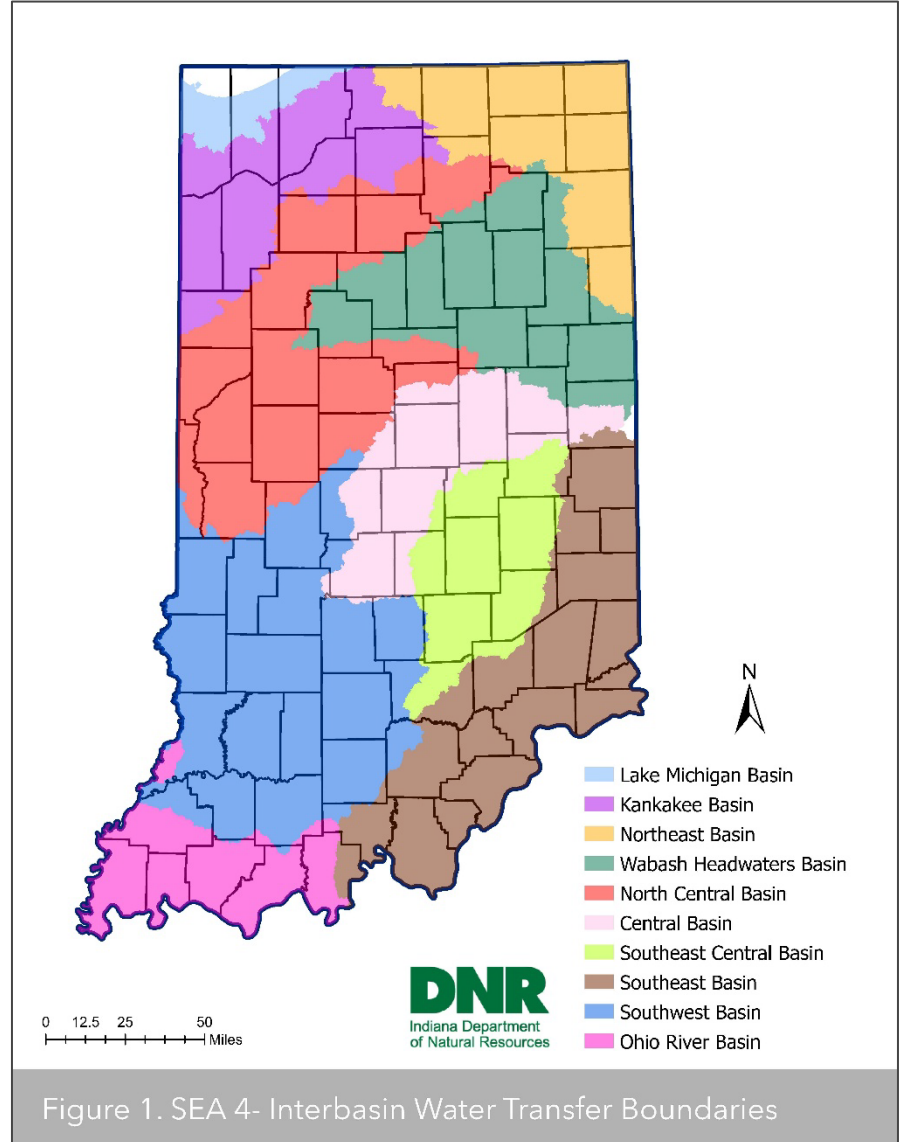
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SB 4 – Water Transfers in Indiana

SEA 4 adds a new chapter to Indiana Code IC 14-25-17, which regulates the transfer of water between different watersheds. Figure 1 shows the watershed boundaries defining when water movement constitutes an interbasin transfer.



