

2014 Middle School Water Essay Contest

Sponsored by the Metropolitan North Georgia Water Planning District

District-wide Winner: \$500 Cash | County Winners: \$100 Cash

Deadline: Friday, October 17, 2014

Sixth, seventh and eighth graders in Bartow, Cherokee, Clayton, Cobb, Coweta, DeKalb, Douglas, Fayette, Fulton, Forsyth, Gwinnett, Hall, Henry, Paulding and Rockdale counties are invited to participate in the Metro Water District's annual essay contest.

Essay Topic:

Students should write a 300-500 word essay that addresses the following:

Explain why water quantity (how much water we have) and water quality (how clean the water is) are equally important.

Guidelines

- ◆ Essays must be legible and either typed or in pen on white paper.
- ◆ Each essay must be submitted with an entry form.
- ◆ All essays must be received no later than **Friday, October 17, 2014.**

Email: info@cleanwatercampaign.com

or

Mail: 2014 Water Essay Contest
Metro Water District
40 Courtland Street, NE
Atlanta, GA 30303

Prizes

One winner from each of the 15 counties as well as the City of Atlanta will receive \$100. The District-wide winner will be selected from among the county and city winners to receive an additional \$400 for a total prize of \$500.

Judging

Entries will be judged on their creativity, clarity and content. Essays without complete name and contact information will be disqualified.

Awards Reception

County and City of Atlanta winners will be notified **November 14th**. An awards reception will be held in the South Wing of the Georgia Capitol on Thursday, **December 4th** from 10 am -12 pm. District-wide winner and runner-up will be announced at the awards reception.

For more information

Go to CleanWaterCampaign.Com and MyDropCounts.Org for water quality and water conservation information and resources.

For more information concerning the essay contest, please contact Kostoula Vallianos at 404.463.3259 or kvallianos@atlantaregional.com.



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