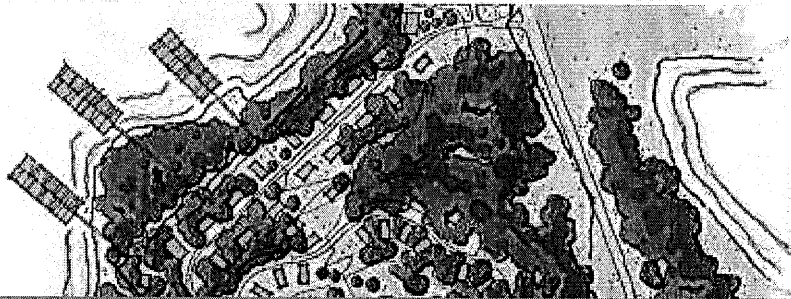


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## Beaver Watershed Alliance February e-News

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### Speaker Series to focus on Maintaining High Quality of Life in Your Community & Protecting Water Quality

Northwest Arkansas' cities and communities large and small can benefit from the Beaver Watershed Alliance speaker series *investing in water source protection*. The presentation will feature Brian Teague of Community by Design, a full service multidisciplinary urban design firm in the Northwest Arkansas. Teague will be presenting about the latest information regarding water quality protection efforts that maintain a high quality of life and will provide a practical approach to balance the goals of conservation and development for future growth of our area. **The workshop will take place Thursday, Feb. 23 from 11:30 am to 1 pm at the Elkins Community Center, 162 Doolin Dr., Elkins, AR 72727.**

"Protecting our region's natural resources and planning for future growth with water quality in mind has a positive impact on communities reaching from Harrison, AR to Westville, Oklahoma," says John Pennington, Executive Director of the Beaver Watershed Alliance. "The stewardship of streams and rivers, the lands surrounding them and Beaver Lake is vitally important to improving Northwest Arkansas' quality of life that is

### Upcoming Events

**February 9**  
Invasive Plant Removal at  
Kessler Mountain  
Fayetteville, AR  
1:30 pm - 3:30 pm

**February 11**  
Spout Spring Branch  
Cleanup  
Fayetteville, AR  
10 am - 12 noon

**February 18**  
Richland Creek Cleanup  
Goshen Community Center  
244 Clark St.  
Goshen, AR  
9 am - 12 pm noon

**February 21**  
Ward Slough Planting  
899 W Partridge Dr.  
Fayetteville, AR

second to none.”

Beaver Watershed Alliance is working with local governments and other nonprofits to reduce the amount of sediment entering streams, improve fish habitat and reduce flooding, an essential service to local communities.

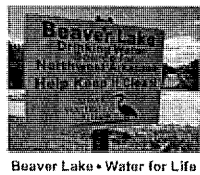
Since Beaver Lake supplies 1 in 7 or nearly a half million people with clean drinking water, provides over forty million tourism and recreation dollars for the local economy, and is the key factor to a successful future in the region, BWA developed this quarterly speaker series to share the rationale behind investing in watershed protection activities today that can benefit our entire region tomorrow. The series name, *Investing in Water Supply Protection in NWA: It's good for business, agriculture, recreation, nature, and you*, reflects these goals.

The program is free and to RSVP, call or email BWA at 750-8007 or [info@beaverwatershedalliance.org](mailto:info@beaverwatershedalliance.org). BWA is a non-profit organization focused on maintaining high quality drinking water in Beaver Lake and improving water quality within the Beaver Lake Watershed.

**Investing in Water Supply Protection in NWA:**

*It's good for business, agriculture, recreation, nature, and you!*

**A Speaker Series**



Beaver Lake • Water for Life

**RSVP Today!**  
**(479) 750-8007**

Date: February 23, 2017  
Time: 11:30 am - 1:00 pm  
Location: Elkins Community Center  
162 Doolin Dr.  
Elkins, AR 72727  
Speaker: Brian Teague  
Owner  
Community by Design  
Topic: Maintaining High Quality of Life in Your Community & Protecting Water Quality

Please RSVP to the Beaver Watershed Alliance at (479) 750-8007 or [info@beaverwatershedalliance.org](mailto:info@beaverwatershedalliance.org)



9 am - 12 pm noon

**February 22**

**Town Branch Cleanup**

Fayetteville, AR

1 pm - 3 pm

**February 23**

**Speaker Series: Lunch and Learn**

*"Maintaining High Quality of Life in Your Community and Protecting Water Quality"*

Presentation by  
Brian Teague, Owner  
Community by Design  
Elkins Community Center  
162 Doolin Dr.

Elkins, AR

11:30 am - 1 pm

**March 4**

**Streamside Management Workshop and Planting**

**Demo**

Elkins Community Center  
162 Doolin Dr.

Elkins, AR

9 am - 12 pm noon

**March 11**

**Riparian Planting Demo**

Elkins Community Center  
162 Doolin Dr.

Elkins, AR

9 am - 12 pm noon

**SAVE THE DATE!**

**March 15**

Rain Garden Management  
St. Paul, AR

**March 18**

Native Tree & Shrub  
Planting  
Winslow, AR

**March 21**

Benton County Ag Days  
Rogers, AR

**March 25**

East Fork/Lake Sequoyah  
Cleanup

**March 25**

Monarch Butterfly  
Workshop  
Botanical Gardens of the  
Ozarks

**April 1**

Rain Garden Workshop