

# Big Creek Stream Monitoring Program

◇ Free and open to the public ◇

Learn about our local waterways, how we assess their quality, and how they impact the Cuyahoga River and Lake Erie.

**Tuesday, August 24**  
6:00 – 7:30 pm

**Thursday, August 26**  
10:00 – 11:30 am

Choose an evening or morning session, or attend both if interested.

**Memphis Picnic Area,  
Cleveland Metroparks  
Big Creek Reservation.**

Memphis Avenue entrance, at intersection with Tiedeman Road. Park and meet at the Reserved Picnic Shelter at the north end of the park.

Registration is requested but not required.

**Sign up at**

***BigCreekConnects.org***

or contact

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Meet at Memphis Picnic Area in Cleveland Metroparks' Big Creek Reservation. Big Creek, running through the west side of Cleveland and adjacent suburbs, is a major tributary to the Cuyahoga River.

We'll learn about urban watersheds, collect water samples, and measure and compare the physical, chemical, and biological characteristics of the East and West Branches of Big Creek with Ohio EPA and other professionals involved in watershed stewardship.

- The events will occur rain or shine.
- Bring rubber boots if you have them and be ready to get your feet wet (only if you choose).
- Minors must be accompanied by an adult.

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