SB 4 – Water Transfers in Indiana

- The law applies to "notable users," defined as persons who transfer or propose to transfer either:
 - More than an annual average of 30 million gallons of water per day, or
 - Water from an area designated by the department as a restricted use area under IC 14-25-3
- Notable users are prohibited from transferring water out of a basin or supplying water to another party they know will transfer more than 100,000 gallons of water per day out of a basin without obtaining a transfer permit from the DNR.
- Transfer permit applications must include detailed information about the beneficial use, purpose, and necessity of the interbasin transfer, along with hydraulic and hydrologic data, environmental impacts, costs, proposed conservation practices, and feasibility of alternatives.
- The DNR has 90 days after receiving a complete application to notify the applicant of approval or denial. The department will approve applications that meet two criteria:
 - The transfer will not result in perennial overdraft of groundwater resources or perennial stream flow depletion
 - The transfer serves the public interest as defined in IC 14-25-1-1 and IC 14-25-1-2
- Permittees must file a certification of compliance with permit terms at least once every five years

SB 28 – Emergency Regulation of Ground Water Rights

- IC 14-25-4 currently provides owners of small capacity water wells with protection against the impacts of high-capacity groundwater pumping.
- SB 28 provides for the owner or operator of a significant groundwater withdrawal facility to file a complaint with the DNR if it is believed that the facility has failed to furnish its normal supply of water due to water level impacts caused by another high-capacity facility.
