

Anacostia Watershed Society

Earth Day Cleanup

2021 Impact

😊 **1,253** Volunteers

24.8 Tons of Trash & Recycling

🚗 **205** Tires

On April 24, 2021, over one thousand Anacostia Watershed Society volunteers united to work together for cleaner Anacostia River. At over three dozen sites throughout the watershed, community members of all ages cleaned up trash and debris that would otherwise flow into the river.



#AWSEarthDay volunteers cleared out nearly 25 tons of trash and recycling from the DC region's neighborhood parks and streams - the equivalent of 17 standard cars! Among this trash were masks and gloves, an unfortunate sign of thoughtless disposal during COVID times, showing more work that meant to be done.

Thank you to our volunteers, site leaders, sponsors, and government partners for another fantastic day for the Anacostia River!



Gold Sponsor Pepco volunteered at River Terrace



AWS Founder Robert Boone

#AWSEarthDay



Dolly Davis at Pope Branch Park

We would like to extend our gratitude to Susan Wooddell Campbell for lending her wood-cut art for this year's Earth Day shirts! Seen here on longtime site leader Dolly Davis of Pope Branch, we were excited to celebrate the biodiversity that accompanies a cleaner Anacostia River.



Thank you to our Sponsors!



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