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Water Quality Report

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What is TMDL?

Total Maximum Daily Loads

It indicates the maximum number of pollutants that can enter a body of water while meeting the EPA's water quality standards.

The Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL), often referred to as a clean water plan, is a science-based strategy for cleaning up polluted water to ensure it meets state water quality standards. A TMDL represents a specific numerical value that indicates the maximum amount of a pollutant that a surface water body can receive while still complying with these standards.

The City of Coburg is implementing measures to lower its total maximum daily load to comply with state water quality standards.

For more information on the TMDL, go to [Department of Environmental Quality: Total Maximum Daily Loads: Total Maximum Daily Loads: State of Oregon](#).

Pollutants dumped into storm drains go untreated and flow directly to the river, harming wildlife.

When pollutants are dumped into household drains, they undergo treatment at a water treatment facility before being discharged into the river. This process reduces the impact on wildlife.

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