- DNR must launch an investigation into a complaint of a well failure from a significant groundwater withdrawal facility within three business days.
- Well owner responsible of the failure or substantial impairment of another user must provide “Timely and reasonable compensation, limited to:
 - The immediate temporary provision at the prior point of use of an adequate supply of potable water.
 - Reimbursement of expenses reasonably incurred by the complainant.
- SEA 28 does not establish a priority for groundwater withdrawals in Indiana based upon well capacity, type of water use, or prior appropriation

EO 25-63: Statewide water inventory and management plan



EO 25-63: Guiding Principles

- Builds upon 2018 Water Infrastructure Task Force, IGA SB4 (2019) and IFA's regional water studies;
- Focuses on water supply needs and priorities at a regional scale;
- Supported by data and accepted scientific practices;
- Works within existing statutory authorities; and,
- Provides a transparent process for stakeholder input.

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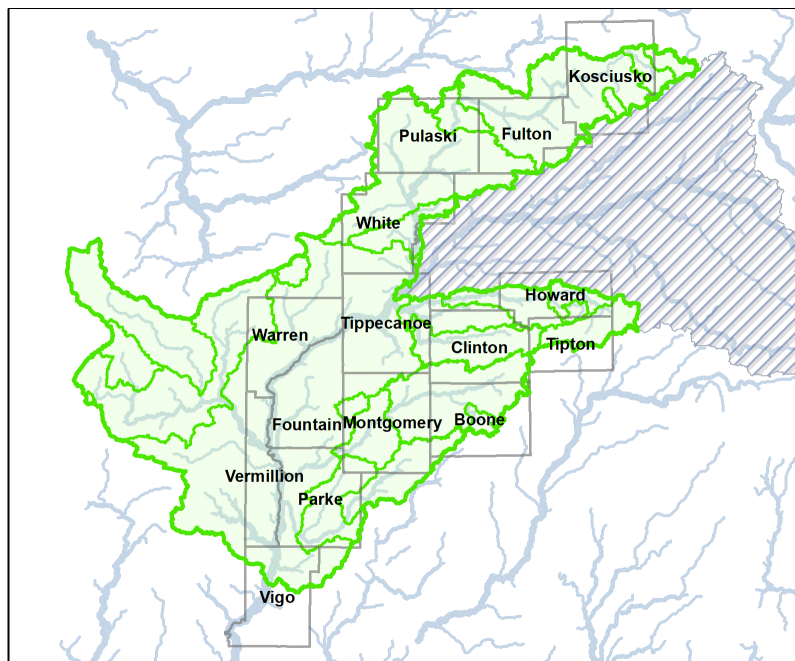
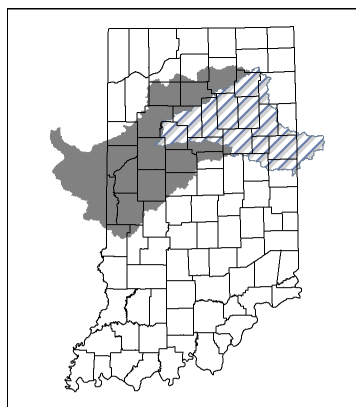
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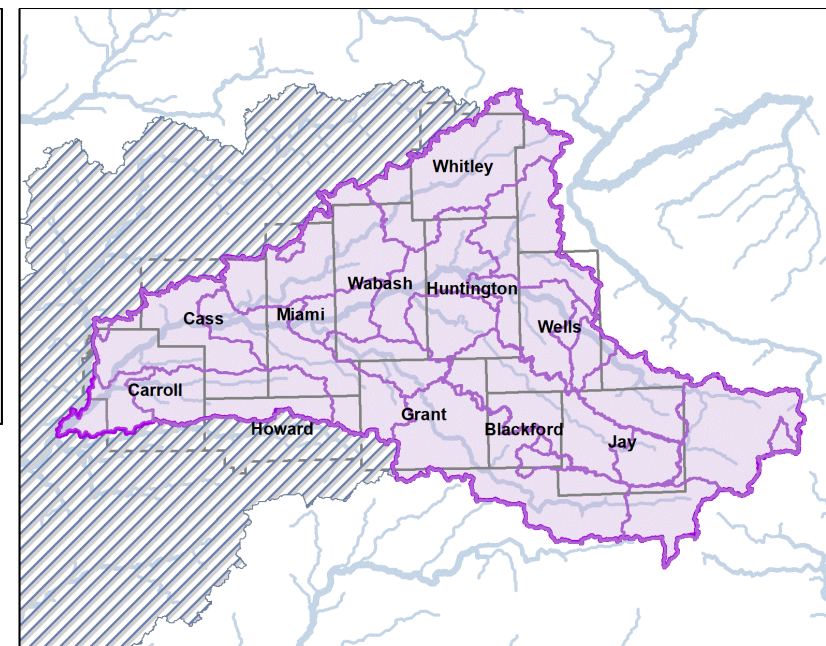
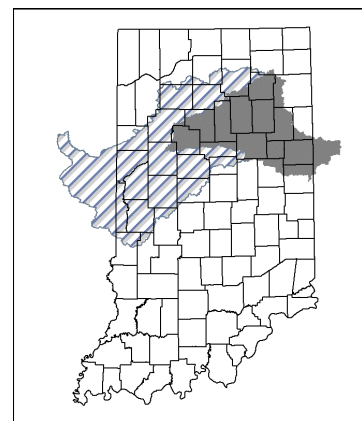
1. Inventory current usage, availability of surface and groundwater resources and forecasting of future demand.
2. Develop a statewide water planning framework at a regional scale.
3. Develop recommendations for enhancement and optimization of Indiana's water resource monitoring networks.
4. Create a centralized, publicly accessible, on-line water data platform.

