



Kalamazoo River

WATERSHED COUNCIL

"The KRWC"



Join us in protecting the Kalamazoo River, a great natural resource right in our own "backyard"!

Who Are We?

Our Mission

To restore and protect the health of the Kalamazoo River, its

tributaries, and its watershed by

collaborating with the community, government agencies, local officials, and businesses.

Our Vision

We envision a Kalamazoo River and connected waterways that are free-flowing, with good water quality, and healthy ecosystems that are managed and protected by decisions and actions in the region and provide environmental, social, and economic benefits. This will be accomplished by engaging a strong and effective community of dedicated partners working together to protect the 2000+ mi² Kalamazoo River Watershed.



Donate now!

How can you help?

Your financial contributions will support, sustain, and expand these vital efforts. Join us in preserving this great natural resource located right here in our own "backyard" and help us realize the tremendous opportunity of the Kalamazoo River Watershed!

What work are we doing now to support our mission and vision for the watershed?

We:

- Serve as a **trusted, impartial, technical** information source to address new watershed challenges.
- Participate with local, state, and federal agencies in ongoing **river restoration and public outreach** projects.
- Grow **community participation** by leading **Kanoe the Kazoo** and trash clean-up events, river and paddle educational sessions, and paddle-bike-hike events.
- Build programs that provide **opportunities for equitable, diverse, and inclusive access** and enjoyment of the river.
- Provide **digital resources to river “explorers”**, including virtual tours, Google maps, and more to enhance the “on-river” experience.

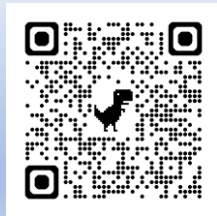
Why Support the KRWC For the Long Term?

- We are a **successful 501(c)3 nonprofit, established in 1993**.
- The Kalamazoo River is an **important regional quality of life asset**, and no other organization is better positioned to integrate all parts of the watershed to support and protect it.

- We recognize that the most **effective** management boundary is the **one around the 2000+ mi² watershed**.

- The KRWC is the only **science- and community-based** organization focused entirely on achieving and maintaining high-quality **experiences with the Kalamazoo River**.

Explore the Kalamazoo River Now!



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