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Media Advisory

Charlotte, N.C. – On Saturday, Oct. 3, over 1,300 volunteers will come together for [Catawba Riversweep](#), a cleanup of the Catawba-Wateree River Basin. This is the first year for organizations and volunteers from 26 counties across North and South Carolina to come together for a one-day cleanup of the waterways.

Who: 1,300 volunteers
Catawba Riverkeeper Foundation

What: Cleanup of river, lakes and streams in over 40 locations of the Catawba-Wateree River Basin

When: Saturday, Oct. 3, from 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Where: 40 + [locations](#) stretching from Lake James to Lake Wateree

Photo Op: 10:30 a.m. – 11:45 a.m. – Volunteers will be returning with trash
Buster Boyd Bridge [3990 Charlotte Hwy, Lake Wylie, SC 29710](#)
Interview Catawba Riverkeeper® [Brandon Jones](#)

Notes: Masks required when unable to social distance, follow state guidelines.
Closed-toe shoes recommended.

Catawba Riversweep is sponsored by Catawba-Wateree Water Management Group, CLT Toolbank and Recover Brands. Community partners for Riversweep include Lake Wylie Marine Commission, Lake Wateree Association, and the Lake James Environmental Association. Other involvement comes from the City of Rock Hill, City of Hickory, Town of Cramerton, Mecklenburg Parks and Recreation, Keep Mecklenburg Beautiful, Keep Gaston Beautiful, Keep McDowell Beautiful, Palmetto Pride, Anne Springs Close Greenway, Carolina Thread Trail, Charlotte-Mecklenburg Stormwater, and individual members of the Catawba-Wateree Water Management Group.

Find more information about Riversweep and the Catawba Riverkeeper Foundation on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) and [Instagram](#).

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