The inventory shall be completed by Oct. 31, 2026, with a report provided to the Governor and Legislative Council by Dec. 31, 2026.

Water Inventory – IFA Regional Water Studies



- North Central Indiana water study counties
- North Central Indiana water study subbasins
- Wabash Headwaters water study

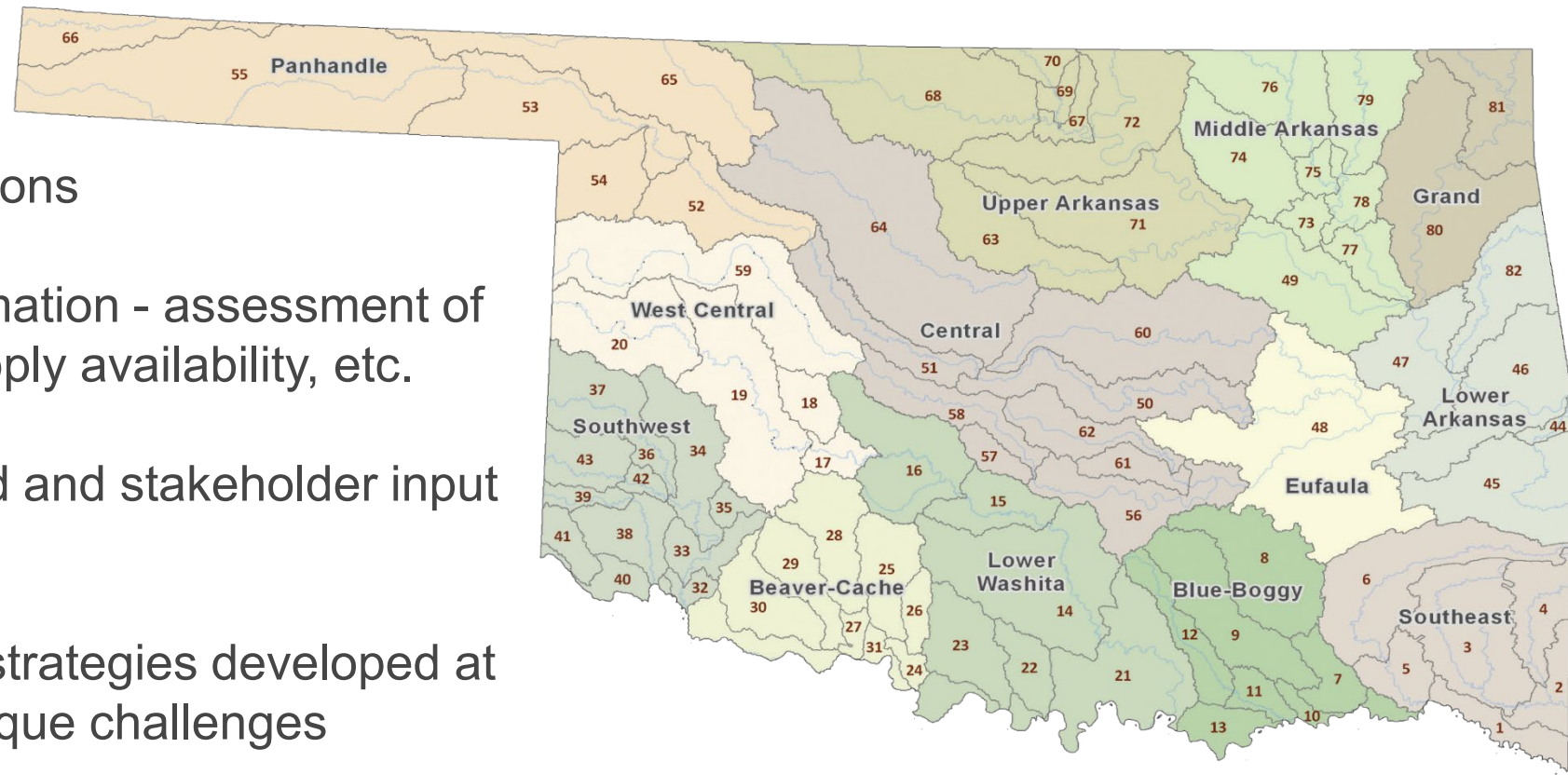


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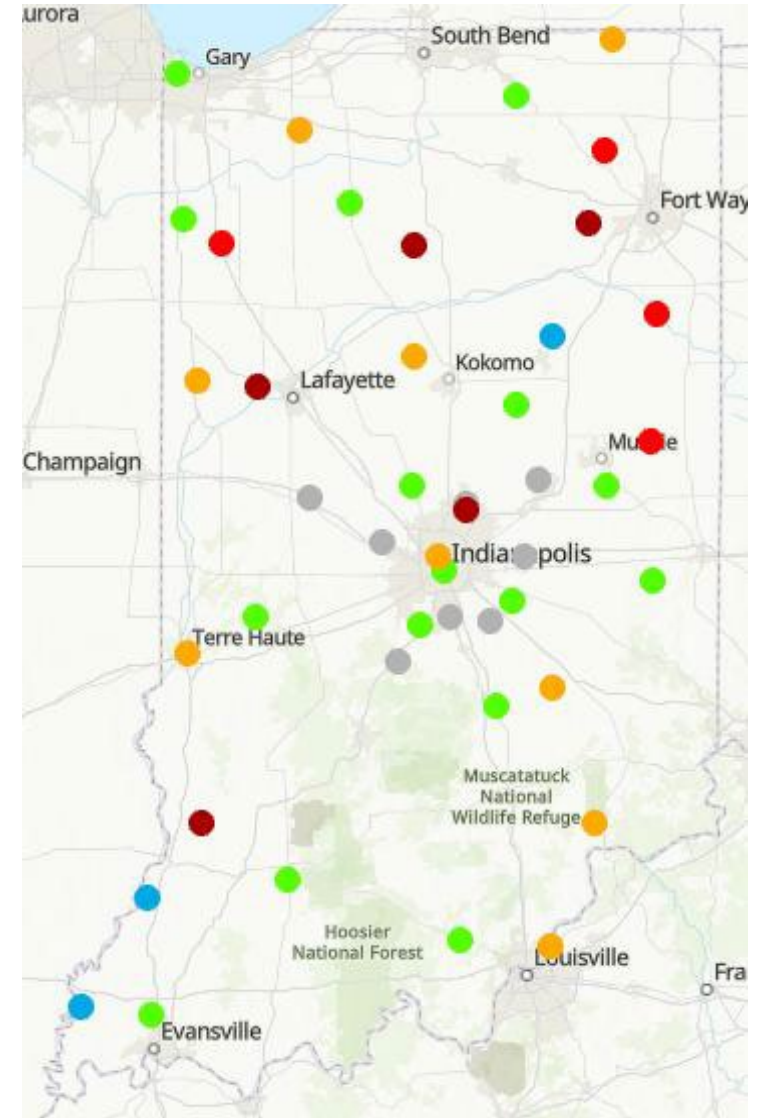
DNR provides water use data and technical assistance to the IFA along with the US Geological Survey, IU and IDEM

