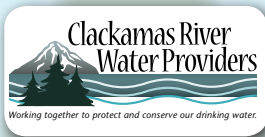


## LEARN MORE...

about our source water protection efforts, by visiting our website at [www.clackamasproviders.org](http://www.clackamasproviders.org)

## WHAT CAN YOU DO TO HELP?

- **Get involved!** Attend a Clackamas River Water Providers, city council, or water board meeting.
- **Conserve water** especially conserve in the summer months when river flows are at their lowest. The more water we save, the more water we can keep in the river for fish.
- **Protect our watershed** by not dumping oil and other hazardous waste where it can enter storm drains.
- **Report spills** by calling 911.



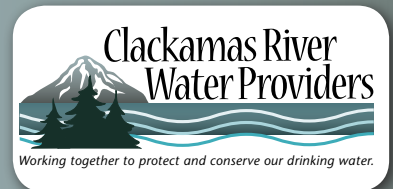
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## DID YOU KNOW YOUR WATER COMES FROM THE CLACKAMAS RIVER

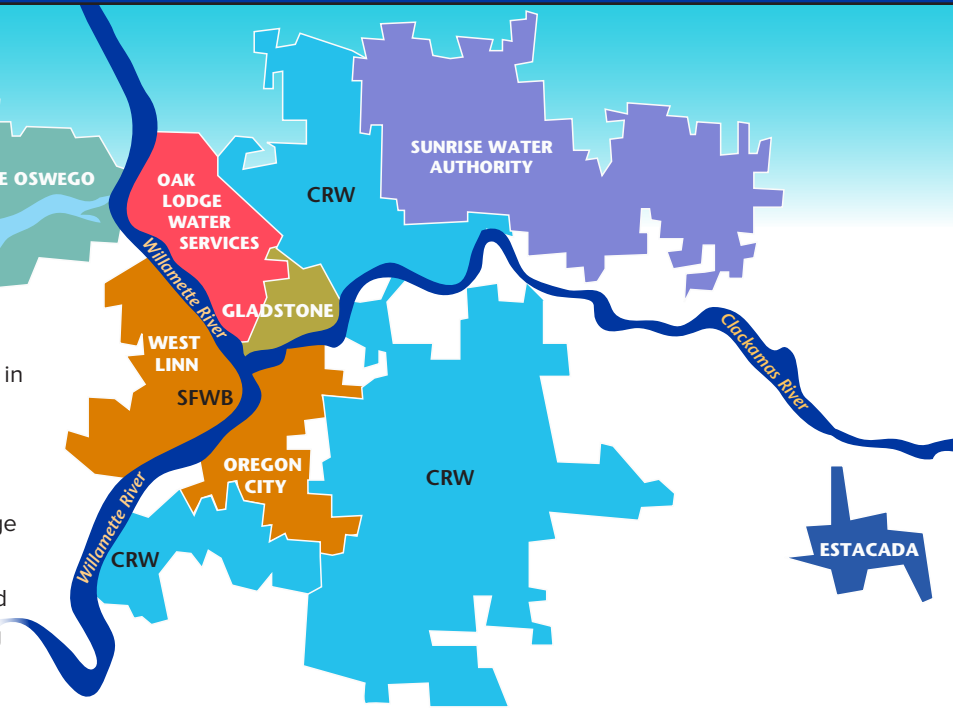


# THE CLACKAMAS RIVER, OUR DRINKING WATER SOURCE

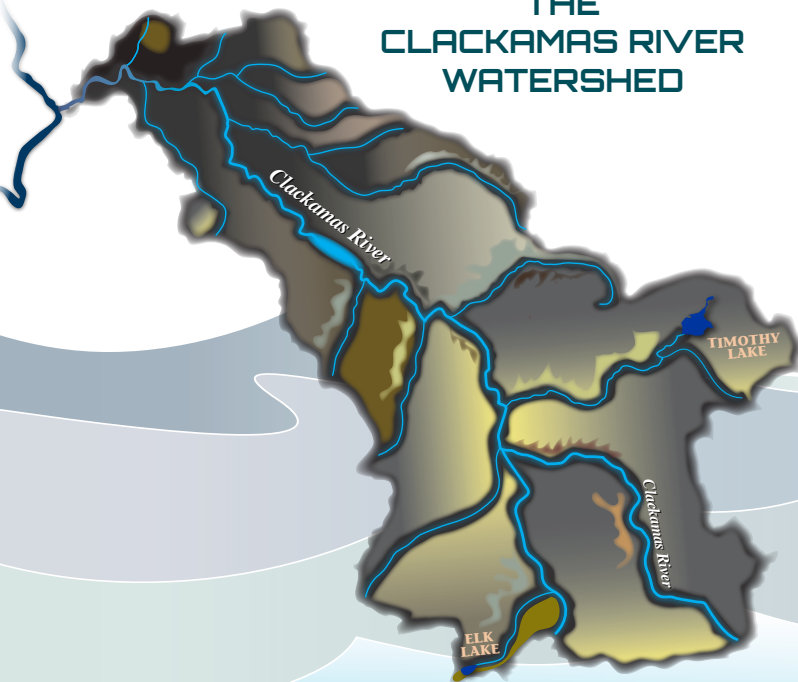
## THE CLACKAMAS RIVER

provides drinking water to over 300,000 people in Clackamas and Washington Counties supplying water to the Cities of Estacada, Gladstone, Lake Oswego, Oregon City, Tigard, and West Linn, as well as to Clackamas River Water and Oak Lodge Water Services which provide water service to unincorporated areas of Clackamas County, and Sunrise Water Authority which serves the Happy Valley-Damascus area.

A safe reliable water supply is critical to the success of our communities. It creates jobs, attracts industry and investment, and provides for the health and welfare of our citizens from disease prevention to fire suppression.



## THE CLACKAMAS RIVER WATERSHED



## SOURCEWATER PROTECTION

Clackamas River Water Providers have been working hard to identify, prevent, minimize activities that have known or potentially harmful impacts on drinking water quality. Because the Clackamas is a multi-use watershed the combination of cars, homes, people, businesses, and animals in the watershed makes pollution from stormwater a serious threat to our river's water quality.

As our counties continue to grow, so does the demand for high quality water. Conserving and protecting the Clackamas River plays a key role in making the best use of this precious resource we share and help minimize future drinking water treatment costs, while being good stewards of the river.