

2023 BY THE NUMBERS



580+ community, school and daycare water systems sampled for PFAS

400+ groundwater samples from 115 location analyzed for PFAS



Division of Water Resources

\$4.3 billion distributed by DWI over its first 10 years

99% of available ARPA funding awarded for drinking water, wastewater and stormwater projects

Division of Water Infrastructure



177 level 2 charging ports funded through the VW Program

\$1.3 million awarded through the Diesel Emission Reduction Act

Division of Air Quality



829 underground storage tank incidents closed, best in the Southeast and a new annual record for DEQ

Division of Waste Management



\$5.4 million saved through waste reduction projects

151 million gallons of water waste avoided

186,000 tons of material consumption reduced

1.2 million mmBtu in energy consumption saved

\$5.8 million predicted annual utility savings

21,000 metric tons:GHG emission reductions in CO_{2e}

Division of Environmental Assistance and Customer Service



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North Carolina Geological Survey

200 years since founding of North Carolina Geological Survey and Division of Marine Fisheries



Division of Marine Fisheries

3,700+ certificates of coverage issued for construction stormwater permits

Division of Energy, Mineral, and Land Resources



Division of Marine Fisheries

19,333 commercial and for-hire fishing licenses and permits issued

300,000 bushels of marl and shell deployed to create 37 acres of oyster habitat statewide

968 homes repaired or upgraded through the Weatherization Assistance Program

746 heating units replaced to improve energy efficiency

State Energy Office



160 new enrollments in the Environmental Education Certificate Program

Environmental Education



\$2.8 million awarded to **23** communities through Resilient Coastal Communities Program grants

\$2.8 million awarded to nine local governments to improve access to coastal beaches and waters

Division of Coastal Management

60,000 linear feet of stream restored, preserved or enhanced

Division of Mitigation Services