Statewide planning framework

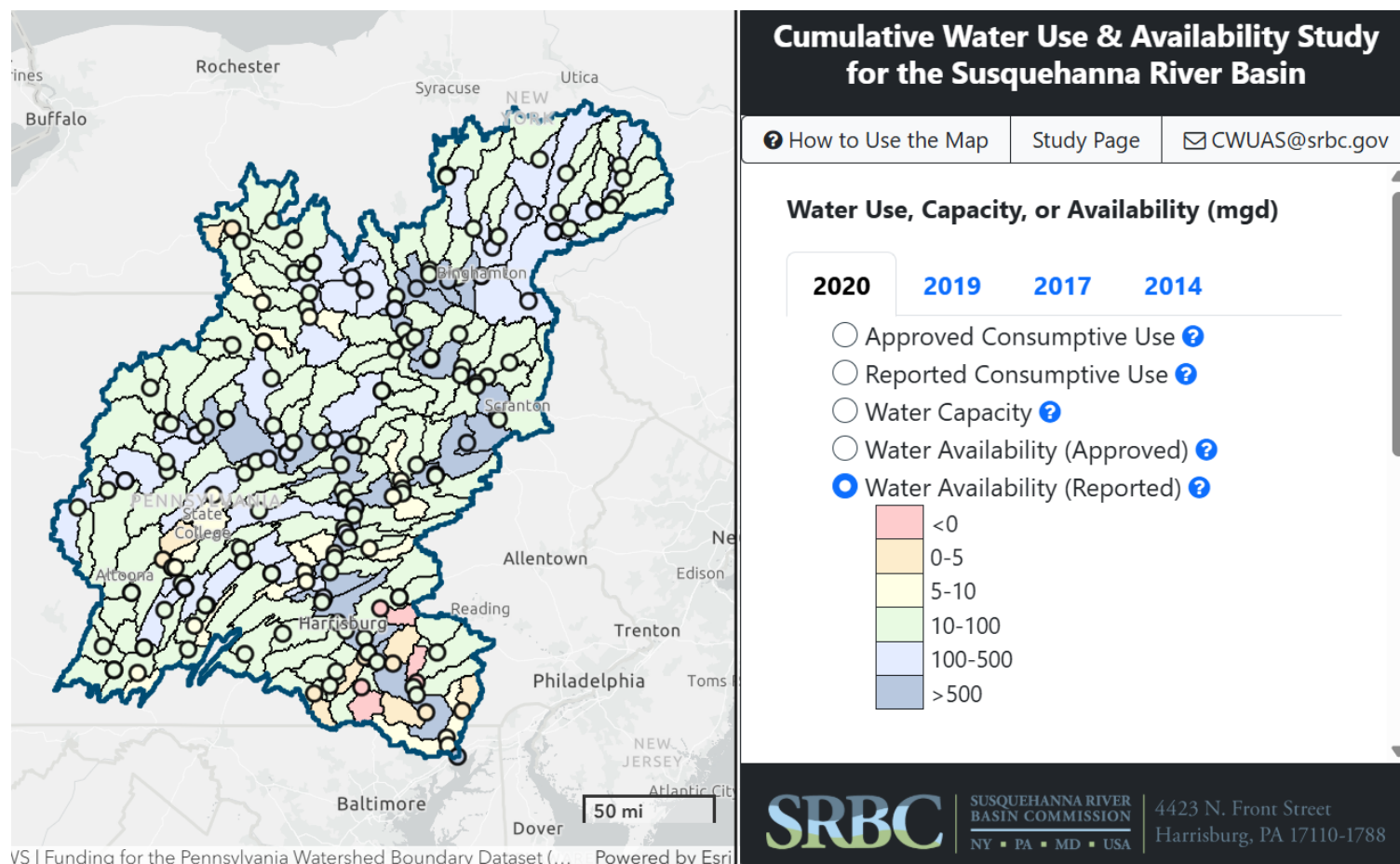
- Establishment of planning regions
- State provides technical information - assessment of water use, future demand, supply availability, etc.
- Water use sectors represented and stakeholder input invited
- Water resource priorities and strategies developed at the regional level to reflect unique challenges



