



Watershed Education Network (WEN)

Southern Region Partnership with EPA Region 4

Focus Area: Watersheds

Target Program: Watershed Education Network

Vision: The Watershed Education Network is the premier program for watershed materials, outreach, education and training programs.

Statement of Problem:

Materials exist for watershed education but an inventory has not been completed. Materials vary from program to program and agency to agency. Interest is high among natural resource professionals, county extension agents, local watershed representatives, and others for science-based trainings that will improve their ability to communicate issues related to water quality. However, trainings to address this interest are few and usually disconnected from one another. WEN meets this need.

Goal: Provide a framework for watershed education programs.

Target Audience: (agencies/organizations/groups of clientele/extension professionals)

General public,
Extension agents,
Teachers and other professional educators
Watershed professionals

Outputs:

- Regional Planning/Coordination
- Resource Inventory
- Webpage
- **546 People Received Watershed Training**
- Developed materials needed to support Watershed Education Programs
- Outreach efforts partnering with EPA Region 4