Monitoring networks – Enhancement and optimization



On-line Water Data Platform

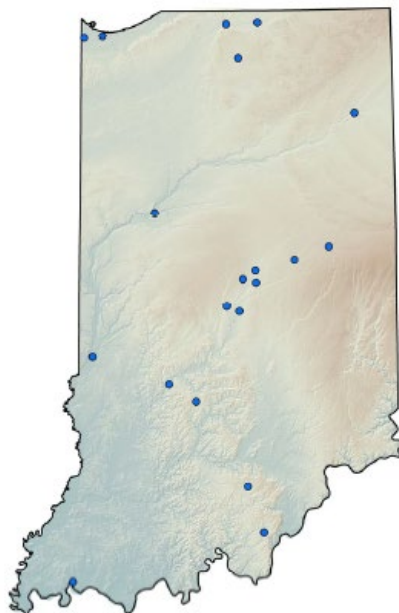


Next Steps

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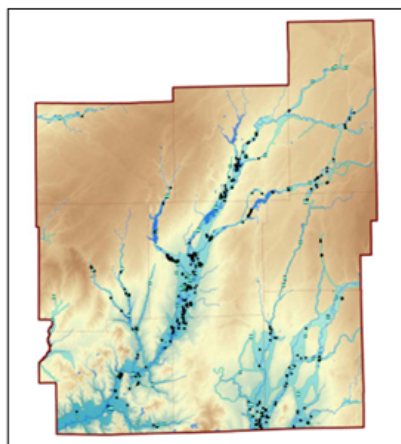
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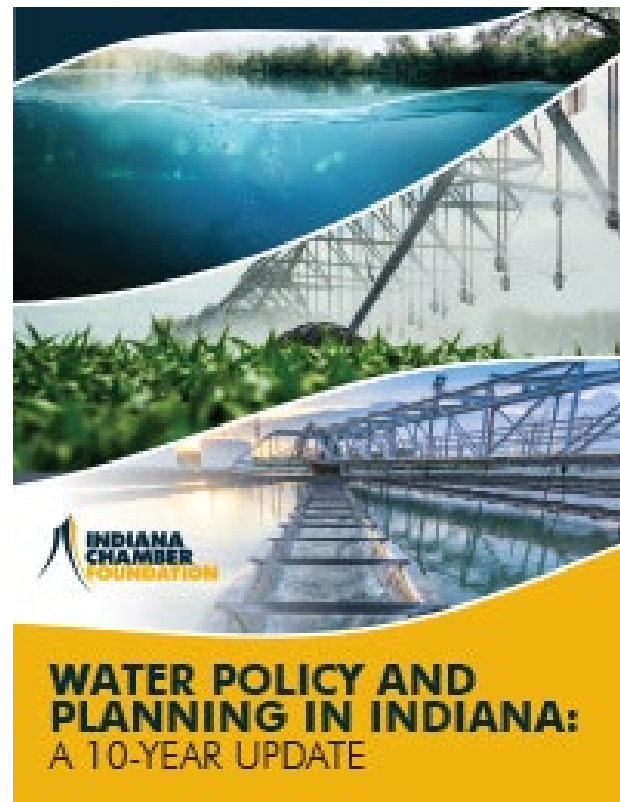


Executive Summary Central Indiana Water Study

Future Demand, Availability, Options



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